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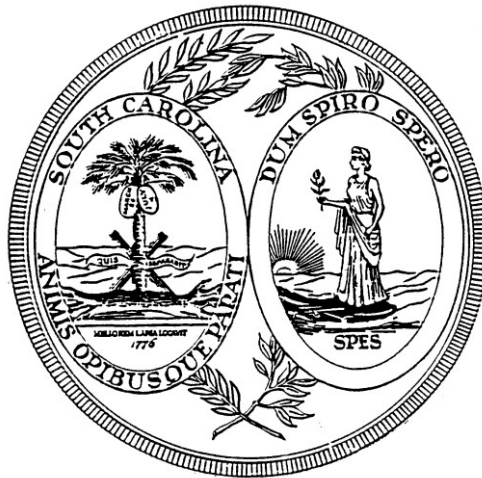
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PREFACE AND ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

Thirty-First Edition

The *South Carolina Higher Education Statistical Abstract* is a comprehensive, single-source compilation of tables and graphs which report data frequently requested by the Governor, Legislators, college and university staff, other state government officials, and the general public. The 2009 edition of the Statistical Abstract marks the 31st anniversary of this valuable publication.

This Abstract includes the most recent statistics on enrollment, degrees awarded, faculty, tuition and fees, funding, and other factual data. A glossary of terms is also included.

The Abstract would not have been possible without the assistance of the college and university institutional representatives' completion of data for Commission reports and the federal Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System (IPEDS). The help and support of these individuals is extremely important to the Commission's data collection process. Their assistance is greatly appreciated.

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Mission, Roles and Functions of the Commission

I. Mission

"The South Carolina Commission on Higher Education will promote quality and efficiency in the state system of higher education with the goal of fostering economic growth and human development in South Carolina."

II. Roles and Functions

- A. To provide pertinent information about higher education to parents and students and to promote access to higher education.
- B. To review and approve new degree program proposals and evaluate existing programs.
- C. To administer state, regional, and federal programs affecting South Carolina higher education.
- D. To maintain a statewide planning and institutional effectiveness system.
- E. To monitor implementation and evaluate the effectiveness of programs designed to provide minority groups with access to and equality of higher education opportunities.
- F. To examine and license non-public educational institutions.
- G. To make recommendations by means of data collection, research, and studies to the Governor, the Budget and Control Board, and the General Assembly regarding policies, roles, operations, and structure of South Carolina's higher education institutions.
- H. To maintain statewide higher education data collection.
- I. To establish procedures for the transferability of courses at the undergraduate level between two-year and four-year institutions.
- J. To coordinate with the State Board of Education in determining minimum academic expectations and requirements and approving appropriate secondary courses for prospective post-secondary students.
- K. To review minimum undergraduate admissions standards for in-state and out-of-state students.
- L. To reduce, expand, or consolidate, and beginning July 1, 1999, close any institution which does not meet the standards of achievement enumerated in Section 59-103-30 of the Code of Laws of South Carolina, as amended.
- M. To review and approve each institutional mission statement to ensure it is within the overall mission of that particular type of institution as stipulated by Section 59-103-15 and is within the overall mission of the state.
- N. To facilitate the implementation of the recommendations provided by the Higher Education Study Committee's Action Plan: *Leveraging Higher Education for a Stronger South Carolina*.

Goals of the Commission

III. Goals

- A. To make South Carolina a global leader by working with business and industry to foster higher education's role in economic growth and human development by ensuring implementation of the recommendations provided in the Higher Education Study Committee's report: *Leveraging Higher Education for a Stronger South Carolina*.
- B. To maintain positive relations with the Governor, the Legislature, state agencies, parents, and students and to provide them and the general public with accurate information on South Carolina higher education.
- C. To present the need and develop support for appropriate funding of public colleges and universities.
- D. To address strategic issues in public and private higher education as they are identified and to ensure a continuous process of assessment and improvement.
- E. To assure access to and equality of educational opportunity among minority groups in South Carolina higher education.
- F. To promote quality and diversity in the academic offerings of institutions of higher learning.
- G. To prevent or eliminate unnecessary duplication of degree programs among the state's institutions.
- H. To expand postsecondary educational opportunities for South Carolina residents; to recognize student achievement; and to encourage excellence in teaching and research by administering various higher education programs.
- I. To ensure that non-public educational institutions, other than those exempted by statute, are legitimate educational enterprises and that they are fulfilling their purposes.

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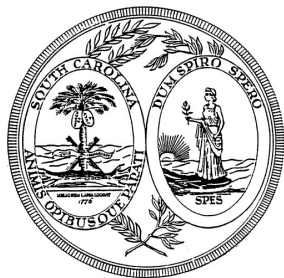
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South Carolina Facts at a Glance

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President Pro Tempore of the SenateThe Honorable Glenn F. McConnell

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S.C. Commission on Higher Education Dr. Garrison Walters
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Number of Institutions = 84

Research Institutions 3

Comprehensive Teaching Institutions 10

Regional Campuses of USC 4

Technical Colleges 16

Independent Senior Institutions 23

Two-Year Independent Institutions 2

Private Professional 2

Out-of-State Degree Granting 24

**Public College & University
State Appropriations**

(2008-09).....\$576,739,451

**Public College & University
State Appropriations**

**as a % of Total State
Revenue (2008-09)**.....10.2%

Fall 2008

Headcount Enrollment (All Students)

Public Institutions = 187,253

Research Institutions48,333

Comprehensive Teaching Institutions50,417

Regional Campuses of USC.....4,233

Public Technical Colleges.....84,270

Independent Institutions = 39,236

Independent Four-Year.....38,486

Independent Two-Year.....750

FY 2007-2008

Number of Degrees Awarded (All Levels)

Public Institutions = 26,835

Research Institutions11,123

Comprehensive Teaching Institutions8,744

Public Two-Year Regional.....359

Public Technical Colleges.....6,609

Independent Institutions = 7,741

Independent Four-Year.....7,546

Independent Two-Year.....195

Enrollment



“Nationally, between 1997 and 2007, enrollment increased at a faster rate [than prior years 1987 to 1997] from 14.5 million to 18.2 million (26 percent). Much of the growth between 1997 and 2007 was in full-time enrollment; the number of full-time students rose 34 percent, while the number of part-time students rose 15 percent. During the same time period, the number of females rose 29 percent compared to an increase of 22 percent in the number of males. Enrollment increases can be affected both by population growth and by rising rates of enrollment. Between 1997 and 2007, the number of 18- to 24-year-olds increased from 25.5 million to 29.5 million, an increase of 16 percent, and the percentage of 18- to 24-year-olds enrolled in college remained relatively stable (37 percent in 1997 and 39 percent in 2007).”

From fall 2007 to fall 2008, total headcount enrollment in South Carolina increased by 3.3 percent. Over the last 10 years, total headcount enrollment in South Carolina increased 21.8 percent. South Carolina experienced enrollment increases similar to the national level during the last 10 years: the percent of females increased by 25 percent and the percent of males increased by 20 percent. Also comparable during that timeframe, full-time students in South Carolina increased to 32 percent. However, the increase for part-time students of 8 percent was almost half the increase seen nationally.

Source for quoted material: [Digest of Education Statistics, 2008.](http://nces.ed.gov/pubs2009/2009020_3a.pdf)
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Ten-Year Analysis
Total Full-Time Equivalent (FTE) Enrollment*

	Fall 1999	Fall 2000	Fall 2001	Fall 2002	Fall 2003	Fall 2004	Fall 2005	Fall 2006	Fall 2007	Fall 2008	% Change	
											2008 Over 1999	2008 Over 2007
Research Institutions												
Clemson	15,685	16,053	15,801	15,620	15,780	15,948	16,044	16,226	16,250	17,367	10.7%	6.9%
USC Columbia ¹	19,852	19,724	19,691	21,324	21,782	22,557	23,564	23,571	24,190	25,077	26.3%	3.7%
Medical University of SC ¹	2,347	2,379	2,367	2,334	2,390	2,593	2,733	2,776	2,816	2,755	17.4%	-2.2%
Subtotal	37,884	38,156	37,859	39,278	39,952	41,098	42,342	42,573	43,256	45,200	19.3%	4.5%
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions												
The Citadel	2,899	2,920	3,089	3,094	3,061	2,992	3,031	3,036	3,063	3,107	7.2%	1.4%
Coastal Carolina	3,991	4,101	4,487	5,095	5,795	6,141	6,576	6,944	7,177	7,609	90.7%	6.0%
College of Charleston	9,480	9,451	9,732	9,947	9,860	9,942	9,883	9,802	9,903	9,806	3.4%	-1.0%
Francis Marion	2,906	2,796	2,834	2,962	3,063	3,126	3,321	3,342	3,319	3,358	15.6%	1.2%
Lander	2,242	2,211	2,226	2,422	2,455	2,524	2,427	2,400	2,177	2,377	6.0%	9.2%
SC State	4,156	4,001	3,845	3,924	3,949	3,976	4,164	4,105	4,644	4,358	4.9%	-6.2%
USC Aiken	2,515	2,596	2,569	2,676	2,737	2,761	2,648	2,749	2,711	2,730	8.5%	0.7%
USC Beaufort	621	664	650	680	723	832	916	997	1,101	1,193	92.1%	8.4%
USC Upstate	2,947	3,012	3,320	3,703	3,852	3,794	3,991	4,199	4,451	4,546	54.3%	2.1%
Winthrop	4,680	4,858	5,015	5,287	5,454	5,459	5,438	5,416	5,360	5,363	14.6%	0.1%
Subtotal	36,437	36,610	37,768	39,789	40,948	41,548	42,394	42,989	43,908	44,446	22.0%	1.2%
Regional Campuses of USC												
USC Lancaster	573	546	614	623	614	690	748	824	1,003	1,085	89.4%	8.2%
USC Salkehatchie	486	444	445	442	459	400	441	529	598	624	28.4%	4.3%
USC Sumter	777	781	766	761	753	726	724	742	859	870	12.0%	1.3%
USC Union	193	176	199	194	179	245	220	245	266	249	29.0%	-6.4%
Subtotal	2,029	1,947	2,024	2,019	2,006	2,060	2,134	2,340	2,724	2,827	39.3%	3.8%
Technical Colleges ²												
Aiken	1,459	1,388	1,487	1,585	1,619	1,634	1,576	1,568	1,672	1,816	24.5%	8.6%
Central Carolina	1,240	1,494	1,650	1,890	1,803	1,829	1,770	1,658	1,870	1,836	48.1%	-1.8%
Denmark	879	995	1,065	1,233	1,232	1,095	1,170	1,144	1,084	1,240	41.1%	14.4%
Florence - Darlington	2,499	2,542	2,471	2,683	2,727	2,836	2,891	2,687	2,710	3,078	23.2%	13.6%
Greenville	6,023	6,126	6,712	7,058	7,534	8,283	8,040	8,349	8,809	9,160	52.1%	4.0%
Horry - Georgetown	2,385	2,306	2,594	2,930	3,366	3,334	3,502	3,435	3,608	3,807	59.6%	5.5%
Midlands	6,114	5,979	6,157	6,527	6,922	6,846	6,816	6,930	6,965	7,272	18.9%	4.4%
Northeastern	607	581	598	672	748	726	703	636	623	632	4.1%	1.4%
Orangeburg - Calhoun	1,233	1,295	1,416	1,627	1,780	1,782	1,729	1,627	1,636	1,788	45.0%	9.3%
Piedmont	2,130	2,437	2,782	3,094	3,132	2,877	2,882	2,948	3,189	3,228	51.5%	1.2%
Spartanburg CC	2,009	2,054	2,201	2,613	2,781	2,827	3,109	2,925	3,076	3,191	58.8%	3.7%
TC of the Lowcountry	895	937	909	1,017	1,117	1,066	1,033	1,128	1,156	1,267	41.6%	9.6%
Tri-County	2,363	2,346	2,429	2,766	3,048	3,175	3,147	3,293	3,580	4,086	72.9%	14.1%
Trident	5,797	5,968	6,086	7,054	7,436	7,427	7,112	7,300	7,559	7,992	37.9%	5.7%
Williamsburg	373	384	321	321	370	342	362	363	354	397	6.4%	12.1%
York	2,185	2,203	2,273	2,526	2,688	2,593	2,731	2,763	3,040	3,245	48.5%	6.7%
Subtotal	38,191	39,035	41,151	45,596	48,302	48,672	48,572	48,755	50,932	54,033	41.5%	6.1%
Total FTE All Public Institutions												
	114,541	115,748	118,801	126,682	131,208	133,378	135,442	136,657	140,821	146,505	27.9%	4.0%

¹ FTE includes medicine and dentistry headcount.

² These numbers exclude continuing education hours.

Note: Detail may not add to totals due to rounding.

***Full-Time Equivalent (FTE) Student Enrollment** – Calculated as fifteen (15) credit hours per semester for an undergraduate student, twelve (12) credit hours per semester for a graduate level 1 (master's) student, and nine (9) credit hours per semester for graduate level 2 (doctoral) students. First professional pharmacy hours are fifteen (15) credit hours per semester and first professional law are fourteen (14) credit hours per semester. Medicine and Dentistry use headcount rather than credit hours.

Ten-Year Analysis
Full-Time Equivalent (FTE) Enrollment* By Level

	Fall 1999	Fall 2000	Fall 2001	Fall 2002	Fall 2003	Fall 2004	Fall 2005	Fall 2006	Fall 2007	Fall 2008	% Change	
											2008 Over 1999	2008 Over 2007
Undergraduate												
Research Institutions												
Clemson	13,326	13,797	13,656	13,409	13,506	13,584	13,734	13,875	14,034	14,674	10.1%	4.6%
USC Columbia	14,213	13,987	14,379	15,464	16,132	16,858	17,640	17,851	18,422	19,463	36.9%	5.7%
Medical University of SC	344	350	363	337	279	310	246	249	235	277	-19.5%	17.9%
Subtotal	27,883	28,134	28,399	29,210	29,917	30,753	31,620	31,975	32,691	34,413	23.4%	5.3%
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions												
The Citadel	2,219	2,275	2,425	2,405	2,467	2,503	2,551	2,579	2,595	2,632	18.6%	1.4%
Coastal Carolina	3,919	4,027	4,428	4,796	5,390	5,807	6,140	6,398	6,890	7,372	88.1%	7.0%
College of Charleston	8,904	8,992	9,184	9,398	9,267	9,328	9,358	9,273	9,361	9,222	3.6%	-1.5%
Francis Marion	2,629	2,551	2,605	2,777	2,888	2,959	3,136	3,139	3,163	3,171	20.6%	0.3%
Lander	2,123	2,078	2,160	2,320	2,363	2,467	2,403	2,380	2,155	2,343	10.4%	8.7%
SC State	3,794	3,501	3,397	3,440	3,499	3,637	3,846	3,780	4,268	3,952	4.2%	-7.4%
USC Aiken	2,470	2,550	2,526	2,627	2,695	2,714	2,587	2,697	2,668	2,679	8.5%	0.4%
USC Beaufort	621	664	650	680	723	831	916	997	1,101	1,193	92.1%	8.4%
USC Upstate	2,866	2,984	3,297	3,677	3,823	3,766	3,968	4,186	4,434	4,526	57.9%	2.1%
Winthrop	4,211	4,299	4,474	4,739	4,886	4,928	4,905	4,892	4,748	4,795	13.9%	1.0%
Subtotal	33,756	33,921	35,145	36,859	38,000	38,940	39,808	40,323	41,385	41,885	24.1%	1.2%
Regional Campuses of USC												
USC Lancaster	573	546	614	622	614	690	748	824	1,003	1,085	89.4%	8.2%
USC Salkehatchie	486	444	445	442	459	400	441	529	598	624	28.4%	4.3%
USC Sumter	777	781	766	761	753	726	724	742	859	870	12.0%	1.3%
USC Union	193	176	199	194	179	245	220	245	266	249	29.0%	-6.4%
Subtotal	2,029	1,947	2,024	2,018	2,006	2,060	2,134	2,340	2,724	2,827	39.3%	3.8%
Technical Colleges¹												
Aiken	1,459	1,388	1,487	1,585	1,619	1,634	1,576	1,568	1,672	1,816	24.5%	8.6%
Central Carolina	1,240	1,494	1,650	1,890	1,803	1,829	1,770	1,658	1,870	1,836	48.1%	-1.8%
Denmark	879	995	1,065	1,233	1,232	1,095	1,170	1,144	1,084	1,240	41.1%	14.4%
Florence - Darlington	2,499	2,542	2,471	2,683	2,727	2,836	2,891	2,687	2,710	3,078	23.2%	13.6%
Greenville	6,023	6,126	6,712	7,058	7,534	8,284	8,040	8,349	8,809	9,160	52.1%	4.0%
Horry - Georgetown	2,385	2,306	2,594	2,930	3,366	3,334	3,502	3,435	3,608	3,807	59.6%	5.5%
Midlands	6,114	5,979	6,157	6,527	6,922	6,846	6,816	6,930	6,965	7,272	18.9%	4.4%
Northeastern	607	581	598	672	748	726	703	636	623	632	4.1%	1.4%
Orangeburg - Calhoun	1,233	1,295	1,416	1,627	1,780	1,782	1,729	1,627	1,636	1,788	45.0%	9.3%
Piedmont	2,130	2,437	2,782	3,094	3,132	2,877	2,882	2,948	3,189	3,228	51.5%	1.2%
Spartanburg CC	2,009	2,054	2,201	2,613	2,781	2,827	3,109	2,925	3,076	3,191	58.8%	3.7%
TC of the Lowcountry	895	937	909	1,017	1,117	1,066	1,033	1,128	1,156	1,267	41.6%	9.6%
Tri-County	2,363	2,346	2,429	2,766	3,048	3,175	3,147	3,293	3,580	4,086	72.9%	14.1%
Trident	5,797	5,968	6,086	7,054	7,436	7,427	7,112	7,300	7,559	7,992	37.9%	5.7%
Williamsburg	373	384	321	321	370	342	362	363	354	397	6.4%	12.1%
York	2,185	2,203	2,273	2,526	2,688	2,593	2,731	2,763	3,040	3,245	48.5%	6.7%
Subtotal	38,191	39,035	41,151	45,596	48,302	48,672	48,572	48,755	50,932	54,033	41.5%	6.1%
Undergraduate Total	101,859	103,037	106,719	113,683	118,225	120,426	122,134	123,393	127,733	133,158	30.7%	4.2%

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¹ These numbers exclude continuing education (from page 16). Note: Detail may not add due to rounding.

Ten-Year Analysis
Full-Time Equivalent (FTE) Enrollment* By Level (continued)

	Fall 1999	Fall 2000	Fall 2001	Fall 2002	Fall 2003	Fall 2004	Fall 2005	Fall 2006	Fall 2007	Fall 2008	% Change	
											2008 Over 1999	2008 Over 2007
Graduate I (Master's)												
Research Institutions												
Clemson	1,652	1,600	1,464	1,476	1,499	1,488	1,400	1,305	1,084	1,453	-12.0%	34.0%
USC Columbia	3,317	3,473	3,065	3,512	3,239	3,186	3,469	3,330	3,141	2,923	-11.9%	-6.9%
Medical University of SC	718	670	671	627	688	810	858	811	708	731	1.8%	3.2%
Subtotal	5,687	5,743	5,200	5,615	5,427	5,484	5,727	5,446	4,933	5,107	-10.2%	3.5%
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions												
The Citadel	680	645	664	690	594	489	481	457	468	475	-30.1%	1.5%
Coastal Carolina	72	75	59	299	405	334	436	546	288	238	230.6%	-17.4%
College of Charleston	576	458	548	549	593	614	526	529	542	583	1.2%	7.6%
Francis Marion	277	245	229	185	175	167	185	202	155	187	-32.5%	20.6%
Lander	120	133	66	102	92	57	23	20	22	34	-71.7%	54.5%
SC State	343	478	396	439	396	302	266	284	321	370	7.9%	15.3%
USC Aiken	45	46	43	48	42	48	61	51	43	51	13.3%	18.6%
USC Beaufort ¹												
USC Upstate	81	27	23	26	29	28	24	12	17	20	-75.3%	17.6%
Winthrop	469	559	542	548	568	531	533	524	612	568	21.1%	-7.2%
Subtotal	2,663	2,666	2,570	2,886	2,894	2,569	2,535	2,625	2,467	2,526	-5.1%	2.4%
Master's Total	8,350	8,409	7,770	8,502	8,321	8,053	8,262	8,071	7,401	7,633	-8.6%	3.1%

	Fall 1999	Fall 2000	Fall 2001	Fall 2002	Fall 2003	Fall 2004	Fall 2005	Fall 2006	Fall 2007	Fall 2008	% Change	
											2008 Over 1999	2008 Over 2007
First Professional												
USC Columbia ²												
Law	732	702	740	757	770	781	766	739	704	708	-3.3%	0.6%
Medicine	295	290	288	292	297	306	319	312	315	318	7.8%	1.0%
Pharm-D	103	99	97	99	127	123	127	321	392	377	266.0%	-3.8%
USC Subtotal	1,130	1,091	1,125	1,148	1,194	1,210	1,212	1,372	1,411	1,404	24.2%	-0.5%
Medical University of SC ²												
Dentistry	212	214	208	214	216	217	220	224	222	225	6.1%	1.4%
Medicine	580	580	575	585	604	594	598	609	620	642	10.7%	3.5%
Pharm-D	215	263	253	276	313	349	373	340	380	348	61.9%	-8.4%
MUSC Subtotal	1,007	1,057	1,036	1,075	1,133	1,160	1,191	1,173	1,222	1,215	20.7%	-0.6%
First Professional Total	2,137	2,148	2,161	2,223	2,326	2,370	2,403	2,545	2,633	2,619	22.6%	-0.5%

	Fall 1999	Fall 2000	Fall 2001	Fall 2002	Fall 2003	Fall 2004	Fall 2005	Fall 2006	Fall 2007	Fall 2008	% Change	
											2008 Over 1999	2008 Over 2007
Graduate II (Doctoral)												
Clemson	707	656	680	735	775	876	909	1,046	1,132	1,240	75.4%	9.5%
USC Columbia	1,192	1,173	1,122	1,199	1,217	1,302	1,244	1,214	1,216	1,199	0.6%	-1.4%
Medical University of SC	277	302	296	295	289	312	438	544	651	533	92.4%	-18.1%
SC State	19	23	52	45	54	38	52	40	56	35	84.2%	-37.5%
Doctoral Total	2,195	2,154	2,151	2,274	2,336	2,528	2,643	2,844	3,054	3,006	36.9%	-1.6%

Total for Senior Public Inst.- All Levels	114,541	115,748	118,801	126,681	131,208	133,378	135,442	136,853	140,821	146,416	27.8%	4.0%
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¹ Master's programs not currently offered.

² FTE includes medicine and dentistry headcount.

Note: Detail may not add to totals due to rounding.

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Ten-Year Analysis
Total Headcount* Enrollment
Public Colleges and Universities

	Fall 1999	Fall 2000	Fall 2001	Fall 2002	Fall 2003	Fall 2004	Fall 2005	Fall 2006	Fall 2007	Fall 2008	% Change	
											2008 Over 1999	2008 Over 2007
Research Institutions												
Clemson	16,982	17,465	17,101	16,876	17,016	17,110	17,165	17,309	17,585	18,317	7.9%	4.2%
USC Columbia	23,430	23,728	23,000	25,140	25,288	25,596	27,065	27,390	27,272	27,488	17.3%	0.8%
Medical University of SC	2,383	2,346	2,297	2,260	2,303	2,433	2,499	2,498	2,537	2,528	6.1%	-0.4%
Subtotal	42,795	43,539	42,398	44,276	44,607	45,139	46,729	47,197	47,394	48,333	12.9%	2.0%
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions												
The Citadel	3,968	3,872	4,001	4,058	3,695	3,351	3,386	3,306	3,300	3,328	-16.1%	0.8%
Coastal Carolina	4,615	4,653	4,965	5,980	6,780	7,021	7,613	8,049	7,872	8,154	76.7%	3.6%
College of Charleston	11,624	11,129	11,617	11,716	11,536	11,607	11,332	11,218	11,316	11,367	-2.2%	0.5%
Francis Marion	3,814	3,567	3,513	3,494	3,590	3,698	4,008	4,075	3,864	4,020	5.4%	4.0%
Lander	2,883	2,935	2,710	2,947	2,950	2,918	2,703	2,682	2,408	2,614	-9.3%	8.6%
SC State	4,623	4,525	4,467	4,568	4,466	4,294	4,446	4,384	4,933	4,888	5.7%	-0.9%
USC Aiken	3,173	3,278	3,282	3,416	3,350	3,382	3,303	3,380	3,267	3,232	1.9%	-1.1%
USC Beaufort	1,132	1,175	1,083	1,203	1,209	1,277	1,319	1,386	1,461	1,502	32.7%	2.8%
USC Upstate	3,778	3,709	3,993	4,362	4,507	4,370	4,484	4,608	4,916	5,063	34.0%	3.0%
Winthrop	5,839	6,061	6,306	6,462	6,558	6,447	6,480	6,292	6,382	6,249	7.0%	-2.1%
Subtotal	45,449	44,904	45,937	48,206	48,641	48,365	49,074	49,380	49,719	50,417	10.9%	1.4%
Regional Campuses of USC												
USC Lancaster	1,010	837	939	943	935	1,059	1,084	1,195	1,502	1,666	65.0%	10.9%
USC Salkehatchie	893	785	830	747	789	747	733	883	909	965	8.1%	6.2%
USC Sumter	1,292	1,173	1,184	1,149	1,184	1,042	1,020	1,088	1,174	1,235	-4.4%	5.2%
USC Union	392	363	382	347	313	406	321	363	398	367	-6.4%	-7.8%
Subtotal	3,587	3,158	3,335	3,186	3,221	3,254	3,158	3,529	3,983	4,233	18.0%	6.3%
Technical Colleges												
Aiken	2,339	2,268	2,353	2,455	2,503	2,476	2,506	2,442	2,529	2,704	15.6%	6.9%
Central Carolina	2,154	2,546	2,962	3,265	3,191	3,259	3,244	2,931	3,283	3,206	48.8%	-2.3%
Denmark	1,212	1,240	1,401	1,404	1,464	1,423	1,408	1,377	1,571	2,277	87.9%	44.9%
Florence - Darlington	3,643	3,814	3,632	4,041	4,009	4,241	4,241	3,957	3,956	4,505	23.7%	13.9%
Greenville	10,010	10,786	11,544	12,043	12,516	13,498	13,357	13,893	14,300	14,414	44.0%	0.8%
Horry - Georgetown	3,645	3,693	4,106	4,562	5,172	5,029	5,362	5,433	5,800	6,187	69.7%	6.7%
Midlands	9,809	9,702	9,874	10,347	10,925	10,710	10,779	10,849	10,706	11,234	14.5%	4.9%
Northeastern	1,052	982	967	994	1,098	1,114	1,043	964	976	1,010	-4.0%	3.5%
Orangeburg - Calhoun	1,770	1,861	2,020	2,279	2,491	2,488	2,448	2,377	2,399	2,737	54.6%	14.1%
Piedmont	3,534	4,104	4,544	4,911	5,031	4,592	4,449	4,592	4,880	4,959	40.3%	1.6%
Spartanburg CC	2,991	3,030	3,366	3,871	4,123	4,095	4,409	4,278	4,459	4,701	57.2%	5.4%
TC of the Lowcountry	1,804	1,776	1,745	1,766	1,796	1,683	1,689	1,814	1,893	2,105	16.7%	11.2%
Tri - County	3,654	3,612	3,773	4,125	4,548	4,709	4,645	4,753	5,223	5,730	56.8%	9.7%
Trident	9,882	10,246	10,461	11,251	11,791	11,795	11,407	11,808	12,076	12,763	29.2%	5.7%
Williamsburg	643	661	543	517	595	579	585	578	601	640	-0.5%	6.5%
York	3,523	3,597	3,700	4,064	4,171	3,937	4,153	4,263	4,731	5,098	44.7%	7.8%
Subtotal	61,665	63,918	66,991	71,895	75,424	75,628	75,725	76,309	79,383	84,270	36.7%	6.2%
Public Institution Total	153,496	155,519	158,661	167,563	171,893	172,386	174,686	176,415	180,479	187,253	22.0%	3.8%

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Total Headcount* Enrollment (continued)

Independent Colleges and Universities

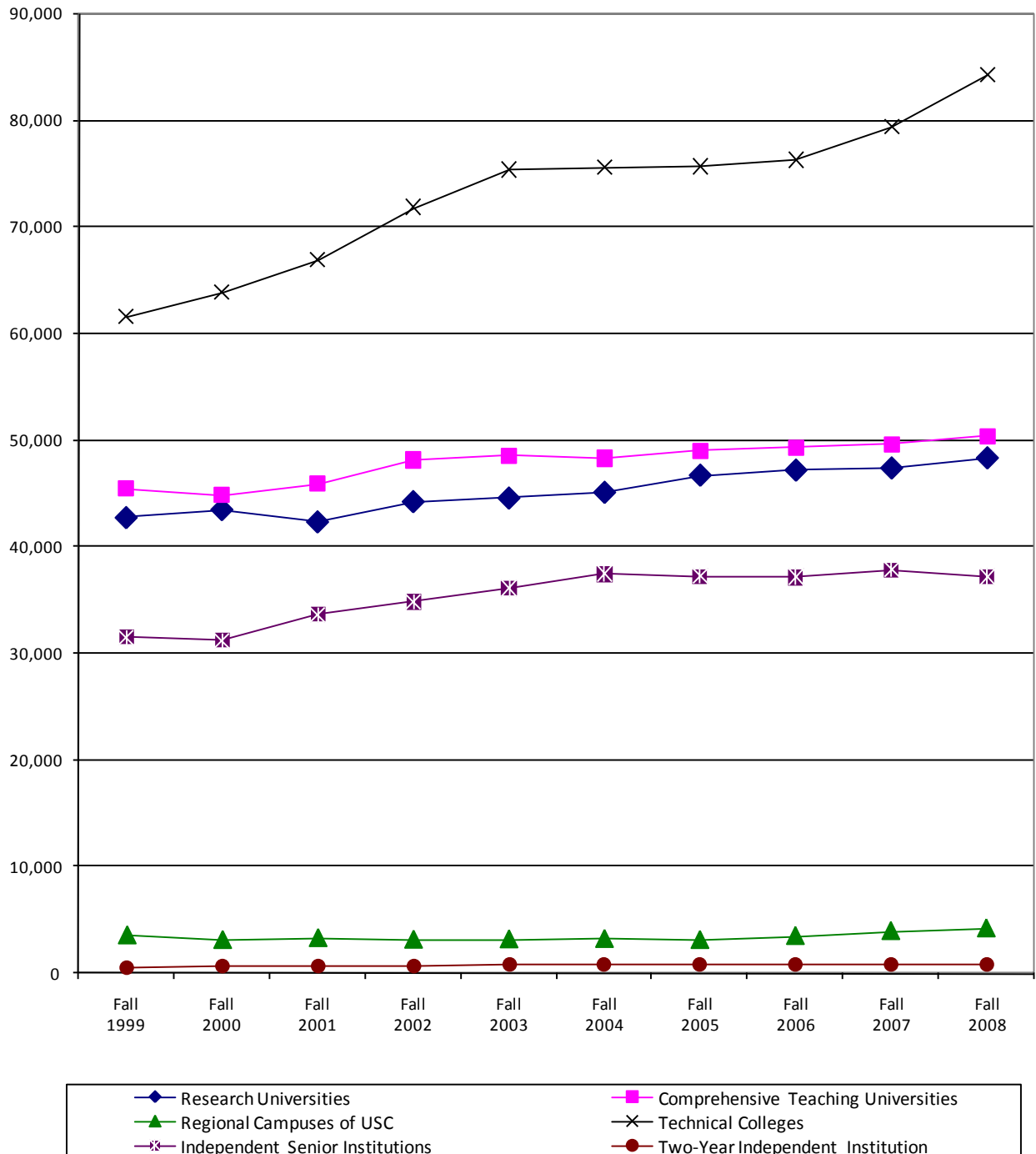
	Fall 1999	Fall 2000	Fall 2001	Fall 2002	Fall 2003	Fall 2004	Fall 2005	Fall 2006	Fall 2007	Fall 2008	% Change	
											2008 Over 1999	2008 Over 2007
Independent Senior Institutions												
Allen University	328	328	592	506	565	567	624	530	651	727	121.6%	11.7%
Anderson University	1,216	1,398	1,450	1,639	1,664	1,666	1,644	1,707	1,902	2,064	69.7%	8.5%
Benedict College	2,750	2,750	2,938	3,005	2,850	2,769	2,552	2,531	2,641	2,883	4.8%	9.2%
Bob Jones University	3,940	3,706	4,150	4,102	4,083	4,183	4,200	4,167	4,228	4,141	5.1%	-2.1%
Charleston Southern University	2,594	2,603	2,682	2,849	2,990	2,875	3,022	3,224	3,286	3,200	23.4%	-2.6%
Clafin University	1,120	1,130	1,460	1,573	1,627	1,807	1,728	1,758	1,763	1,773	58.3%	0.6%
Coker College	975	1,002	1,089	1,127	1,101	1,151	1,102	1,132	1,197	1,099	12.7%	-8.2%
Columbia College	1,367	1,399	1,476	1,474	1,515	1,453	1,493	1,446	1,510	1,445	5.7%	-4.3%
Columbia Int.'l University	1,000	1,054	1,040	1,021	964	1,016	1,013	955	911	923	-7.7%	1.3%
Converse College	1,514	1,412	1,437	1,577	1,663	2,241	2,171	1,981	1,881	2,068	36.6%	9.9%
Erskine College	887	858	948	948	904	962	890	924	892	864	-2.6%	-3.1%
Furman University	3,452	3,272	3,252	3,208	3,320	3,359	3,221	3,007	2,951	2,977	-13.8%	0.9%
Limestone College	2,009	1,967	2,067	2,448	2,753	3,024	3,218	3,264	3,396	3,255	62.0%	-4.2%
Lutheran Theological Seminary	160	152	151	**	192	192	180	171	153	146	-8.8%	-4.6%
Morris College	907	940	986	1,049	1,007	897	863	824	871	921	1.5%	5.7%
Newberry College	750	724	721	748	746	778	841	851	918	973	29.7%	6.0%
North Greenville University	1,220	1,279	1,378	1,486	1,615	1,765	1,844	1,891	1,993	2,160	77.0%	8.4%
Presbyterian College	1,119	1,148	1,184	1,217	1,177	1,187	1,196	1,224	1,180	1,177	5.2%	-0.3%
Sherman Coll. Of Straight Chiro.	407	352	329	376	480	431	377	328	289	240	-41.0%	-17.0%
South University	223	177	234	312	361	361	491	670	801	1,038	365.5%	29.6%
Southern Methodist College	35	48	92	92	89	74	62	44	26	24	-31.4%	-7.7%
Southern Wesleyan University	1,527	1,803	2,166	2,301	2,430	2,632	2,632	2,557	2,445	2,391	56.6%	-2.2%
Voorhees College	931	677	756	731	876	902	709	710	587	568	-39.0%	-3.2%
Wofford College	1,103	1,087	1,106	1,084	1,157	1,177	1,197	1,273	1,363	1,429	29.6%	4.8%
Subtotal	31,534	31,266	33,684	34,873	36,129	37,469	37,270	37,169	37,835	38,486	22.0%	1.7%
Two-year Independent Colleges												
Spartanburg Methodist College	503	583	635	630	737	787	745	779	797	750	49.1%	-5.9%
Subtotal	503	583	635	630	737	787	745	779	797	750	49.1%	-5.9%
Independent Institutions Total	32,037	31,849	34,319	35,503	36,866	38,256	38,015	37,948	38,632	39,236	22.5%	1.6%
and Total All Public and Independent	185,533	187,368	192,980	203,066	208,759	210,642	212,701	214,363	219,111	226,489	22.1%	3.4%

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Matriculation date is defined as the date when a student can drop a course without penalty at the reporting institution.

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Ten-Year Analysis S.C. Public and Independent Colleges and Universities Total Headcount Enrollment by Sector



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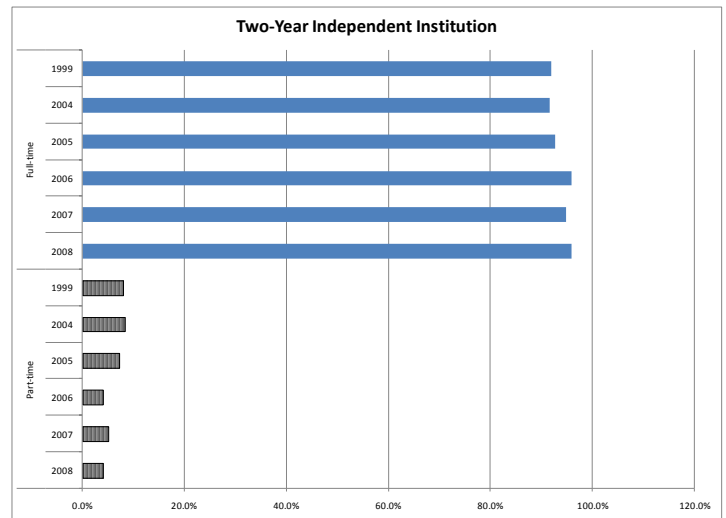
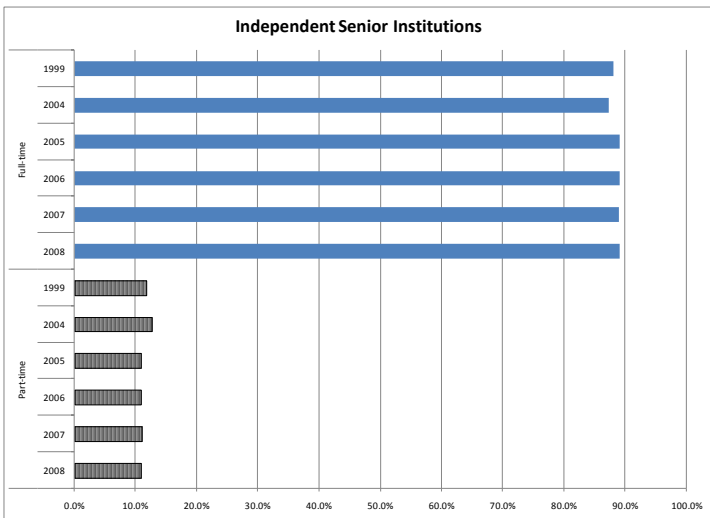
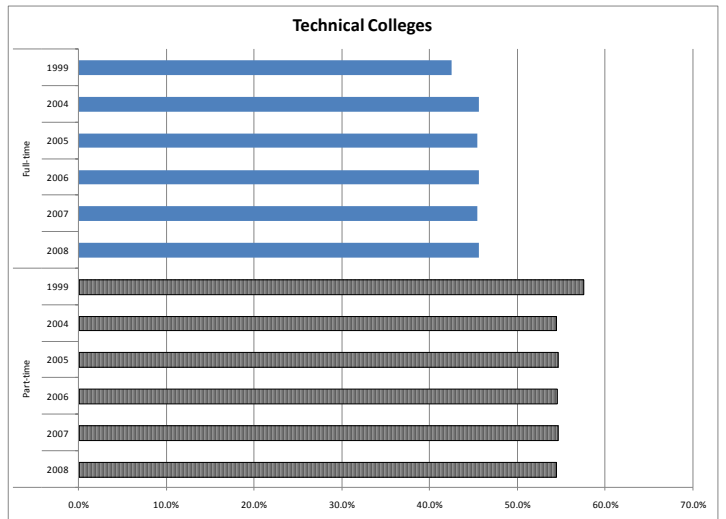
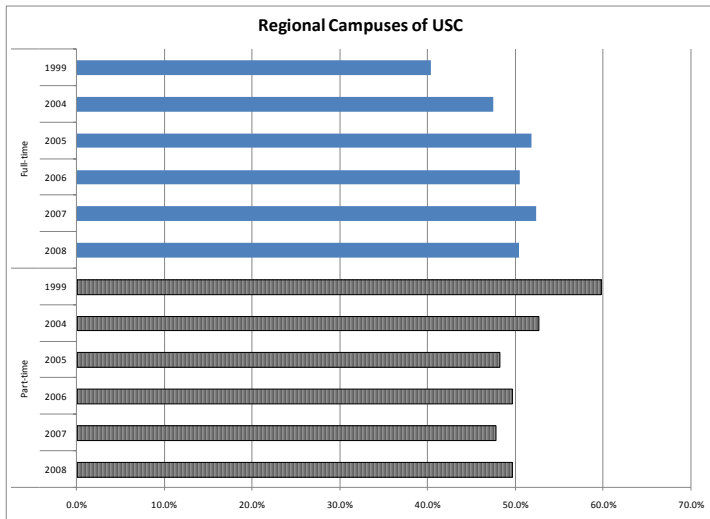
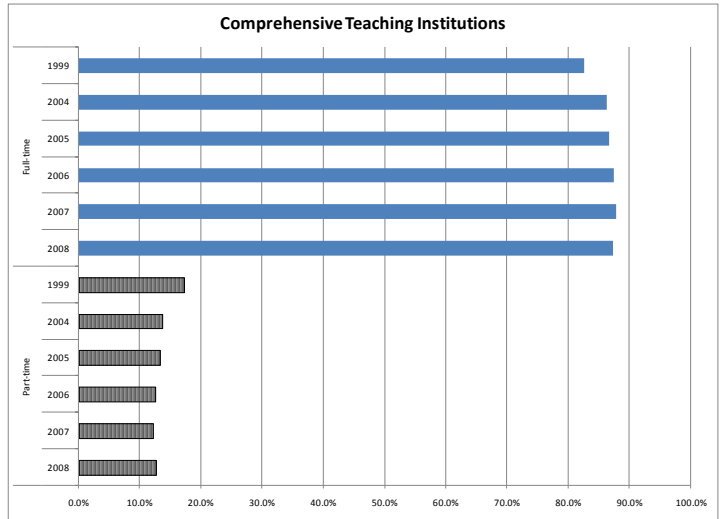
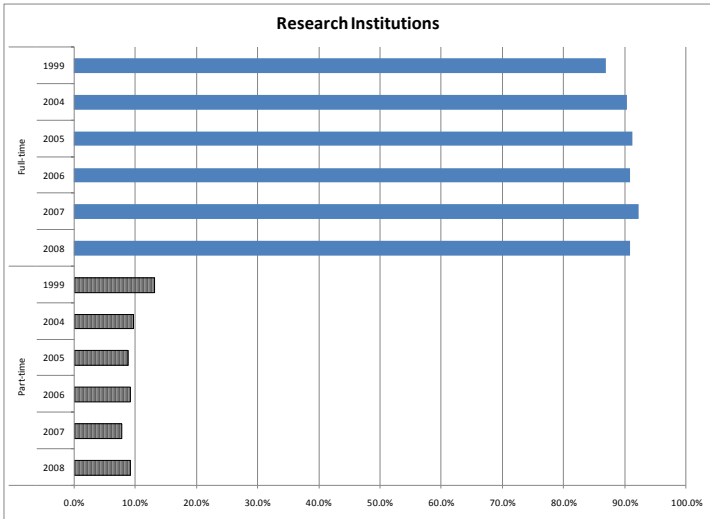
**Fall 2008 Opening Headcount Enrollment
By Student Level and Geographic Origin & Enrollment Status
Undergraduate**

	Total Students	Geo - Origin SC	Geo - Origin Non - SC	Full- Time	Part- Time	Percent Non-SC	Percent Full-time
Research Institutions							
Clemson	14,713	10,007	4,706	13,780	933	32.0%	93.7%
USC Columbia	19,765	13,693	6,072	18,289	1,476	30.7%	92.5%
Medical University of S.C.	316	272	44	248	68	13.9%	78.5%
Subtotal	34,794	23,972	10,822	32,317	2,477	31.1%	92.9%
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions							
The Citadel	2,288	1,036	1,252	2,172	116	54.7%	94.9%
Coastal Carolina	7,573	3,905	3,668	6,883	690	48.4%	90.9%
College of Charleston	9,784	5,955	3,829	8,988	796	39.1%	91.9%
Francis Marion	3,469	3,283	186	3,093	376	5.4%	89.2%
Lander	2,555	2,367	188	2,277	278	7.4%	89.1%
SC State	4,153	3,454	699	3,703	450	16.8%	89.2%
USC Aiken	3,078	2,746	332	2,389	689	10.8%	77.6%
USC Beaufort	1,502	1,163	339	999	503	22.6%	66.5%
USC Upstate	4,999	4,687	312	4,149	850	6.2%	83.0%
Winthrop	5,068	4,353	715	4,490	578	14.1%	88.6%
Subtotal	44,469	32,949	11,520	39,143	5,326	25.9%	88.0%
Regional Campuses of USC							
USC Lancaster	1,666	1,634	32	796	870	1.9%	47.8%
USC Salkehatchie	965	929	36	521	444	3.7%	54.0%
USC Sumter	1,235	1,207	28	670	565	2.3%	54.3%
USC Union	367	367	0	181	186	0.0%	49.3%
Subtotal	4,233	4,137	96	2,168	2,065	2.3%	51.2%
Technical Colleges							
Aiken	2,704	2,349	355	1,357	1,347	13.1%	50.2%
Central Carolina	3,206	3,203	3	1,046	2,160	0.1%	32.6%
Denmark	2,277	2,175	102	960	1,317	4.5%	42.2%
Florence-Darlington	4,505	4,429	76	2,446	2,059	1.7%	54.3%
Greenville	14,414	13,960	454	6,271	8,143	3.1%	43.5%
Horry-Georgetown	6,187	4,837	1,350	2,330	3,857	21.8%	37.7%
Midlands	11,234	10,802	432	5,168	6,066	3.8%	46.0%
Northeastern	1,010	1,005	5	441	569	0.5%	43.7%
Orangeburg-Calhoun	2,737	2,698	39	1,292	1,445	1.4%	47.2%
Piedmont	4,959	4,927	32	2,179	2,780	0.6%	43.9%
Spartanburg CC	4,701	4,591	110	2,503	2,198	2.3%	53.2%
TC of the Lowcountry	2,105	2,041	64	684	1,421	3.0%	32.5%
Tri-County	5,730	5,154	576	3,316	2,414	10.1%	57.9%
Trident	12,763	12,559	204	5,544	7,219	1.6%	43.4%
Williamsburg	640	640	0	271	369	0.0%	42.3%
York	5,098	4,937	161	2,374	2,724	3.2%	46.6%
Subtotal	84,270	80,307	3,963	38,182	46,088	4.7%	45.3%
Total Public Undergraduate	167,766	141,365	26,401	111,810	55,956	15.7%	66.6%

**Fall 2008 Opening Headcount Enrollment
By Student Level and Geographic Origin & Enrollment Status
Undergraduate (continued)**

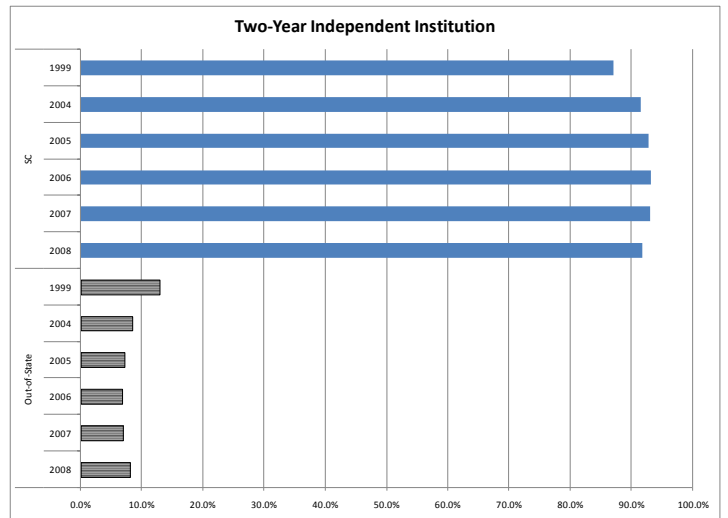
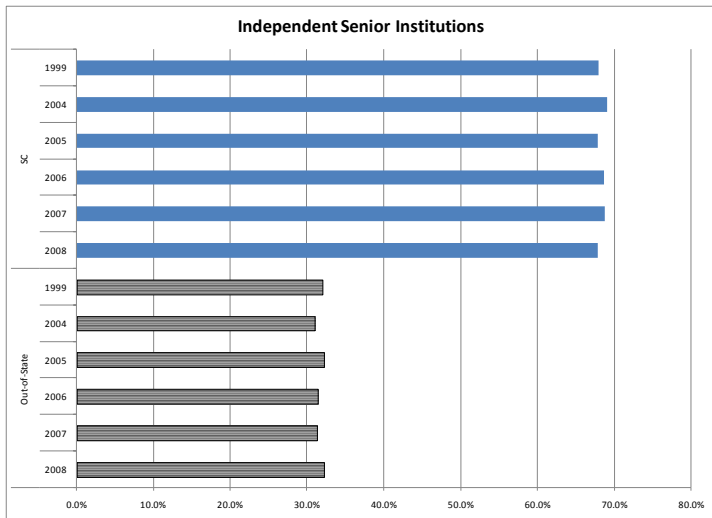
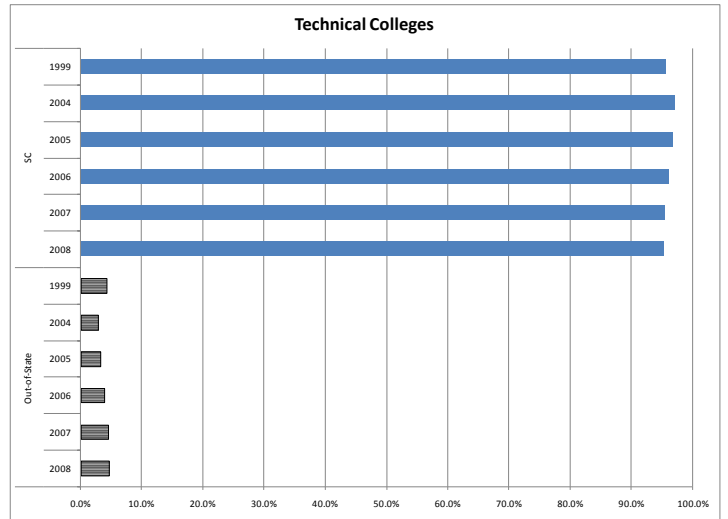
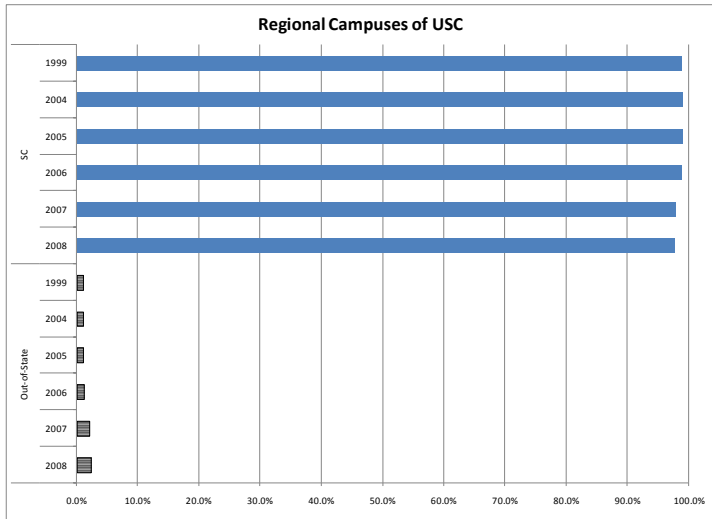
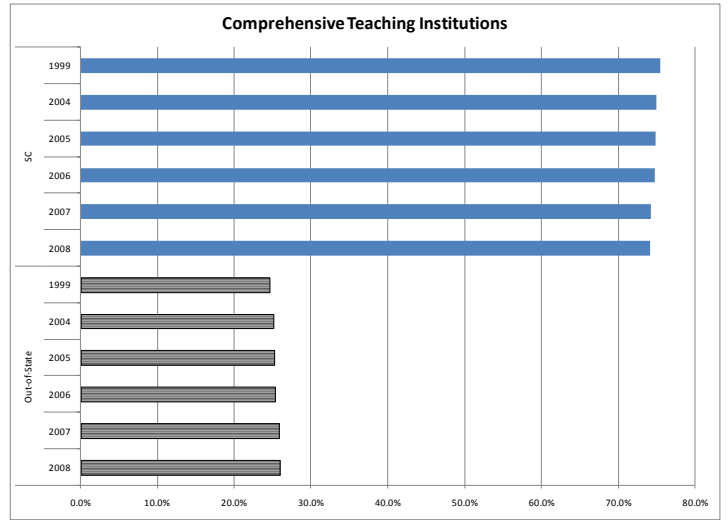
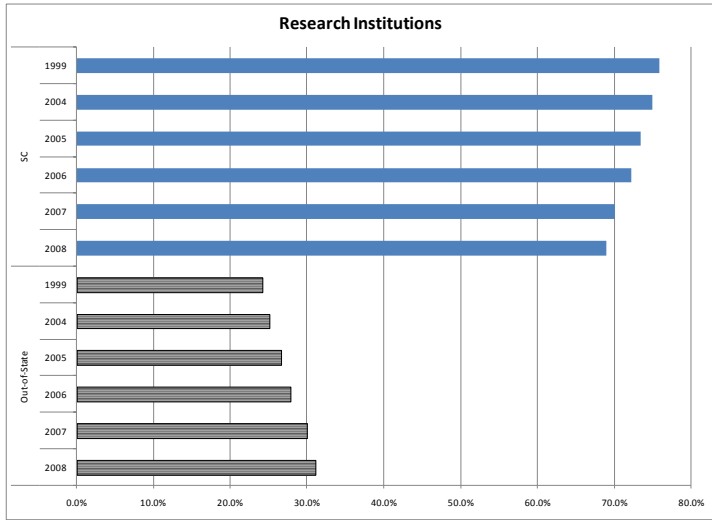
	Total Students	Geo - Origin SC	Geo - Origin Non - SC	Full- Time	Part- Time	Percent Non-SC	Percent Full-time
Independent Senior Insitutions							
Allen University	727	559	168	717	10	23.1%	98.6%
Anderson University	1,974	1,714	260	1,506	468	13.2%	76.3%
Benedict College	2,883	1,590	1,293	2,814	69	44.8%	97.6%
Bob Jones University	3,634	1,129	2,505	3,519	115	68.9%	96.8%
Charleston Southern University	2,762	2,322	440	2,348	414	15.9%	85.0%
Claflin University	1,690	1,369	321	1,620	70	19.0%	95.9%
Coker College	1,099	977	122	966	133	11.1%	87.9%
Columbia College	1,232	1,132	100	962	270	8.1%	78.1%
Columbia International Univ.	480	213	267	440	40	55.6%	91.7%
Converse College	735	550	185	639	96	25.2%	86.9%
Erskine College	566	418	148	560	6	26.1%	98.9%
Furman University	2,801	922	1,879	2,678	123	67.1%	95.6%
Limestone College	3,255	2,763	492	2,208	1,047	15.1%	67.8%
Morris College	921	790	131	892	29	14.2%	96.9%
Newberry College	973	772	201	950	23	20.7%	97.6%
North Greenville University	2,062	1,571	491	1,810	252	23.8%	87.8%
Presbyterian College	1,177	757	420	1,131	46	35.7%	96.1%
South University	774	769	5	506	268	0.6%	65.4%
Southern Methodist College	24	22	2	12	12	8.3%	50.0%
Southern Wesleyan University	1,616	1,301	315	1,604	12	19.5%	99.3%
Voorhees College	568	404	164	548	20	28.9%	96.5%
Wofford College	1,429	844	585	1,404	25	40.9%	98.3%
Subtotal	33,382	22,888	10,494	29,834	3,548	31.4%	89.4%
Two-Year Independent Institutions							
Spartanburg Methodist College	750	689	61	716	34	8.1%	95.5%
Subtotal	750	689	61	716	34	8.1%	95.5%
Total Independent Undergraduate	34,132	23,577	10,555	30,550	3,582	30.9%	89.5%
Public & Independent Undergraduate Grand Total							
	201,898	164,942	36,956	142,360	59,538	18.3%	70.5%

Percent Full-time and Part-time (Includes In-state and Out-of-state) Fall Undergraduates 1999-2008



See previous two pages and previous years Abstracts for details of the graphical information.

Percent In-state and Out-of-state (Includes Full-time and Part-time) Fall Undergraduates 1999-2008



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**Fall 2008 Opening Headcount Enrollment
By Student Level and Geographic Origin & Enrollment Status
Graduates and First Professionals**

	Total Students	Geo - Origin SC	Geo - Origin Non - SC	Full- Time	Part- Time	Percent Non-SC	Percent Full-time
Research Institutions							
Clemson	3,604	1,777	1,827	2,288	1,316	50.7%	63.5%
USC Columbia	7,723	5,029	2,694	4,825	2,898	34.9%	62.5%
Medical University of S.C.	2,212	1,669	543	2,013	199	24.5%	91.0%
Subtotal	13,539	8,475	5,064	9,126	4,413	37.4%	67.4%
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions							
The Citadel	1,040	948	92	183	857	8.8%	17.6%
Coastal Carolina	581	499	82	104	477	14.1%	17.9%
College of Charleston	1,583	1,378	205	293	1,290	13.0%	18.5%
Francis Marion	551	531	20	48	503	3.6%	8.7%
Lander	59	55	4	17	42	6.8%	28.8%
SC State	735	685	50	291	444	6.8%	39.6%
USC Aiken	154	138	16	16	138	10.4%	10.4%
USC Beaufort ¹							
USC Upstate	64	60	4	3	61	6.3%	4.7%
Winthrop	1,181	804	377	404	777	31.9%	34.2%
Subtotal	5,948	5,098	850	1,359	4,589	14.3%	22.8%
Independent Senior Institutions							
Anderson University	90	89	1	3	87	1.1%	3.3%
Bob Jones University	507	478	29	318	189	5.7%	62.7%
Charleston Southern University	438	392	46	24	414	10.5%	5.5%
Clafin University	83	65	18	61	22	21.7%	73.5%
Columbia College	213	210	3	145	68	1.4%	68.1%
Columbia International Univ.	443	213	230	210	233	51.9%	47.4%
Converse College	1,333	916	417	147	1,186	31.3%	11.0%
Erskine College	298	205	93	104	194	31.2%	34.9%
Furman University	176	156	20	51	125	11.4%	29.0%
Lutheran Theological So. Semin	146	0	146	103	43	100.0%	70.5%
Sherman Coll. of Straight Chiro.	240	57	183	199	41	76.3%	82.9%
South University	264	254	10	182	82	3.8%	68.9%
North Greenville University	98	84	14	0	98	14.3%	0.0%
Southern Wesleyan University	775	723	52	760	15	6.7%	98.1%
Subtotal	5,104	3,842	1,262	2,307	2,797	24.7%	45.2%
Graduates and First Prof. Grand Total	24,591	17,415	7,176	12,792	11,799	29.2%	52.0%

¹ Graduate programs not currently offered.

**Fall 2008 Opening Headcount Enrollment
By Student Level and Geographic Origin & Enrollment Status**

All Students

	Total Students	Geo - Origin SC	Geo - Origin Non - SC	Full- Time	Part- Time	Percent Non-SC	Percent Full-time
Research Institutions							
Clemson	18,317	11,784	6,533	16,068	2,249	35.7%	87.7%
USC Columbia	27,488	18,722	8,766	23,114	4,374	31.9%	84.1%
Medical University of S.C.	2,528	1,941	587	2,261	267	23.2%	89.4%
Subtotal	48,333	32,447	15,886	41,443	6,890	32.9%	85.7%
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions							
The Citadel	3,328	1,984	1,344	2,355	973	40.4%	70.8%
Coastal Carolina	8,154	4,404	3,750	6,987	1,167	46.0%	85.7%
College of Charleston	11,367	7,333	4,034	9,281	2,086	35.5%	81.6%
Francis Marion	4,020	3,814	206	3,141	879	5.1%	78.1%
Lander	2,614	2,422	192	2,294	320	7.3%	87.8%
SC State	4,888	4,139	749	3,994	894	15.3%	81.7%
USC Aiken	3,232	2,884	348	2,405	827	10.8%	74.4%
USC Beaufort	1,502	1,163	339	999	503	22.6%	66.5%
USC Upstate	5,063	4,747	316	4,152	911	6.2%	82.0%
Winthrop	6,249	5,157	1,092	4,894	1,355	17.5%	78.3%
Subtotal	50,417	38,047	12,370	40,502	9,915	24.5%	80.3%
Regional Campuses of USC							
USC Lancaster	1,666	1,634	32	796	870	1.9%	47.8%
USC Salkehatchie	965	929	36	521	444	3.7%	54.0%
USC Sumter	1,235	1,207	28	670	565	2.3%	54.3%
USC Union	367	367	0	181	186	0.0%	49.3%
Subtotal	4,233	4,137	96	2,168	2,065	2.3%	51.2%
Technical Colleges							
Aiken	2,704	2,349	355	1,357	1,347	13.1%	50.2%
Central Carolina	3,206	3,203	3	1,046	2,160	0.1%	32.6%
Denmark	2,277	2,175	102	960	1,317	4.5%	42.2%
Florence-Darlington	4,505	4,429	76	2,446	2,059	1.7%	54.3%
Greenville	14,414	13,960	454	6,271	8,143	3.1%	43.5%
Horry-Georgetown	6,187	4,837	1,350	2,330	3,857	21.8%	37.7%
Midlands	11,234	10,802	432	5,168	6,066	3.8%	46.0%
Northeastern	1,010	1,005	5	441	569	0.5%	43.7%
Orangeburg-Calhoun	2,737	2,698	39	1,292	1,445	1.4%	47.2%
Piedmont	4,959	4,927	32	2,179	2,780	0.6%	43.9%
Spartanburg CC	4,701	4,591	110	2,503	2,198	2.3%	53.2%
TC of the Lowcountry	2,105	2,041	64	684	1,421	3.0%	32.5%
Tri-County	5,730	5,154	576	3,316	2,414	10.1%	57.9%
Trident	12,763	12,559	204	5,544	7,219	1.6%	43.4%
Williamsburg	640	640	0	271	369	0.0%	42.3%
York	5,098	4,937	161	2,374	2,724	3.2%	46.6%
Subtotal	84,270	80,307	3,963	38,182	46,088	4.7%	45.3%
Total Public All Students	187,253	154,938	32,315	122,295	64,958	17.3%	65.3%

**Fall 2008 Opening Headcount Enrollment
By Student Level and Geographic Origin & Enrollment Status**

All Students (continued)

	Total Students	Geo - Origin SC	Geo - Origin Non - SC	Full- Time	Part- Time	Percent Non-SC	Percent Full-time
Independent Senior Institutions							
Allen University	727	559	168	717	10	23.1%	98.6%
Anderson University	2,064	1,803	261	1,509	555	12.6%	73.1%
Benedict College	2,883	1,590	1,293	2,814	69	44.8%	97.6%
Bob Jones University	4,141	1,607	2,534	3,837	304	61.2%	92.7%
Charleston Southern University	3,200	2,714	486	2,372	828	15.2%	74.1%
Claflin University	1,773	1,434	339	1,681	92	19.1%	94.8%
Coker College	1,099	977	122	966	133	11.1%	87.9%
Columbia College	1,445	1,342	103	1,107	338	7.1%	76.6%
Columbia International Univ.	923	426	497	650	273	53.8%	70.4%
Converse College	2,068	1,466	602	786	1,282	29.1%	38.0%
Erskine College	864	623	241	664	200	27.9%	76.9%
Furman University	2,977	1,078	1,899	2,729	248	63.8%	91.7%
Limestone College	3,255	2,763	492	2,208	1,047	15.1%	67.8%
Lutheran Theological So. Semin	146	0	146	103	43	100.0%	70.5%
Morris College	921	790	131	892	29	14.2%	96.9%
Newberry College	973	772	201	950	23	20.7%	97.6%
North Greenville University	2,160	1,655	505	1,810	350	23.4%	83.8%
Presbyterian College	1,177	757	420	1,131	46	35.7%	96.1%
Sherman Coll. of Straight Chiro.	240	57	183	199	41	76.3%	82.9%
South University	1,038	1,023	15	688	350	1.4%	66.3%
Southern Methodist College	24	22	2	12	12	8.3%	50.0%
Southern Wesleyan University	2,391	2,024	367	2,364	27	15.3%	98.9%
Voorhees College	568	404	164	548	20	28.9%	96.5%
Wofford College	1,429	844	585	1,404	25	40.9%	98.3%
Subtotal	38,486	26,730	11,756	32,141	6,345	30.5%	83.5%
Two-Year Independent Institutions							
Spartanburg Methodist College	750	689	61	716	34	8.1%	95.5%
Subtotal	750	689	61	716	34	8.1%	95.5%
Total Independent All Students	39,236	27,419	11,817	32,857	6,379	30.1%	83.7%
Public & Independent All Students Grand Total							
	226,489	182,357	44,132	155,152	71,337	19.5%	68.5%

**Fall 1999 and 2004 through 2008
Opening Headcount Enrollment
First-time Freshmen by State of Origin
SC Public Research and Comprehensive Teaching Institutions**

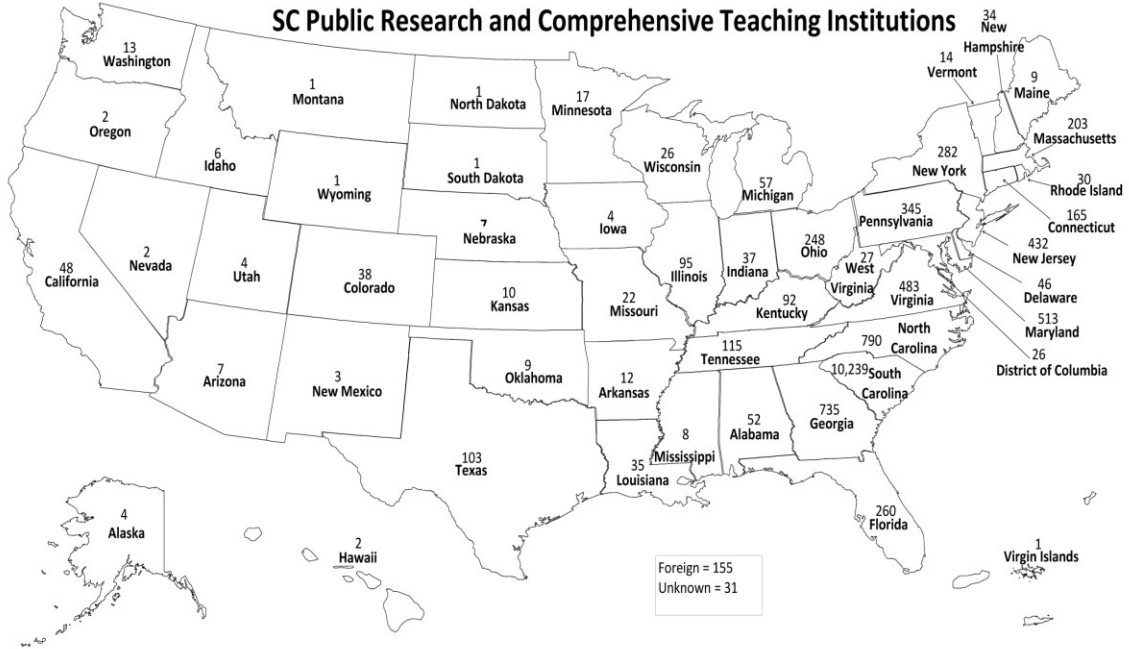
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	1999	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	10 year	1 year
Alabama	37	56	36	47	39	52	15	13
Alaska	1	1	5	3	1	4	3	3
Arizona	5	6	9	6	6	7	2	1
Arkansas	8	1	7	9	4	12	4	8
California	42	47	40	36	43	48	6	5
Colorado	25	30	22	22	22	38	13	16
Connecticut	94	111	152	148	150	165	71	15
Delaware	21	28	32	31	41	46	25	5
District Of Columbia	13	17	20	26	21	26	13	5
Florida	219	176	210	245	215	260	41	45
Georgia	468	590	624	578	708	735	267	27
Hawaii	3	2	2	0	0	2	-1	2
Idaho	1	4	4	0	3	6	5	3
Illinois	54	74	83	69	77	95	41	18
Indiana	46	27	24	35	48	37	-9	-11
Iowa	3	10	10	4	2	4	1	2
Kansas	4	11	5	7	8	10	6	2
Kentucky	87	49	57	52	69	92	5	23
Louisiana	25	37	30	42	35	35	10	0
Maine	13	15	14	14	20	9	-4	-11
Maryland	262	372	433	487	525	513	251	-12
Massachusetts	86	143	148	160	174	203	117	29
Michigan	56	39	56	41	42	57	1	15
Minnesota	20	17	23	15	11	17	-3	6
Mississippi	13	8	8	9	12	8	-5	-4
Missouri	28	27	32	34	34	22	-6	-12
Montana	0	2	0	1	2	1	1	-1
Nebraska	4	4	3	5	6	7	3	1
Nevada	0	2	4	2	2	2	2	0
New Hampshire	18	38	33	48	45	34	16	-11
New Jersey	233	294	343	348	385	432	199	47
New Mexico	2	5	4	7	2	3	1	1
New York	208	229	268	262	258	282	74	24
North Carolina	386	511	543	595	708	790	404	82
North Dakota	1	0	1	0	3	1	0	-2
Ohio	232	221	261	278	231	248	16	17
Oklahoma	8	6	4	8	8	9	1	1
Oregon	3	4	3	3	2	2	-1	0
Pennsylvania	216	271	299	308	313	345	129	32
Rhode Island	17	14	23	26	28	30	13	2
South Carolina	8,892	10,558	10,884	10,657	10,846	10,239	1,347	-607
South Dakota	0	1	1	1	2	1	1	-1
Tennessee	133	182	133	155	128	115	-18	-13
Texas	55	105	102	99	110	103	48	-7
Utah	6	3	0	4	0	4	-2	4
Vermont	11	31	13	18	26	14	3	-12
Virgin Islands	4	1	3	2	2	1	-3	-1
Virginia	370	479	500	475	507	483	113	-24
Washington	5	14	7	12	14	13	8	-1
West Virginia	39	30	27	31	22	27	-12	5
Wisconsin	29	32	22	9	25	26	-3	1
Wyoming	0	4	0	0	2	1	1	-1
Foreign Countries	183	121	142	134	159	155	-28	-4
Unknown	20	25	19	27	22	31	11	9
Total	12,709	15,085	15,728	15,635	16,168	15,902	3,193	-266

**Fall 2008 Opening Headcount Enrollment
First-Time Freshmen by State of Origin
SC Public Research and Comprehensive Teaching Institutions**

State	Clemson	USC Cola.	The Citadel	Coastal Carolina	College of Charleston	Francis Marion	Lander	S.C. State	USC Aiken	USC Beaufort	USC Upstate	Winthrop	Total
Alabama	9	13	8	1	16		2	2	1				52
Alaska	2	1				1							4
Arizona	1	1	3		1							1	7
Arkansas	3	3	1		4					1			12
California	12	6	12		4	1		12				1	48
Colorado	8	10	6	3	6	1	1	1					38
Connecticut	18	38	4	45	48		1	4	1	1		5	165
Delaware	16	10	5	11				3			1		46
District Of Columbia	3	1		3	9			9	1				26
Florida	66	42	53	6	37	4	5	13	3	11	6	14	260
Georgia	167	200	38	17	126	1	19	91	23	21	7	25	735
Hawaii	1				1								2
Idaho	4	1				1							6
Illinois	21	19	5	9	13	1		22	1		1	3	95
Indiana	8	8	2	5	7		3			1	1	2	37
Iowa			1	1	1						1		4
Kansas	2	3	2	1	1							1	10
Kentucky	17	34	3	16	17	1		1	1	1	1		92
Louisiana	1	6			26		1	1					35
Maine	2	1		2	3			1					9
Maryland	88	153	21	134	75	2		26	2	2		10	513
Massachusetts	48	41	5	56	43			2	2			6	203
Michigan	8	15	7	7	8			9			1	2	57
Minnesota	7	2	1		5							2	17
Mississippi	3		2		2							1	8
Missouri	5	3	4	3	6					1			22
Montana	1												1
Nebraska	5							1				1	7
Nevada			1	1									2
New Hampshire	8	8		13	3				1			1	34
New Jersey	68	105	19	158	46		1	14	2	7	3	9	432
New Mexico	1	1										1	3
New York	35	59	13	90	58			16	1	2		8	282
North Carolina	181	341	56	40	85	4	7	23	3	1	12	37	790
North Dakota			1										1
Ohio	48	86	12	36	41	3	3	2	2	3	1	11	248
Oklahoma	3	2	2		1						1		9
Oregon			1	1									2
Pennsylvania	48	108	18	93	54	2	1	2	3	3	3	10	345
Rhode Island	1	3	1	12	10				1	1		1	30
South Carolina	1,828	2,219	243	756	1,067	646	497	673	538	229	660	883	10,239
South Dakota		1											1
Tennessee	34	35	10	5	24	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	115
Texas	28	23	14	6	17	1	1	7	1	2	1	2	103
Utah	1		1							1		1	4
Vermont	3	1		4	2					3		1	14
Virgin Islands					1								1
Virginia	96	186	17	97	65	1		8	2	2	3	6	483
Washington	4	2	3	3	1								13
West Virginia	2	6		9	5	1		1			1	2	27
Wisconsin	2	8	3	4	5	1		1		1		1	26
Wyoming				1									1
Foreign Countries		50	10	5	12	8	12		4	7	23	24	155
Unknown	6	4						20		1			31
Total	2,923	3,859	607	1,655	1,956	681	555	966	594	303	728	1,075	15,902

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**Fall 2008 Opening Headcount Enrollment
First-Time Freshmen By State of Origin
SC Public Research and Comprehensive Teaching Institutions**

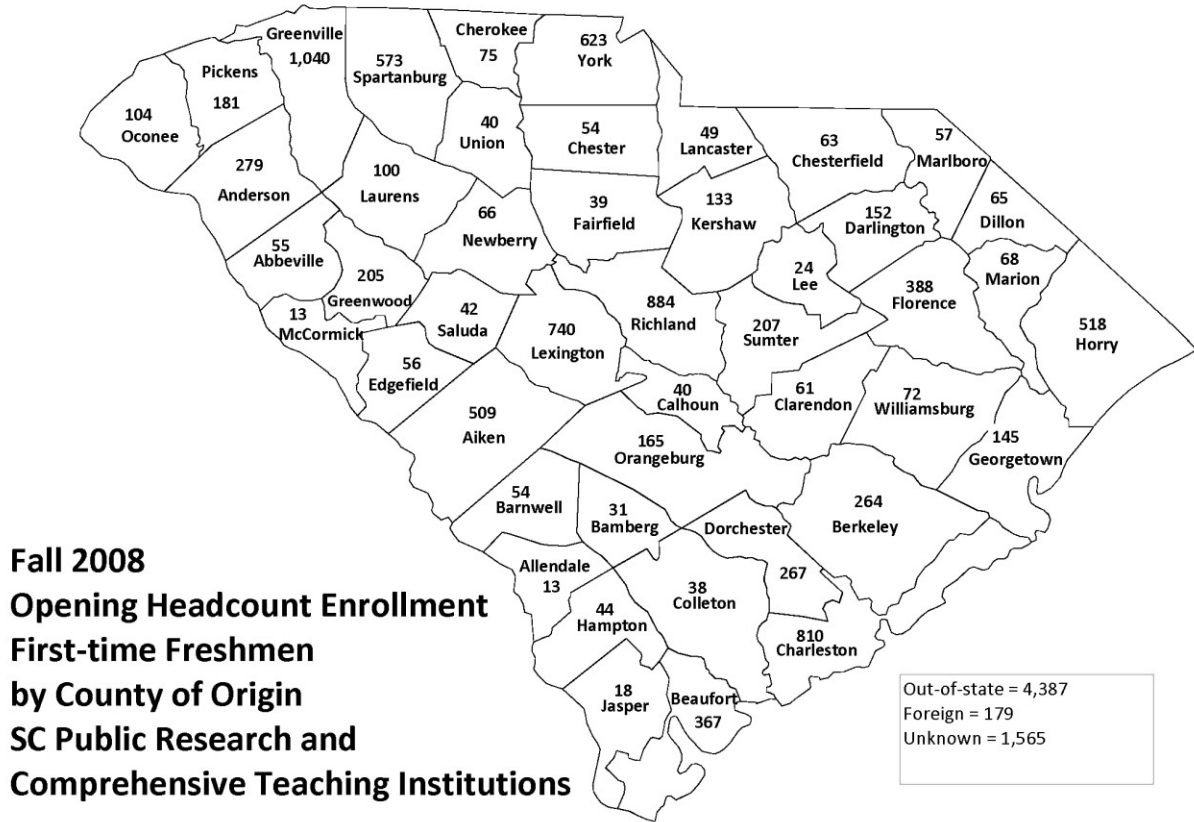


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**Fall 2008 Opening Headcount Enrollment
First-time Freshmen By County of Origin
SC Public Research and Comprehensive Teaching Institutions**

COUNTY	Clemson	USC Columbia	The Citadel	Coastal Carolina	College of Charleston	Francis Marion	Lander	SC State	USC Aiken	USC Beaufort	USC Upstate	USC Winthrop	Grand Total
Abbeville	13	7		4	4		20	2	3			2	55
Aiken	63	108	5	5	37	8	16	5	229	7	4	22	509
Allendale	2	2		2			1	1	1	2	2		13
Anderson	105	50	5	7	27	1	43	2	1		14	24	279
Bamberg	6	1		3			3	7	8	1	1	1	31
Barnwell	4	5	1	3	4	2	1	3	16	8	2	5	54
Beaufort	52	62	4	11	57	8		3	11	131	3	25	367
Berkeley	37	52	16	10	59	27	9	8	7	1	12	26	264
Calhoun	1	4		2	1	2		5		2	3		20
Charleston	165	198	32	33	200	37	7	18	16	38	15	51	810
Cherokee	11	11		2	2		4	3			31	11	75
Chester	6	7	3	2	4	2	8	2	1	1	5	13	54
Chesterfield	12	11	3	4	3	12	7	2	1			8	63
Clarendon	4	12	5	5	6	24	2	2				1	61
Colleton	2	6		1	9	4			6	5	2	3	38
Darlington	28	34	5	8	6	43	6	6	1	1	3	11	152
Dillon	3	5	1	7	5	27		5	2	1		9	65
Dorchester	66	64	13	15	37	9	4	6	12	4	9	28	267
Edgefield	5	10		4	7		6	1	19			4	56
Fairfield	9	4	1	5	1	4	1	1			10	3	39
Florence	46	79	17	23	17	173	5	6	5	1	3	13	388
Georgetown	16	31	3	33	17	17	4	6	2	1		15	145
Greenville	323	257	23	50	102	15	48	8	1	2	148	63	1,040
Greenwood	31	28	5	6	14	2	99	1	2		2	15	205
Hampton	4	7	3	2	1	3		2	12	9	1		44
Horry	43	74	3	242	90	17	4	4	2	3	5	31	518
Jasper	2	1			3	5	1	1		3		2	18
Kershaw	15	44	2	13	18	11	4		7	1	2	16	133
Lancaster	8	6		5	8	4	3				1	14	49
Laurens	6	22	2	4	3	2	35	1	2		7	16	100
Lee	1	1		3	1	7	1	7			2	1	24
Lexington	121	306	20	49	45	14	28	2	76	2	14	63	740
McCormick	2	1					2		2		2	4	13
Marion	4	9		14	8	25		3			2	3	68
Marlboro	2	7	2	14	1	18	2	8	1		1	1	57
Newberry	19	8	1	1	9	1	7		12		2	6	66
Oconee	47	12	2	3	11		13				12	4	104
Orangeburg	25	25	3	9	16	8	6	26	28	2	7	10	165
Pickens	80	25	5	6	17	2	6	1			22	17	181
Richland	141	300	22	53	77	52	26	18	30	2	52	111	884
Saluda	6	9		3	1		11		12				42
Spartanburg	106	111	9	20	38	7	27	3			208	44	573
Sumter	37	41	10	20	23	24	8	12	2		6	24	207
Union	5	5		4	2		7	4			9	4	40
Williamsburg	9	12	4	10	2	22	4	4	1		1	3	72
York	132	145	13	36	75	7	8	9	7	1	35	155	623
Out-Of-State		1,590	354	894	869	27	46	274	52	67	45	169	4,387
Foreign		50	10	5	19	8	12	17	4	7	23	24	179
Unknown	1,098							467					1,565
Total	2,923	3,859	607	1,655	1,956	681	555	966	594	303	728	1,075	15,902

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**Fall 1999 and 2004 through 2008
Opening Headcount Enrollment
First-time Freshmen by County of Origin
SC Public Research and Comprehensive Teaching Institutions**

COUNTY	Fall						Net Change	
	1999	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	10 year	1 year
Abbeville	47	64	60	63	51	55	8	4
Aiken	463	502	512	504	564	509	46	-55
Allendale	24	24	14	12	14	13	-11	-1
Anderson	282	310	309	323	278	279	-3	1
Bamberg	24	45	45	53	48	31	7	-17
Barnwell	65	70	70	82	63	54	-11	-9
Beaufort	140	378	409	424	400	367	227	-33
Berkeley	235	311	285	318	302	264	29	-38
Calhoun	33	36	29	42	21	20	-13	-1
Charleston	668	796	901	840	837	810	142	-27
Cherokee	78	76	77	95	81	75	-3	-6
Chester	70	58	63	46	49	54	-16	5
Chesterfield	92	93	91	88	80	63	-29	-17
Clarendon	56	51	81	63	67	61	5	-6
Colleton	64	79	70	59	67	38	-26	-29
Darlington	137	166	144	160	146	152	15	6
Dillon	68	81	88	83	86	65	-3	-21
Dorchester	218	308	267	284	310	267	49	-43
Edgefield	59	53	67	58	56	56	-3	0
Fairfield	40	55	53	49	56	39	-1	-17
Florence	425	452	515	437	463	388	-37	-75
Georgetown	126	186	177	175	172	145	19	-27
Greenville	801	1,036	1,118	1,035	1,065	1,040	239	-25
Greenwood	151	229	209	199	207	205	54	-2
Hampton	26	53	58	43	52	44	18	-8
Horry	419	492	540	528	582	518	99	-64
Jasper	20	24	26	27	33	18	-2	-15
Kershaw	134	145	152	144	127	133	-1	6
Lancaster	88	81	100	97	102	49	-39	-53
Laurens	106	117	126	116	121	100	-6	-21
Lee	35	25	28	26	32	24	-11	-8
Lexington	667	724	806	805	766	740	73	-26
Marion	88	92	91	85	95	68	-20	-27
Marlboro	45	59	49	64	54	57	12	3
McCormick	20	25	32	31	13	13	-7	0
Newberry	85	76	72	65	71	66	-19	-5
Oconee	103	147	99	98	107	104	1	-3
Orangeburg	259	222	238	243	279	165	-94	-114
Pickens	158	197	175	195	177	181	23	4
Richland	782	1,017	1,006	939	1,031	884	102	-147
Saluda	43	47	29	39	34	42	-1	8
Spartanburg	651	608	628	628	599	573	-78	-26
Sumter	187	206	207	210	257	207	20	-50
Union	39	48	51	38	45	40	1	-5
Williamsburg	83	96	92	93	90	72	-11	-18
York	462	600	625	628	628	623	161	-5
Out-Of-State	2,639	3,244	3,686	3,914	4,213	4,387	1,748	174
Foreign	195	123	139	136	165	179	-16	14
Unknown	1,009	1,158	1,019	951	1,012	1,565	556	553
Total	12,709	15,085	15,728	15,635	16,168	15,902	3,193	-266

**Fall 2008 Opening Headcount Enrollment
By Race and Gender
First-Time Freshmen**

INSTITUTION	White/Non-Hispanic		Black/African American		Unknown		Hispanic		Asian/Pacific Islander		Non-Resident Alien		American Indian/Alaskan Native		Total		Grand Total
	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	
Research Institutions																	
Clemson	1,211	1,184	103	111	111	83	18	27	37	22	5	2	6	3	1,491	1,432	2,923
USC Columbia	1,325	1,683	127	170	147	165	35	39	55	60	23	19	3	8	1,715	2,144	3,859
MUSC																	
Subtotal	2,536	2,867	230	281	258	248	53	66	92	82	28	21	9	11	3,206	3,576	6,782
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions																	
The Citadel	464	29	50	5	4		25	4	14		2	4	5	1	564	43	607
Coastal Carolina	645	682	124	121	5	7	22	18	10	9	1	3	4	4	811	844	1,655
College of Charleston	571	1,097	15	59	28	71	14	30	17	29	10	9	2	4	657	1,299	1,956
Francis Marion	117	174	89	244	6	22	3	3		4	8		4	7	227	454	681
Lander	105	240	32	132	5	14	3	5	2	3	9	3		2	156	399	555
SC State	2	7	455	485	1	7	2	3		1		2	1		461	505	966
USC Aiken	134	229	42	130	11	21	7	4	4	4	2	1	4	1	204	390	594
USC Beaufort	123	99	12	21	10	7	8	10	2	1	3	3		4	158	145	303
USC Upstate	156	238	45	145	33	52	5	12	8	10	13	9	1	1	261	467	728
Winthrop	225	519	64	188			9	21	3	17	12	12	2	3	315	760	1,075
Subtotal	2,542	3,314	928	1,530	103	201	98	110	60	78	60	46	23	27	3,814	5,306	9,120
Regional Campuses of USC																	
USC Lancaster	129	114	27	57	10	9	4	4		2	1			1	171	187	358
USC Salkehatchie	53	68	49	79	3	1	3	3	1		3			1	112	152	264
USC Sumter	81	76	17	46	6	6	2	5	1	1	1			2	108	137	245
USC Union	20	32	13	18	1	1		1					1		35	52	87
Subtotal	283	290	106	200	20	17	9	13	2	3	5	1	1	4	426	528	954
Technical Colleges																	
Aiken	140	201	57	131	3	6	7	8		2	2		1	4	210	352	562
Central Carolina	107	146	127	208	4		2	6	1	3			2	3	243	366	609
Denmark	9	23	396	318		3	1	2			1	1			407	347	754
Florence-Darlington	274	320	190	319	14	30	6	2	5				2	3	491	674	1,165
Greenville	865	912	352	489	55	63	80	69	28	23	5		6	6	1,391	1,562	2,953
Horry-Georgetown	356	387	71	154	21	28	7	16	5	5	4	5	2	1	466	596	1,062
Midlands	657	655	330	512	36	55	37	35	19	22	3		7	6	1,089	1,285	2,374
Northeastern	67	88	32	80		1							1	4	100	173	273
Orangeburg-Calhoun	68	113	155	193	7	10	2	1		2			2	1	234	320	554
Piedmont	237	347	122	248	9	7	1	15	6	4			2	1	377	622	999
Spartanburg CC	358	436	100	174	24	23	15	18	16	17			2	4	515	672	1,187
TC of the Lowcountry	92	130	44	150	3	8	13	20	3	5		1	1	1	156	315	471
Tri-County	649	559	77	86	21	19	17	9	5	6			4		773	679	1,452
Trident	638	689	293	413	54	50	27	39	24	17			9	6	1,045	1,214	2,259
Williamsburg	37	38	43	77			1	1							81	116	197
York	352	423	83	151	9	8	11	15	9	8			4	8	468	613	1,081
Subtotal	4,906	5,467	2,472	3,703	260	311	227	256	121	114	15	7	45	48	8,046	9,906	17,952
Total Public Institutions	10,267	11,938	3,736	5,714	641	777	387	445	275	277	108	75	78	90	15,492	19,316	34,808

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**Fall 2008 Opening Headcount Enrollment
By Race and Gender
First-Time Freshmen (continued)**

INSTITUTION	White/Non-Hispanic		Black/African American		Unknown		Hispanic		Asian/Pacific Islander		Non-Resident Alien		American Indian/Alaskan Native		Total		Grand Total
	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	
Independent Senior Inst.																	
Allen University		1	113	166	27	18		1							140	186	326
Anderson University	112	230	13	23	3	4	5	5	4	1	16	2			153	265	418
Benedict College	1		425	447	5	2	6	1					1		438	450	888
Bob Jones University	321	420	7	6	9	11	11	23	22	23				4	370	487	857
Charleston Southern University	138	210	85	109	19	31	3	8		3		2	2	2	247	365	612
Clafin University	2		142	305	3	1	1	2			6	3			154	311	465
Coker College	39	73	9	24			3	1		1	1			1	52	100	152
Columbia College		147	1	105		11		8		7				1	1	279	280
Columbia International Univ.	27	45	4		3	1	2	1			1	2			37	49	86
Converse College		100		21		20		12		6		1		1	0	161	161
Erskine College	51	55	1	5	26	21					2	2			80	83	163
Furman University	255	365	26	29	16	18	4	14	7	10	7	8		2	315	446	761
Limestone College	107	70	59	61	2	4	3	3							171	138	309
Morris College		1	130	162											130	163	293
Newberry College	116	95	52	13	5	3	3	1	1	1	4	5			181	118	299
North Greenville University	192	210	17	13	38	35	3	2		3	1		1		252	263	515
Presbyterian College	140	142	17	7	8	2	1	2	1	2			1	1	168	156	324
South University	2		9	32			2								13	32	45
Southern Methodist College	1														1	0	1
Southern Wesleyan University	43	71	9	9	3	4	1		1		1				58	84	142
Voorhees College			67	79											67	79	146
Wofford College	183	182	14	9	3	2	1	5	7	4	4	1			212	203	415
Subtotal	1,730	2,417	1,200	1,625	170	188	49	89	43	61	43	26	5	12	3,240	4,418	7,658
Two-Year Independent Institutions																	
Spartanburg Methodist College	167	135	51	67				12	6	4	2		1		234	211	445
Subtotal	167	135	51	67				12	6	4	2		1		234	211	445
Total Independent Institutions	1,897	2,552	1,251	1,692	170	188	61	95	47	63	43	27	5	12	3,474	4,629	8,103
Grand Total First-Time Freshmen	12,164	14,490	4,987	7,406	811	965	448	540	322	340	151	102	83	102	18,966	23,945	42,911

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**Fall 2008 Opening Headcount Enrollment
By Race and Gender
Undergraduate**

INSTITUTION	White/Non-Hispanic		Black/African American		Unknown		Hispanic		Asian/Pacific Islander		Non-Resident Alien		American Indian/Alaskan Native		Total		Grand Total All
	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	
Research Institutions																	
Clemson	6,498	5,545	538	520	605	400	96	99	141	88	71	64	32	16	7,981	6,732	14,713
USC Columbia	6,648	7,804	890	1,405	810	859	202	224	255	330	156	102	29	51	8,990	10,775	19,765
MUSC	38	194	2	28	8	29	2	6		9					50	266	316
Subtotal	13,184	13,543	1,430	1,953	1,423	1,288	300	329	396	427	227	166	61	67	17,021	17,773	34,794
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions																	
The Citadel	1,771	125	144	25	8	1	77	20	59	8	27	8	14	1	2,100	188	2,288
Coastal Carolina	2,891	3,269	465	505	34	46	69	75	50	48	40	38	16	27	3,565	4,008	7,573
College of Charleston	3,040	5,103	138	416	195	348	76	126	56	124	61	69	12	20	3,578	6,206	9,784
Francis Marion	668	1,033	384	1,148	35	72	10	32	8	16	28	9	11	15	1,144	2,325	3,469
Lander	596	1,056	187	488	28	72	10	18	9	8	47	18	5	13	882	1,673	2,555
SC State	41	52	1,824	2,175	5	19	6	8	4	4	1	8	4	2	1,885	2,268	4,153
USC Aiken	703	1,260	196	625	60	88	23	32	12	17	28	19	9	6	1,031	2,047	3,078
USC Beaufort	496	591	58	164	37	48	24	36	9	9	12	7	4	7	640	862	1,502
USC Upstate	1,071	1,702	310	907	257	398	31	94	46	74	50	41	8	10	1,773	3,226	4,999
Winthrop	1,093	2,270	384	976			27	86	16	64	65	61	9	17	1,594	3,474	5,068
Subtotal	12,370	16,461	4,090	7,429	659	1,092	353	527	269	372	359	278	92	118	18,192	26,277	44,469
Regional Campuses of USC																	
USC Lancaster	483	644	110	299	20	54	10	9	7	18	4		1	7	635	1,031	1,666
USC Salkehatchie	168	312	112	330	5	14	4	7	1	1	5	1	1	4	296	669	965
USC Sumter	376	387	97	240	28	36	22	15	8	12	5	2	3	4	539	696	1,235
USC Union	97	154	34	70	3	4	1	2					1	1	136	231	367
Subtotal	1,124	1,497	353	939	56	108	37	33	16	31	14	3	6	16	1,606	2,627	4,233
Technical Colleges																	
Aiken	627	993	230	656	22	53	31	44	8	25	4		4	7	926	1,778	2,704
Central Carolina	484	1,010	412	1,187	5	3	15	38	14	26			6	6	936	2,270	3,206
Denmark	38	50	982	1,179	2	6	4	5	1	2	1	1	3	3	1,031	1,246	2,277
Florence-Darlington	853	1,329	565	1,544	36	94	11	15	19	11	1	1	9	17	1,494	3,011	4,505
Greenville	4,059	5,604	1,100	2,370	177	219	273	312	100	151	12	2	17	18	5,738	8,676	14,414
Horry-Georgetown	1,563	2,647	298	1,140	96	177	28	67	23	41	18	64	8	17	2,034	4,153	6,187
Midlands	2,668	3,623	1,229	2,773	152	243	116	159	88	106	6	5	31	35	4,290	6,944	11,234
Northeastern	203	357	88	334	2	2	1	2		2		1	4	14	298	712	1,010
Orangeburg-Calhoun	357	626	536	1,118	25	37	5	5	5	7			6	10	934	1,803	2,737
Piedmont	1,123	1,874	417	1,400	18	32	17	40	16	18			2	2	1,593	3,366	4,959
Spartanburg CC	1,250	1,902	333	876	49	61	44	43	56	76			1	4	1,736	2,965	4,701
TC of the Lowcountry	363	675	180	692	9	41	38	65	7	22	1	2	1	9	599	1,506	2,105
Tri-County	2,107	2,498	275	546	57	62	46	59	27	33			14	6	2,526	3,204	5,730
Trident	3,382	4,979	973	2,378	199	243	110	172	135	143			21	28	4,820	7,943	12,763
Williamsburg	70	100	146	321			2	1							218	422	640
York	1,470	2,084	349	882	39	42	39	65	42	36			17	33	1,956	3,142	5,098
Subtotal	20,617	30,351	8,113	19,396	888	1,315	780	1,092	541	699	43	77	147	211	31,129	53,141	84,270
Total Public Institutions																	
	47,295	61,852	13,986	29,717	3,026	3,803	1,470	1,981	1,222	1,529	643	524	306	412	67,948	99,818	167,766

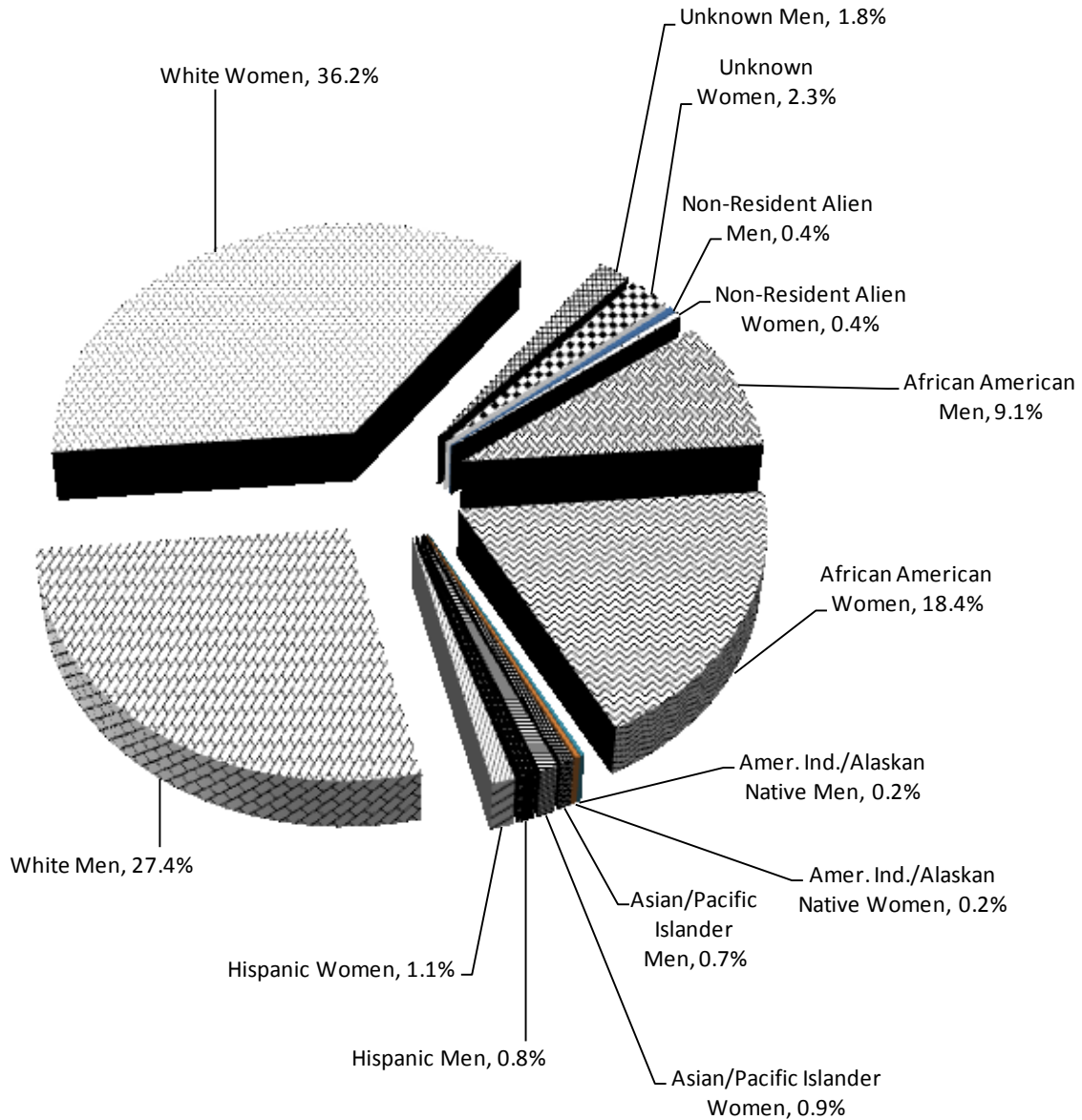
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**Fall 2008 Opening Headcount Enrollment
By Race and Gender
Undergraduate (continued)**

INSTITUTION	White/Non-Hispanic		Black/African American		Unknown		Hispanic		Asian/Pacific Islander		Non-Resident Alien		American Indian/Alaskan Native		Total		Grand Total	
	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women		
Independent Senior Inst.																		
Allen University		1	273	329	56	61	4	2	1						334	393	727	
Anderson University	533	1,111	67	144	5	7	18	22	9	14	30	10	2	2	664	1,310	1,974	
Benedict College	2	1	1,408	1,428	13	8	13	8				1	1		1,437	1,446	2,883	
Bob Jones University	1,444	1,776	26	25	30	35	35	69	86	100			2	6	1,623	2,011	3,634	
Charleston Southern University	627	952	297	527	91	140	19	34	10	17	16	22	3	7	1,063	1,699	2,762	
Clafflin University	13	9	493	1,100	5	6	3	3	2	1	25	28		2	541	1,149	1,690	
Coker College	207	397	76	373	2	2	7	7	2	6	6	4	3	7	303	796	1,099	
Columbia College	19	557	15	524	2	51	1	27		23				6	7	37	1,195	1,232
Columbia International Univ.	175	210	17	15	19	22	5	3	2		5	6	1		224	256	480	
Converse College	1	500		99	1	81		22		11		17		3	2	733	735	
Erskine College	176	217	12	20	63	64		2		1	8	3			259	307	566	
Furman University	971	1,295	91	109	71	74	21	24	21	50	27	41	2	4	1,204	1,597	2,801	
Limestone College	739	788	423	1,171	15	26	25	30	9	8	4	3	6	8	1,221	2,034	3,255	
Morris College	1	2	388	530											389	532	921	
Newberry College	353	310	172	61	7	5	15	5	3	5	18	18	1		569	404	973	
North Greenville University	758	833	84	45	134	168	8	6	3	4	13	4	1	1	1,001	1,061	2,062	
Presbyterian College	505	511	65	28	19	22	4	8	3	7			2	3	598	579	1,177	
South University	41	70	107	535		2	4	7		3		2	2	1	154	620	774	
Southern Methodist College	9	4	5	6											14	10	24	
Southern Wesleyan University	407	571	124	358	38	63	12	17	4	1	8	2	5	6	598	1,018	1,616	
Voorhees College	1	1	225	317			6		1		5	9	2	1	240	328	568	
Wofford College	631	610	47	34	10	16	11	15	20	17	11	4		3	730	699	1,429	
Subtotal	7,613	10,726	4,415	7,778	581	853	211	311	176	268	176	180	33	61	13,205	20,177	33,382	
Two-Year Independent Institutions																		
Spartanburg Methodist College	270	223	92	122			20	11	4	2	2	2	1	1	389	361	750	
Subtotal	270	223	92	122			20	11	4	2	2	2	1	1	389	361	750	
Total Independent Institutions	7,883	10,949	4,507	7,900	581	853	231	322	180	270	178	182	34	62	13,594	20,538	34,132	
Grand Total Undergraduates	55,178	72,801	18,493	37,617	3,607	4,656	1,701	2,303	1,402	1,799	821	706	340	474	81,542	120,356	201,898	

NOTE: Race categories are arranged by largest number of students to smallest; therefore, race category arrangement may vary between degree levels.

Fall 2008 Opening Headcount Enrollment by Race and Gender Public and Independent Undergraduate Students



See previous two pages for details of the graphical information.

**Fall 2008 Opening Headcount Enrollment
By Race and Gender
Graduate and First Professional**

INSTITUTION	Non-Resident Alien		Black/African American		American Indian/Alaskan Native		Asian/Pacific Islander		Hispanic		White/Non-Hispanic		Unknown		Total		Grand Total
	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	
	Research Institutions																
Clemson	597	289	63	120	7	8	22	22	17	23	1,029	1,076	148	183	1,883	1,721	3,604
USC Columbia	439	333	184	729	7	10	107	102	51	77	2,040	3,111	230	303	3,058	4,665	7,723
MUSC	25	19	52	116	8	6	45	56	13	35	679	1,027	51	80	873	1,339	2,212
Subtotal	1,061	641	299	965	22	24	174	180	81	135	3,748	5,214	429	566	5,814	7,725	13,539
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions																	
The Citadel	1	7	29	94	1		7	6	3	8	320	564			361	679	1,040
Coastal Carolina	2	3	11	47	1		1	1	1	7	133	372		2	149	432	581
College of Charleston	13	27	21	164	2	3	3	11	3	30	214	1,042	12	38	268	1,315	1,583
Francis Marion	3	4	12	122				3	1	2	58	320	5	21	79	472	551
Lander		1		3							4	42		9	4	55	59
SC State	2	4	111	490		1	2	3	1	2	19	86	2	12	137	598	735
USC Aiken	2	4	2	27						1	1	9		4	14	140	154
USC Beaufort *																	
USC Upstate	1	1	1	5			1	2			1	52			4	60	64
Winthrop	22	19	41	149		1	6	11	3	7	238	684			310	871	1,181
Subtotal	46	70	228	1,101	4	5	20	37	13	57	996	3,266	19	86	1,326	4,622	5,948
Total Public Institutions	1,107	711	527	2,066	26	29	194	217	94	192	4,744	8,480	448	652	7,140	12,347	19,487
Independent Senior Inst.																	
Anderson University			3	10						2	24	48	1	2	28	62	90
Bob Jones University			3	5	1	1	22	15	16	9	240	186	7	2	289	218	507
Charleston Southern University	8	9	30	70		2	5	3	3	3	94	102	45	64	185	253	438
Clafin University	11	4	19	47							1	1			31	52	83
Columbia College		1	7	62				2		4	16	109	4	8	27	186	213
Columbia International Univ.	18	17	30	30		1	11	6	3	4	175	131	9	8	246	197	443
Converse College		1	24	111	2		4	6	2	13	232	820	17	101	281	1,052	1,333
Erskine College	6	1	45	38			3	1	1		118	33	36	16	209	89	298
Furman University		1	5	9				2		3	18	128	3	7	26	150	176
Lutheran Theological So. Semin			12	12			1		1	1	61	58			75	71	146
North Greenville University			6	6					3	1	39	18	11	14	59	39	98
Sherman Coll. Of Straight Chiro.	10	5	9	32	1		6	2	1	2	102	60	5	5	134	106	240
South University			28	180			1	4	2	1	15	32		1	46	218	264
Southern Wesleyan University			39	145	5	4	1	3	4	3	123	394	14	40	186	589	775
Total Independent Institutions	53	39	260	757	9	8	54	44	36	46	1,258	2,120	152	268	1,822	3,282	5,104
Grand Total Graduate and First Professional	1,160	750	787	2,823	35	37	248	261	130	238	6,002	10,600	600	920	8,962	15,629	24,591

NOTE: Race categories are arranged by largest number of students to smallest; therefore, race category arrangement may vary between degree levels.

* Graduate programs not currently offered.

**Fall 2008 Opening Headcount Enrollment
By Race and Gender
All Students**

INSTITUTION	White/Non-Hispanic		Black/African American		Unknown		Hispanic		Asian/Pacific Islander		Non-Resident Alien		American Indian/Alaskan Native		Total		Grand Total	
	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women		
Research Institutions																		
Clemson	7,527	6,621	601	640	753	583	113	122	163	110	668	353	39	24	9,864	8,453	18,317	
USC Columbia	8,688	10,915	1,074	2,134	1,040	1,162	253	301	362	432	595	435	36	61	12,048	15,440	27,488	
MUSC	717	1,221	54	144	59	109	15	41	45	65	25	19	8	6	923	1,605	2,528	
Subtotal	16,932	18,757	1,729	2,918	1,852	1,854	381	464	570	607	1,288	807	83	91	22,835	25,498	48,333	
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions																		
The Citadel	2,091	689	173	119	8	1	80	28	66	14	28	15	15	1	2,461	867	3,328	
Coastal Carolina	3,024	3,641	476	552	34	48	70	82	51	49	42	41	17	27	3,714	4,440	8,154	
College of Charleston	3,254	6,145	159	580	207	386	79	156	59	135	74	96	14	23	3,846	7,521	11,367	
Francis Marion	726	1,353	396	1,270	40	93	11	34	8	19	31	13	11	15	1,223	2,797	4,020	
Lander	600	1,098	187	491	28	81	10	18	9	8	47	19	5	13	886	1,728	2,614	
SC State	60	138	1,935	2,665	7	31	7	10	6	7	3	12	4	3	2,022	2,866	4,888	
USC Aiken	712	1,364	198	652	60	92	24	33	12	17	30	23	9	6	1,045	2,187	3,232	
USC Beaufort	496	591	58	164	37	48	24	36	9	9	12	7	4	7	640	862	1,502	
USC Upstate	1,072	1,754	311	912	257	398	31	94	47	76	51	42	8	10	1,777	3,286	5,063	
Winthrop	1,331	2,954	425	1,125			30	93	22	75	87	80	9	18	1,904	4,345	6,249	
Subtotal	13,366	19,727	4,318	8,530	678	1,178	366	584	289	409	405	348	96	123	19,518	30,899	50,417	
Regional Campuses of USC																		
USC Lancaster	483	644	110	299	20	54	10	9	7	18	4		1	7	635	1,031	1,666	
USC Salkehatchie	168	312	112	330	5	14	4	7	1	1	5	1	1	4	296	669	965	
USC Sumter	376	387	97	240	28	36	22	15	8	12	5	2	3	4	539	696	1,235	
USC Union	97	154	34	70	3	4	1	2					1	1	136	231	367	
Subtotal	1,124	1,497	353	939	56	108	37	33	16	31	14	3	6	16	1,606	2,627	4,233	
Technical Colleges																		
Aiken	627	993	230	656	22	53	31	44	8	25	4		4	7	926	1,778	2,704	
Central Carolina	484	1,010	412	1,187	5	3	15	38	14	26			6	6	936	2,270	3,206	
Denmark	38	50	982	1,179	2	6	4	5	1	2	1	1	3	3	1,031	1,246	2,277	
Florence-Darlington	853	1,329	565	1,544	36	94	11	15	19	11	1	1	9	17	1,494	3,011	4,505	
Greenville	4,059	5,604	1,100	2,370	177	219	273	312	100	151	12	2	17	18	5,738	8,676	14,414	
Horry-Georgetown	1,563	2,647	298	1,140	96	177	28	67	23	41	18	64	8	17	2,034	4,153	6,187	
Midlands	2,668	3,623	1,229	2,773	152	243	116	159	88	106	6	5	31	35	4,290	6,944	11,234	
Northeastern	203	357	88	334	2	2	1	2			2		1	4	298	712	1,010	
Orangeburg-Calhoun	357	626	536	1,118	25	37	5	5	5	7			6	10	934	1,803	2,737	
Piedmont	1,123	1,874	417	1,400	18	32	17	40	16	18			2	2	1,593	3,366	4,959	
Spartanburg CC	1,250	1,902	333	876	49	61	44	43	56	76			1	4	6	1,736	2,965	4,701
TC of the Lowcountry	363	675	180	692	9	41	38	65	7	22	1	2	1	9	599	1,506	2,105	
Tri-County	2,107	2,498	275	546	57	62	46	59	27	33			14	6	2,526	3,204	5,730	
Trident	3,382	4,979	973	2,378	199	243	110	172	135	143			21	28	4,820	7,943	12,763	
Williamsburg	70	100	146	321			2	1							218	422	640	
York	1,470	2,084	349	882	39	42	39	65	42	36			17	33	1,956	3,142	5,098	
Subtotal	20,617	30,351	8,113	19,396	888	1,315	780	1,092	541	699	43	77	147	211	31,129	53,141	84,270	
Total Public Institutions	52,039	70,332	14,513	31,783	3,474	4,455	1,564	2,173	1,416	1,746	1,750	1,235	332	441	75,088	112,165	187,253	

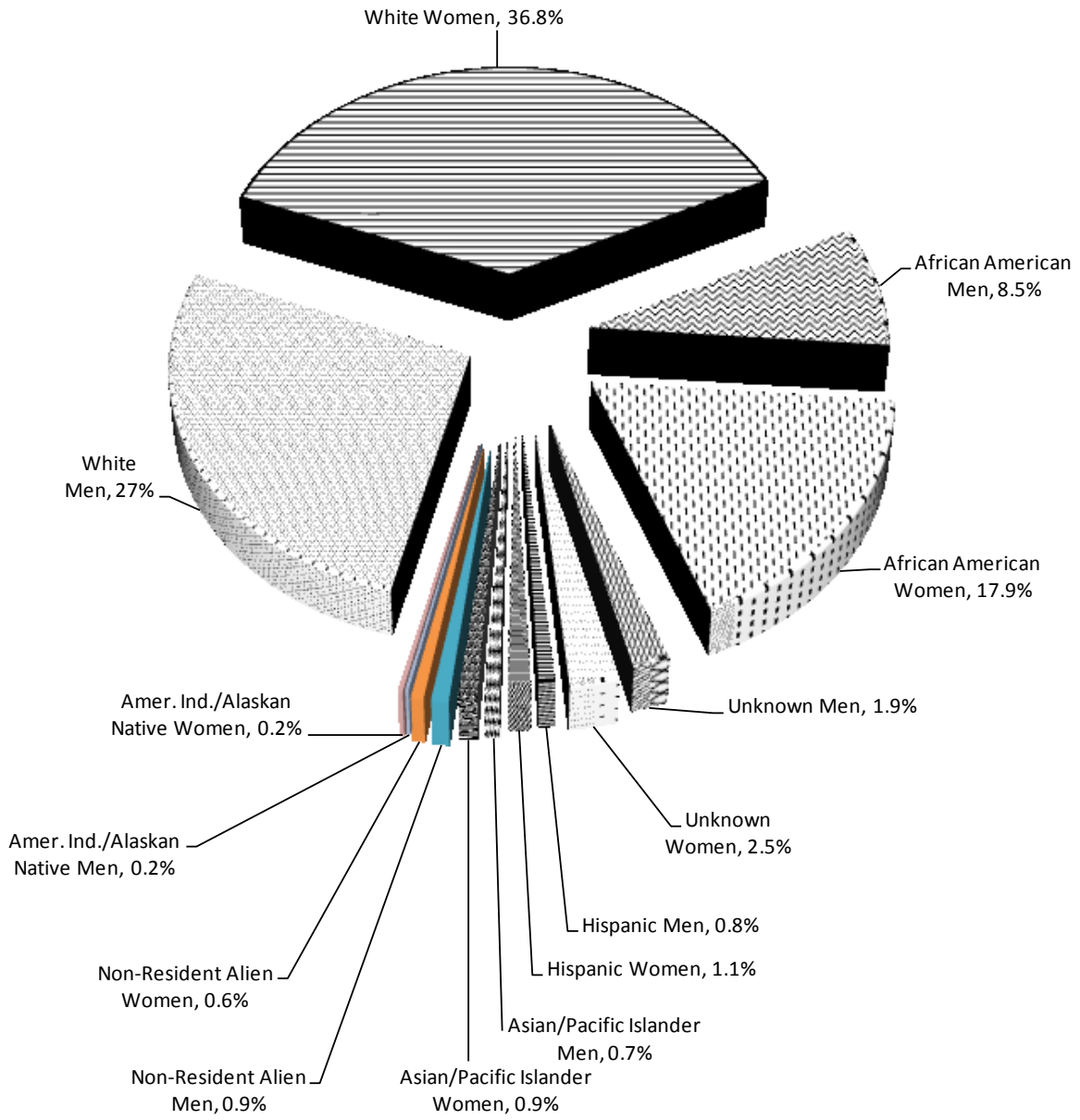
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**Fall 2008 Opening Headcount Enrollment
By Race and Gender
All Students (continued)**

INSTITUTION	White/Non-Hispanic		Black/African American		Unknown		Hispanic		Asian/Pacific Islander		Non-Resident Alien		American Indian/Alaskan Native		Total		Grand Total	
	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Total	
Independent Senior Inst.																		
Allen University		1	273	329	56	61	4	2	1						334	393	727	
Anderson University	557	1,159	70	154	6	9	18	24	9	14	30	10	2	2	692	1,372	2,064	
Benedict College	2	1	1,408	1,428	13	8	13	8				1	1		1,437	1,446	2,883	
Bob Jones University	1,684	1,962	29	30	37	37	51	78	108	115			3	7	1,912	2,229	4,141	
Charleston Southern University	721	1,054	327	597	136	204	22	37	15	20	24	31	3	9	1,248	1,952	3,200	
Claflin University	14	10	512	1,147	5	6	3	3	2	1	36	32		2	572	1,201	1,773	
Coker College	207	397	76	373	2	2	7	7	2	6	6	4	3	7	303	796	1,099	
Columbia College	35	666	22	586	6	59	1	31		25		7		7	64	1,381	1,445	
Columbia International Univ.	350	341	47	45	28	30	8	7	13	6	23	23	1	1	470	453	923	
Converse College	233	1,320	24	210	18	182	2	35	4	17		18	2	3	283	1,785	2,068	
Erskine College	294	250	57	58	99	80	1	2	3	2	14	4			468	396	864	
Furman University	989	1,423	96	118	74	81	21	27	21	52	27	42	2	4	1,230	1,747	2,977	
Limestone College	739	788	423	1,171	15	26	25	30	9	8	4	3	6	8	1,221	2,034	3,255	
Lutheran Theological So. Semin	61	58	12	12			1	1	1						75	71	146	
Morris College	1	2	388	530											389	532	921	
Newberry College	353	310	172	61	7	5	15	5	3	5	18	18	1		569	404	973	
North Greenville University	797	851	90	51	145	182	11	7	3	4	13	4	1	1	1,060	1,100	2,160	
Presbyterian College	505	511	65	28	19	22	4	8	3	7			2	3	598	579	1,177	
Sherman Coll. Of Straight Chiro.	102	60	9	32	5	5	1	2	6	2	10	5	1		134	106	240	
South University	56	102	135	715			3	6	8	1	7		2	2	1	200	838	1,038
Southern Methodist College	9	4	5	6											14	10	24	
Southern Wesleyan University	530	965	163	503	52	103	16	20	5	4	8	2	10	10	784	1,607	2,391	
Voorhees College	1	1	225	317			6		1		5	9	2	1	240	328	568	
Wofford College	631	610	47	34	10	16	11	15	20	17	11	4		3	730	699	1,429	
Subtotal	8,871	12,846	4,675	8,535	733	1,121	247	357	230	312	229	219	42	69	15,027	23,459	38,486	
Two-Year Independent Institutions																		
Spartanburg Methodist College	270	223	92	122				20	11	4	2	2	2	1	1	389	361	750
Subtotal	270	223	92	122				20	11	4	2	2	2	1	1	389	361	750
Total Independent Institutions	9,141	13,069	4,767	8,657	733	1,121	267	368	234	314	231	221	43	70	15,416	23,820	39,236	
Grand Total All Students	61,180	83,401	19,280	40,440	4,207	5,576	1,831	2,541	1,650	2,060	1,981	1,456	375	511	90,504	135,985	226,489	

NOTE: Race categories are arranged by largest number of students to smallest; therefore, race category arrangement may vary between degree levels.

Fall 2008 Opening Headcount Enrollment by Race and Gender Public and Independent Institutions All Students



See previous two pages for details of the graphical information.

**Retention of
First-Time, Full-Time, Degree-Seeking Freshmen
From Fall 2007 to Fall 2008
Public Institutions**

	Enrolled Fall 2007 [col a]	Exclusions ^{2,3} [col b]	Graduated with Cert/Dipl/Assoc Acad Year 2007-2008 [col c]	Fall 2008 Retained & Not Graduated [col d]	Retention Percentage [col(c+d)/(a-b)]
Research Institutions¹					
Clemson	2,707			2,473	91.4%
USC Columbia	3,690			3,215	87.1%
Subtotal	6,397			5,688	88.9%
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions					
The Citadel	621			517	83.3%
Coastal Carolina	1,649			1,178	71.4%
College of Charleston	2,062			1,635	79.3%
Francis Marion	778			519	66.7%
Lander	433			294	67.9%
SC State	1,292			830	64.2%
USC Aiken	584			404	69.2%
USC Beaufort	265			152	57.4%
USC Upstate	805			525	65.2%
Winthrop	1,074			768	71.5%
Subtotal	9,563			6,822	71.3%
Subtotal Senior Institutions	15,960			12,510	78.4%
Regional Campuses of USC					
USC Lancaster	330			196	59.4%
USC Salkehatchie	220		1	98	45.0%
USC Sumter	261			148	56.7%
USC Union	78		1	41	53.8%
Subtotal	889		2	483	54.6%
Technical Colleges					
Aiken	352		15	178	54.8%
Central Carolina	338		7	162	50.0%
Denmark	414		16	113	31.2%
Florence-Darlington	789		25	409	55.0%
Greenville	1,979		84	964	53.0%
Horry-Georgetown	750		19	409	57.1%
Midlands	1,528		18	764	51.2%
Northeastern	160		2	78	50.0%
Orangeburg-Calhoun	365		4	190	53.2%
Piedmont	685		13	385	58.1%
Spartanburg CC	775		13	390	52.0%
TC of The Lowcountry	165		7	76	50.3%
Tri-County	1,079		4	486	45.4%
Trident	1,564		19	821	53.7%
Williamsburg	82		5	46	62.2%
York	743		25	362	52.1%
Subtotal	11,768		276	5,833	51.9%
Total Public Institutions	28,617		278	18,826	66.8%

¹ MUSC is not included because there are no first-time freshmen.

² Included in exclusions are students who were initially counted in the cohort and left the institution for any of the following reasons.

If the student:

- died or was/is severely disabled;
- is serving in the armed forces (including those called to active duty);
- left to serve with a foreign aid service of the foreign government; or
- left to serve in official church mission.

³ No exclusion were reported this year.

**Retention of
First-Time, Full-Time, Degree-Seeking Freshmen
From Fall 2007 to Fall 2008
Independent Institutions**

	Enrolled Fall 2007 [col a]	Exclusions ^{1,2} [col b]	Graduated with Cert/Dipl/Assoc Acad Year 2007- 2008 [col c]	Fall 2008 Retained & Not Graduated [col d]	Retention Percentage [col(c+d)/(a-b)]
Senior Institutions					
Allen University	245			121	49.4%
Anderson University	438			266	60.7%
Benedict College	891			525	58.9%
Bob Jones University	850			650	76.5%
Charleston Southern University	678			408	60.2%
Claflin University	390			259	66.4%
Coker College	199			128	64.3%
Columbia College	271			165	60.9%
Columbia International Univ.	92			74	80.4%
Converse College	155			118	76.1%
Erskine College	163			126	77.3%
Furman University	699			625	89.4%
Limestone College	206			118	57.3%
Morris College	295			143	48.5%
Newberry College	323			199	61.6%
North Greenville University	506			349	69.0%
Presbyterian College	290			240	82.8%
South University	23			6	26.1%
Southern Methodist College	1				
Southern Wesleyan University	158			102	64.6%
Voorhees College	109			61	56.0%
Wofford College	385			348	90.4%
Subtotal	7,367			5,031	68.3%
Two-Year Independent Institutions					
Spartanburg Methodist College	440			206	46.8%
Total Independent Institutions	7,807			5,237	67.1%

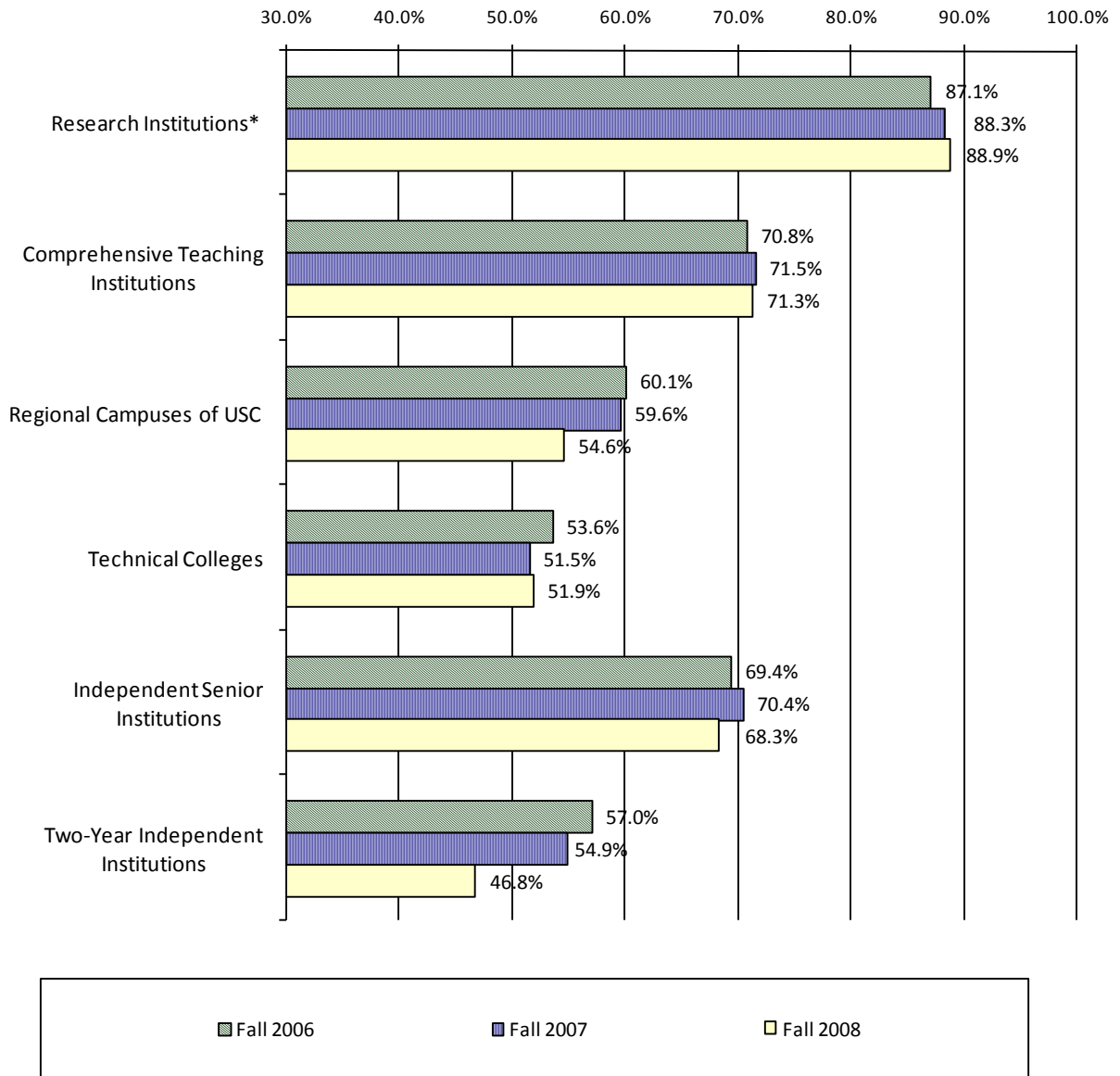
¹ Included in exclusions are students who were initially counted in the cohort and left the institution for any of the following reasons.

If the student:

- died or was/is severely disabled;
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- left to serve with a foreign aid service of the foreign government; or
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² No exclusion were reported this year.

Retention Percentage of First-time, Full-time, Degree-Seeking Freshmen Fall 2006, Fall 2007, Fall 2008



* MUSC is not included because there are no first-time freshmen.

See page 47 – 48 for details of the graphical information.

Fall 1998-99 and 2003-04 through 2007-08
First-Time, Full-Time, Degree-Seeking Freshmen
Public Institutions, Percent Retained Fall to Fall

	1998-1999	2003-2004	2004-2005	2005-2006	2006-2007	2007-2008
Research Institutions¹						
Clemson	85.0%	88.5%	87.7%	88.7%	90.1%	91.4%
USC Columbia	81.0%	85.2%	83.2%	85.8%	87.0%	87.1%
Average	83.0%	86.7%	85.3%	87.1%	88.3%	88.9%
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions						
The Citadel	77.4%	80.5%	81.4%	81.7%	81.0%	83.3%
Coastal Carolina	66.1%	69.6%	64.3%	67.4%	71.1%	71.4%
College of Charleston	79.2%	82.5%	82.4%	80.4%	82.4%	79.3%
Francis Marion	74.6%	65.5%	65.0%	67.4%	68.1%	66.7%
Lander	66.5%	65.1%	62.6%	62.2%	59.3%	67.9%
SC State	80.0%	69.3%	68.4%	64.5%	65.4%	64.2%
USC Aiken	72.0%	64.4%	60.4%	66.5%	68.5%	69.2%
USC Beaufort	0.0%	0.0%	55.7%	48.2%	54.7%	57.4%
USC Upstate	68.6%	65.7%	62.4%	65.5%	63.5%	65.2%
Winthrop	76.3%	76.4%	71.7%	74.5%	71.6%	71.5%
Average	74.6%	72.8%	70.3%	70.8%	71.5%	71.3%
Senior Institutions Average	78.3%	78.8%	76.7%	77.7%	78.5%	78.4%
Regional Campuses of USC						
USC Lancaster	64.4%	64.0%	57.7%	64.5%	59.8%	59.4%
USC Salkehatchie	42.9%	44.4%	46.3%	58.1%	57.0%	45.0%
USC Sumter	71.5%	58.4%	55.8%	56.5%	60.0%	56.7%
USC Union	54.8%	63.5%	54.4%	58.7%	64.2%	53.8%
Average	60.5%	57.3%	54.5%	60.1%	59.6%	54.6%
Technical Colleges						
Aiken	56.2%	58.9%	60.7%	52.4%	51.8%	54.8%
Central Carolina	45.7%	49.5%	48.3%	55.7%	54.2%	50.0%
Denmark	51.0%	32.4%	39.7%	32.6%	33.9%	31.2%
Florence-Darlington	64.3%	61.6%	56.6%	59.4%	53.2%	55.0%
Greenville	54.4%	53.5%	55.8%	56.6%	52.9%	53.0%
Horry-Georgetown	49.9%	46.6%	50.9%	52.3%	57.9%	57.1%
Midlands	59.2%	61.4%	53.0%	52.3%	48.8%	51.2%
Northeastern	50.0%	50.7%	49.7%	51.0%	53.7%	50.0%
Orangeburg-Calhoun	62.5%	58.9%	55.2%	54.9%	52.1%	53.2%
Piedmont	64.6%	40.8%	51.8%	57.6%	59.3%	58.1%
Spartanburg CC	56.5%	57.4%	60.0%	56.0%	57.2%	52.0%
TC of The Lowcountry	57.1%	51.1%	41.4%	47.8%	52.0%	50.3%
Tri-County	60.4%	56.3%	51.5%	51.5%	46.2%	45.4%
Trident	55.2%	54.6%	55.4%	55.3%	51.4%	53.7%
Williamsburg	54.3%	50.0%	50.6%	48.4%	51.8%	62.2%
York	57.8%	53.2%	52.3%	50.2%	51.2%	52.1%
Average	57.0%	53.9%	53.6%	53.6%	51.5%	51.9%
Public Institutions Average	69.8%	68.1%	66.8%	67.6%	66.9%	66.8%

¹ MUSC is not included because there are no first-time freshmen.

Fall 1998-99 and 2003-04 through 2007-08
First-Time, Full-Time, Degree-Seeking Freshmen
Independent Institutions, Percent Retained Fall to Fall

	1998-1999 ¹	2003-2004	2004-2005	2005-2006	2006-2007	2007-2008
Independent Senior Institutions						
Allen University		61.5%	36.7%	35.6%	52.0%	49.4%
Anderson University		69.8%	61.6%	63.8%	61.9%	60.7%
Benedict College		65.8%	56.7%	58.2%	52.9%	58.9%
Bob Jones University		79.9%	80.7%	76.5%	76.7%	76.5%
Charleston Southern University		53.8%	59.7%	62.3%	61.7%	60.2%
Claflin University		73.9%	69.7%	68.1%	68.1%	66.4%
Coker College		67.1%	73.5%	66.9%	72.0%	64.3%
Columbia College		59.2%	70.5%	68.8%	65.8%	60.9%
Columbia International Univ.		72.0%	66.7%	70.6%	72.4%	80.4%
Converse College		80.6%	74.6%	71.2%	68.9%	76.1%
Erskine College		78.4%	77.1%	70.2%	78.1%	77.3%
Furman University		92.3%	92.5%	92.2%	90.0%	89.4%
Limestone College		65.1%	66.0%	68.0%	63.4%	57.3%
Morris College		54.3%	55.1%	52.4%	59.8%	48.5%
Newberry College		56.2%	61.0%	56.5%	59.8%	61.6%
North Greenville University		69.6%	68.5%	63.9%	71.5%	69.0%
Presbyterian College		82.4%	82.0%	82.7%	83.1%	82.8%
South University		100.0%	0.0%	33.3%	56.5%	26.1%
Southern Methodist College ¹						
Southern Wesleyan University		61.5%	62.3%	60.1%	75.6%	64.6%
Voorhees College		57.3%	53.2%	60.7%	54.7%	56.0%
Wofford College		89.4%	88.9%	88.8%	91.8%	90.4%
Average		71.7%	71.0%	69.4%	70.4%	68.3%
Two-Year Independent Institutions						
Spartanburg Methodist College		54.8%	52.4%	57.0%	54.9%	46.8%
Independent Institutions Average						
		68.7%	69.9%	68.6%	69.4%	67.1%

¹ Data not available.

Note: Prior to 2003-2004, the data for independent institutions was not collected by CHE. The data is not available from CHE or IPEDS for 1998-1999 for independent institutions.

Migration of First-Time Undergraduate Transfers

The Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System (IPEDS) defines a transfer student as one entering the reporting institution for the first time but known to have previously attended a postsecondary institution at the same level (e.g., undergraduate, graduate). The student may transfer with or without credit.

The following pages show the detailed migration of students from one institution to another for fall 2008.



**Migration of First-Time Undergraduate Transfers
Fall 2008
Summary**

<i>TRANSFERRING FROM:</i>	<i>TRANSFERRING TO:</i>						Grand Total
	Research Institutions	Comprehensive Teaching Institutions	Regional Campuses of USC	Technical Colleges	Independent Senior Institutions	Two-Year Independent Institutions	
Research Institutions	55	152	19	544	47	1	818
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions	412	273	52	1,146	145	8	2,036
Regional Campuses of USC	263	180	9	185	20		657
Technical Colleges	1,047	1,554	148	1,393	592	4	4,738
Independent Senior Institutions	186	275	27	691	123	4	1,306
Two-Year Independent Institutions	37	114	6	107	30		294
Other Institutions		1		9	1		11
Out-of-State	642	1,206	58	2,708	566	8	5,188
Foreign	30	23			22		75
Unknown		11			514		525
Total	2,672	3,789	319	6,783	2,060	25	15,648

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TRANSFERRING TO:

TRANSFERRING FROM:	Clemson	USC Columbia	MUSC	Subtotal Research	The Citadel	Coastal Carolina	College of Charleston	Francis Marion	Lander	SC State	USC Aiken	USC Beaufort	USC Upstate	Winthrop	Subtotal Comprehensive Teaching	Subtotal Public Senior
Research Institutions																
Clemson		19	6	25	2	3	12	3	2	1	6	1	6	4	40	65
USC Columbia	22		8	30	1	22	22	19	2	4	8	9	17	7	111	141
Medical University of SC											1				1	1
Subtotal	22	19	14	55	3	25	34	22	4	5	15	10	23	11	152	207
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions																
The Citadel	2	5		7		1	3								4	11
Coastal Carolina	14	24	2	40	1		16	12		1	2		5	5	42	82
College of Charleston	32	33	15	80		5		3	2		6	6	4	4	30	110
Francis Marion	13	14	1	28		10	6		1		2		9	5	33	61
Lander	7	6		13		2	4	4			5	1	6	2	24	37
SC State	2	10		12		4	1	11	4		1	2	7	1	31	43
USC Aiken	4	59		63		2	2	3	2	4		5			18	81
USC Beaufort		36		36		1	13	1		1	7		2		25	61
USC Upstate	21	69	1	91			9	1	4	2	2	1		3	22	113
Winthrop	20	20	2	42		3	12	8		3	5	2	11		44	86
Subtotal	115	276	21	412	1	28	66	43	13	11	30	17	44	20	273	685
Regional Campuses of USC																
USC Lancaster	5	81	1	87		1	2	3			1		13	16	36	123
USC Salkehatchie	1	51		52		1	2	1	1		28	15	1	1	50	102
USC Sumter	3	103	1	107		1	2	4	1		19		18	3	48	155
USC Union	2	15		17		1	1						44		46	63
Subtotal	11	250	2	263		4	7	8	2		48	15	76	20	180	443
Technical Colleges																
Aiken		5	1	6			5		1	5	46		1		58	64
Central Carolina	2	3		5			1	11	1	4		1	1	1	20	25
Denmark		2		2		2	2	4	1	17	3		1		30	32
Florence-Darlington	6	13	4	23	4	6	1	49		5	2		2	2	71	94
Greenville	51	45	16	112	3	7	18	1	19	5		1	204	16	274	386
Horry-Georgetown	4	11	2	17		160	13	10					4	4	191	208
Midlands	22	382	10	414	6	11	16	8	9	11	25	11	13	15	125	539
Northeastern	1	2		3			1	10		1			3		15	18
Orangeburg-Calhoun	5	14	5	24	1	2	3			26	3	1	6		42	66
Piedmont	10	18	3	31	1	5	1	1	67	8	5		8	2	98	129
Spartanburg CC	11	4	1	16		2	3	3	1	1	1	1	140	2	154	170
TC of the Lowcountry	1		2	3			4		1	1	1	26		1	34	37
Tri-County	258	16		274	2	6	3	3	4	1	1	1	11	6	38	312
Trident	17	46	20	83	19	12	198	2	3	8		3	11	14	270	353
Williamsburg	1	4		5		3		11	1	3		1	1		20	25
York	13	13	3	29		8	10	1	1	3		1	11	79	114	143
Subtotal	402	578	67	1,047	36	224	279	114	109	99	87	47	417	142	1,554	2,601

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TRANSFERRING TO:

TRANSFERRING
FROM:

	USC Lancaster	USC Salkehatchie	USC Sumter	USC Union	Subtotal Regional
Research Institutions					
Clemson	1	1	1		3
USC Columbia	5	3	7	1	16
Medical University of SC					
Subtotal	6	4	8	1	19
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions					
The Citadel			1		1
Coastal Carolina	3	1	2		6
College of Charleston	2				2
Francis Marion	1		7		8
Lander		1		1	2
SC State	1	4	2	2	9
USC Aiken	2	2	3		7
USC Beaufort		2			2
USC Upstate	4		2	3	9
Winthrop	2		3	1	6
Subtotal	15	10	20	7	52
Regional Campuses of USC					
USC Lancaster			5		5
USC Salkehatchie	1				1
USC Sumter	2				2
USC Union	1				1
Subtotal	4		5		9
Technical Colleges					
Aiken		2			2
Central Carolina			35		35
Denmark		19			19
Florence-Darlington	1	1	2		4
Greenville	3			1	4
Horry-Georgetown	3		1		4
Midlands	1	4	2	1	8
Northeastern	2		1		3
Orangeburg-Calhoun		7			7
Piedmont		1		2	3
Spartanburg CC			2	5	7
TC of the Lowcountry		7	1		8
Tri-County		5			5
Trident	1	10	1		12
Williamsburg					
York	26		1		27
Subtotal	37	56	46	9	148

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TRANSFERRING TO:

TRANSFERRING
FROM:

	Aiken	Central Carolina	Denmark	Florence-Darlington	Greenville	Horry-Georgetown	Midlands	Northeastern
Research Institutions								
Clemson	5	2		4	40	2	25	
USC Columbia	3	7		7	52	10	177	2
Medical University of SC								
Subtotal	8	9		11	92	12	202	2
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions								
The Citadel		2			2	1	2	
Coastal Carolina		1		7	3	84	14	2
College of Charleston	1	3	1	1	10	7	18	
Francis Marion	1	4		89	3	12	24	9
Lander	4	3		2	20	2	15	
SC State	2	2	4	18	3	3	42	3
USC Aiken	61	2	1	2		1	30	
USC Beaufort						1	6	
USC Upstate				5	14		11	
Winthrop	2	1		4	7	3	28	
Subtotal	71	18	6	128	62	114	190	14
Regional Campuses of USC								
USC Lancaster				1			14	
USC Salkehatchie			1		1		4	
USC Sumter		25		8		1	15	
USC Union							2	
Subtotal		25	1	9	1	1	35	
Technical Colleges								
Aiken				3	6	2	22	
Central Carolina				16	5	1	42	4
Denmark	5	2		4			13	1
Florence-Darlington		12	2		6	8	24	10
Greenville	1			3		5	23	
Horry-Georgetown		4		14	1		20	2
Midlands	17	25		9	11	4		2
Northeastern		3		30		3	5	
Orangeburg-Calhoun	3	2	2	1			29	
Piedmont	8	1			43	4	23	
Spartanburg CC	1	1		1	75	2	3	
TC of the Lowcountry	1	1			5		2	
Tri-County		1		3	98		12	
Trident		5	1	3	11	6	20	
Williamsburg		2		12	2	4	5	1
York	3			3	5	2	7	
Subtotal	39	59	5	102	268	41	250	20

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TRANSFERRING TO:

TRANSFERRING FROM:	Orangeburg/ Calhoun	Piedmont	Spartanburg CC	TC of the Lowcountry	Tri-County	Trident	Williamsburg	York	Total All Technical
Research Institutions									
Clemson	4	4	2	2	58	18		8	174
USC Columbia	12	5	9	7	7	50	1	20	369
Medical University of SC	1								1
Subtotal	17	9	11	9	65	68	1	28	544
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions									
The Citadel						10		3	20
Coastal Carolina	1	3		1	1	5		8	130
College of Charleston	1		5	3	8	104		6	168
Francis Marion	5	2		1	3	7	6	3	169
Lander	1	47	6		8	4		3	115
SC State	47	5	7	4	4	17		7	168
USC Aiken	10	8			1			2	118
USC Beaufort		1		22	1				31
USC Upstate	4	2	51	1	6			8	102
Winthrop	4	3	7		2	15		49	125
Subtotal	73	71	76	32	34	162	6	89	1,146
Regional Campuses of USC									
USC Lancaster								69	84
USC Salkehatchie	10	1		9	1	1			28
USC Sumter		1	1					2	53
USC Union		1	14					3	20
Subtotal	10	3	15	9	1	1		74	185
Technical Colleges									
Aiken	6	9		3	3	5			59
Central Carolina	4			1	5	6	7	3	94
Denmark	24		1	2		2	1	1	56
Florence-Darlington	5	1			2	11	11	1	93
Greenville	2	15	62	1	97	19		3	231
Horry-Georgetown		3	2		5	11		3	65
Midlands	27	17	2	1	10	18		6	149
Northeastern		1							42
Orangeburg-Calhoun		2		2	2	11		3	57
Piedmont	3		6		19	1		2	110
Spartanburg CC	1	6			7	2	1	3	103
TC of the Lowcountry					2	3			14
Tri-County	2	7	3			12		4	142
Trident	21	4	3	13	11		3	6	107
Williamsburg					2	2		1	31
York	1	1	7		7	4			40
Subtotal	96	66	86	23	172	107	23	36	1,393

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TRANSFERRING TO:

TRANSFERRING FROM:	Allen	Anderson	Benedict	Bob Jones	Charleston Southern	Clafin	Coker	Columbia College	Columbia International	Converse	Erskine	Furman	Limestone
Research Institutions													
Clemson		3			3				2			3	3
USC Columbia		5			3	2		1	4			1	
Medical University of SC													
Subtotal		8			6	2		1	6			4	3
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions													
The Citadel		2											
Coastal Carolina		3			8							2	2
College of Charleston					10							2	7
Francis Marion	1	1			2	2		2	1				9
Lander		2				1					1	1	2
SC State		1			3	8							25
USC Aiken					8			2					2
USC Beaufort													1
USC Upstate		1								1			4
Winthrop					1				3		1		3
Subtotal	1	10			32	11		4	4	1	2	5	55
Regional Campuses of USC													
USC Lancaster									1				
USC Salkehatchie						3							2
USC Sumter									3				
USC Union													5
Subtotal						3			4				7
Technical Colleges													
Aiken		3											6
Central Carolina					2			1					2
Denmark	3					14		1					3
Florence-Darlington						1		1					38
Greenville	1	15			1				1		2	10	10
Horry-Georgetown					14	1							2
Midlands	8	2			2	2		15	7				54
Northeastern					1								
Orangeburg-Calhoun					1	22			1				5
Piedmont	1	4			1				1				13
Spartanburg CC								1		1			1
TC of the Lowcountry					2	5		1	1				6
Tri-County		31			2						1		5
Trident	2	1			60	2			2				28
Williamsburg					1								12
York													6
Subtotal	15	56			87	47		20	13	1	3	10	191

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TRANSFERRING TO:

TRANSFERRING FROM:	Morris	Newberry	North Greenville	Presbyterian	South	Southern Methodist Coll.	Southern Wesleyan	Voorhees	Wofford	Total Independent Senior Institutions	Spartanburg Methodist	Independent Total	Total All Institutions
Research Institutions													
Clemson				1			2		2	19		19	261
USC Columbia	2	2		1	7					28	1	29	555
Medical University of SC													2
Subtotal	2	2		2	7		2		2	47	1	48	818
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions													
The Citadel										2	1	3	35
Coastal Carolina										15		15	233
College of Charleston									1	20		20	300
Francis Marion					1					19		19	257
Lander		1					2			10	1	11	165
SC State	2			1	1			2		43	1	44	264
USC Aiken	1	1						3		17		17	223
USC Beaufort										1		1	95
USC Upstate				1						7	5	12	236
Winthrop			3							11		11	228
Subtotal	3	2	3	2	2		2	5	1	145	8	153	2,036
Regional Campuses of USC													
USC Lancaster									1	2		2	214
USC Salkehatchie					1			1		7		7	138
USC Sumter	3									6		6	216
USC Union										5		5	89
Subtotal	3				1			1	1	20		20	657
Technical Colleges													
Aiken				1				2		12		12	137
Central Carolina	13	1			5					24		24	178
Denmark		1			2			7		31	1	32	139
Florence-Darlington	2									42	1	43	234
Greenville							2	1		43	1	44	665
Horry-Georgetown	2									19		19	296
Midlands		7			66		1			164		164	860
Northeastern										1		1	64
Orangeburg-Calhoun					2					31		31	161
Piedmont		7			1		1			29		29	271
Spartanburg CC		1							1	5	1	6	286
TC of the Lowcountry					1					16		16	75
Tri-County		1					12			52		52	511
Trident	1	1			1					98		98	570
Williamsburg	3									16		16	72
York		1			1			1		9		9	219
Subtotal	21	20		1	79		16	11	1	592	4	596	4,738

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TRANSFERRING TO:

TRANSFERRING
FROM:

	Clemson	USC - Columbia	MUSC	Subtotal Research	The Citadel	Coastal Carolina	College of Charleston	Francis Marion	Lander	SC State	USC - Aiken	USC - Beaufort	USC - Upstate	Winthrop	Subtotal Comprehensive Teaching	Subtotal Public Senior
Independent Senior Institutions																
Allen University		1		1		1	1			1			1		4	5
Anderson University	18	11		29		3	4	1	6				6	1	21	50
Benedict College		5		5		5			1	6		2		3	17	22
Bob Jones University	3			3									1	2	3	6
Charleston Southern Univ.	7	10	1	18	2	4	17	3	1	3	5	1	6	2	44	62
Claflin University	2	2		4		6		3	1	14	3			3	30	34
Coker College	3	3		6		2	1		1	1		1		2	8	14
Columbia Int'l Univ.	5	13		18		3	4	2			1	2		1	13	31
Columbia College		2		2		1				1					2	4
Converse College	10	2		12			3					1	3	2	9	21
Erskine College	10	1		11			1		3		1		5		10	21
Furman University	3	2		5		2	5	1					2		10	15
Limestone College	5	4		9	1		2		2	1	2		3	3	14	23
Lutheran Theological																
Morris College	1	3		4		1		2	2	6			2	2	15	19
Newberry College	6	10		16		3	1	3	2				3	4	16	32
North Greenville University	9	8		17		4	1	2	1	2	3	1	7	1	22	39
Presbyterian College	8	5		13		1	2	1			1		3	3	11	24
Sherman College of Chirop.																
South University		2		2						1					1	3
Southern Methodist Coll.																
Southern Wesleyan Univ.	2	2		4					1				2		3	7
Voorhees College								3	1	4	1		2		11	11
Wofford College	3	4		7		1	4	1					5		11	18
Subtotal	95	90	1	186	3	37	46	22	22	40	17	8	51	29	275	461
Two-Year Independent Institutions																
Clinton Jr. College										1					1	1
Spartanburg Methodist	22	15		37	1	6	14	9	13	2	2	2	51	13	113	150
Subtotal	22	15		37	1	6	14	9	13	3	2	2	51	13	114	151
Other Institutions																
Forest Jr. College																
ITT Technical Institute																
Miller-Motte Tech. College										1					1	1
Johnson and Wales University (Charleston)																
Cathedral Bible College																
Subtotal										1					1	1
Out-of-State	264	343	35	642	28	397	248	61	43	48	65	108	115	93	1,206	1,848
Foreign	29	1		30	1		13				3		3	3	23	53
Unknown									9	2					11	11
Subtotal	417	540	38	995	33	442	331	95	88	99	134	118	234	154	1,728	2,723

**Migration Of First-Time Undergraduate Transfers
Fall 2008**

<i>TRANFERRING FROM:</i>	USC Lancaster	USC Salkehatchie	USC Sumter	USC Union	Subtotal Regional Campuses of USC
Independent Senior Institutions					
Allen University	1				1
Anderson College					
Benedict College	1				1
Bob Jones University			2		2
Charleston Southern Univ.	1	3			4
Clafin University		2	1		3
Coker College	2	1	1		4
Columbia Int'l Univ.	2		1		3
Columbia College					
Converse College					
Erskine College					
Furman University					
Limestone College				1	1
Lutheran Theological					
Morris College	1				1
Newberry College		1			1
North Greenville University	1		1		2
Presbyterian College		1			1
Sherman College of Chirop.					
South University					
Southern Methodist Coll.					
Southern Wesleyan Univ.					
Voorhees College		2	1		3
Wofford College					
Subtotal	9	10	7	1	27
Two-Year Independent Institutions					
Clinton Jr. College					
Spartanburg Methodist	4	1	1		6
Subtotal	4	1	1		6
Other Institutions					
Forest Jr. College					
ITT Technical Institute					
Miller-Motte Tech. College					
Johnson and Wales University (Charleston)					
Cathedral Bible College					
Subtotal					
Out-of-State	15	13	25	5	58
Foreign					
Unknown					
Subtotal	90	94	112	23	319

Migration Of First-Time Undergraduate Transfers Fall 2008

TRANSFERRING TO:

TRANSFERRING FROM:	Aiken	Central Carolina	Denmark	Florence-Darlington	Greenville	Horry-Georgetown	Midlands	Northeastern
Independent Senior Institutions								
Allen University					1	1	4	
Anderson University	1				21		7	1
Benedict College	2	5	2	5	5		21	
Bob Jones University					20		2	
Charleston Southern Univ.	3	4	1	6	5	2	12	
Clafin University		2	1	7	3		13	1
Coker College	1	1		14		6	5	1
Columbia Int'l Univ.	1	2		4		1	20	
Columbia College							5	
Converse College				1	1			
Erskine College				1	3		2	
Furman University		1			7		2	
Limestone College	1				5		3	
Lutheran Theological								
Morris College	2	12	4	14	5		5	1
Newberry College					2	1	17	
North Greenville University		2		3	26	2	5	
Presbyterian College	1			2	8		6	2
Sherman College of Chirop.								
South University				2	2		7	
Southern Methodist Coll.							1	
Southern Wesleyan Univ.					7	1		
Voorhees College	1	2	2	4	2	3	4	2
Wofford College					1		2	
Subtotal	13	31	10	63	124	17	143	8
Two-Year Independent Institutions								
Clinton Jr. College								
Spartanburg Methodist	2			3	16	4	18	
Subtotal	2			3	16	4	18	
Other Institutions								
Forest Jr. College								
ITT Technical Institute								
Miller-Motte Tech. College						1		
Johnson and Wales University (Charleston)								
Cathedral Bible College						1		
Subtotal						2		
Out-of-State	139	138	4	104	451	195	371	18
Foreign								
Unknown								
Subtotal	272	280	26	420	1,014	386	1,209	62

Migration Of First-Time Undergraduate Transfers Fall 2008

TRANSFERRING TO:

TRANSFERRING FROM:	Orangeburg/ Calhoun	Piedmont	Spartanburg CC	TC of the Lowcountry	Tri-County	Trident	Williamsburg	York	Total All Technical
Independent Senior Institutions									
Allen University	1	1				1			9
Anderson University	1	1	1		34	2		1	70
Benedict College	6	1	3		1	7	1		59
Bob Jones University					1	1		2	26
Charleston Southern Univ.	1	1	2	3		35			75
Clafin University	25				1	3	3	2	61
Coker College					1	2		1	32
Columbia Int'l Univ.	1	1	1			3		2	36
Columbia College									5
Converse College	1		3			1		2	9
Erskine College		3			2	2		1	14
Furman University					1	2			13
Limestone College			18			6		4	37
Lutheran Theological									
Morris College	1		2		1	2	3	1	53
Newberry College	3	2	1		2	7		1	36
North Greenville University		2	6		6	1		2	55
Presbyterian College		3	2		4	1		1	30
Sherman College of Chirop.									
South University	1					2		1	15
Southern Methodist Coll.									1
Southern Wesleyan Univ.			2		11				21
Voorhees College	3	1		1		2			27
Wofford College			2		1	1			7
Subtotal	44	16	43	4	66	81	7	21	691
Two-Year Independent Institutions									
Clinton Jr. College									
Spartanburg Methodist	2	2	35	2	7	5		11	107
Subtotal	2	2	35	2	7	5		11	107
Other Institutions									
Forest Jr. College									
ITT Technical Institute		1	2						3
Miller-Motte Tech. College									1
Johnson and Wales University (Charleston)				3		1			4
Cathedral Bible College									1
Subtotal		1	2	3		1			9
Out-of-State	45	108	99	203	130	481	2	220	2,708
Foreign									
Unknown									
Subtotal	287	276	367	285	475	906	39	479	6,783

Migration Of First-Time Undergraduate Transfers Fall 2008

TRANSFERRING TO:

TRANSFERRING
FROM:

	Allen	Anderson	Benedict	Bob Jones	Charleston Southern	Clafin	Coker	Columbia College	Columbia International	Converse	Erskine	Furman	Limestone
Independent Senior Institutions													
Allen University													
Anderson University									1				2
Benedict College	3	1			1	1							5
Bob Jones University		1			1			1					
Charleston Southern Univ.								2					6
Clafin University					3			2					
Coker College					1								
Columbia Int'l Univ.		1			1	2			1				2
Columbia College					1			1					
Converse College								2					1
Erskine College		2											
Furman University													
Limestone College					1								
Lutheran Theological													
Morris College	3	1			2	1		1					3
Newberry College		1			1							1	
North Greenville University		1							1				4
Presbyterian College		3				1							
Sherman College of Chiropr.													
South University						2		2					1
Southern Methodist Coll.													
Southern Wesleyan Univ.		1			2	1							1
Voorhees College	1					4							2
Wofford College											1		1
Subtotal	7	12			14	12		11	3		1	1	28
Two-Year Independent Institutions													
Clinton Jr. College													
Spartanburg Methodist		2			1			3		5	4		6
Subtotal		2			1			3		5	4		6
Other Institutions													
Forest Jr. College		1											
ITT Technical Institute													
Miller-Motte Tech. College													
Johnson and Wales University (Charleston)													
Cathedral Bible College													
Subtotal		1											
Out-of-State	9	33		146	97	13		14	24	3	6	25	
Foreign		3		2	1	1		6	2		1	2	
Unknown	6		113	73	40	8	38	59	2	9		7	131
Subtotal	38	125	113	221	278	97	38	118	58	19	17	54	421

Migration Of First-Time Undergraduate Transfers Fall 2008

TRANSFERRING TO:

TRANSFERRING
FROM:

	Morris	Newberry	North Greenville	Presbyterian	South *	Southern Methodist Coll.	Southern Wesleyan	Voorhees	Wofford	Total Independent Senior	Spartanburg Methodist	Total Independent Institutions	Grand Total All Institutions
Independent Senior Institutions													
Allen University													15
Anderson University							2			5		5	125
Benedict College	1				1					13		13	95
Bob Jones University			8							11		11	45
Charleston Southern Univ.					1					9	2	11	152
Claflin University	1	1			1					8		8	106
Coker College										1		1	51
Columbia Int'l Univ.							2			9		9	79
Columbia College										2		2	11
Converse College										3	1	4	34
Erskine College										2		2	37
Furman University		1								1		1	29
Limestone College				1			1		1	4	1	5	66
Lutheran Theological							2			2		2	2
Morris College										11		11	84
Newberry College				2						5		5	74
North Greenville University				1	1	1	1			10		10	106
Presbyterian College										4		4	59
Sherman College of Chiropr.													
South University *										5		5	23
Southern Methodist Coll.													1
Southern Wesleyan Univ.										5		5	33
Voorhees College	1				1					9		9	50
Wofford College				2						4		4	29
Subtotal	3	2	8	6	5	1	8		1	123	4	127	1,306
Two-Year Independent Institutions													
Clinton Jr. College													1
Spartanburg Methodist		7		1					1	30		30	293
Subtotal		7		1					1	30		30	294
Other Institutions													
Forest Jr. College										1		1	1
ITT Technical Institute													3
Miller-Motte Tech. College													2
Johnson and Wales University (Charleston)													4
Cathedral Bible College													1
Subtotal										1		1	11
Out-of-State	7	28	92	10	24		17	9	9	566	8	574	5,188
Foreign		1		1	1				1	22		22	75
Unknown			9		9		8	2		514		514	525
Total	39	62	112	23	128	1	53	28	17	2,060	25	2,085	15,648

Degrees Awarded



A degree is a credential awarded by a college to a student who has completed a required course of study.

When a bachelor's degree is earned, it means examinations have been passed in a broad range of courses and a student has studied one or two subject areas in greater depth.

A graduate degree is usually earned through two or more years of advanced studies beyond four years of college.

Credentials that could be earned:

- **Associate's Degree:** Awarded upon completion of a specific program; usually requires two years of full-time study and 60–70 credits.
- **Bachelor's Degree (baccalaureate degree):** Granted upon completion of a specific program; usually requires four years of full-time study and 126–132 credits.
- **Master's Degree:** Granted upon completion of a specific program; usually requires one to three years and approximately 30–40 credits beyond a bachelor's degree.
- **Doctoral Degree:** Awarded upon completion of a specialized program of study; usually requires three to five years beyond a bachelor's degree.
- **Certificate:** Granted upon completion of a specific program; generally a trade or technical specialty. Usually requires fewer than 18 months of training. [In South Carolina **Diplomas** are also awarded.]

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Ten-Year Summary of Degrees Awarded*

1998-99 to 2007-08

	1998-99	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08	% Change	
											2007-08 Over	2006-07 Over
Research Institutions												
Clemson	3,525	3,537	3,771	3,693	3,917	3,913	4,080	3,971	3,896	4,049	14.9%	3.9%
USC Columbia	5,799	5,772	5,743	5,528	5,497	5,569	5,688	5,946	6,086	6,175	6.5%	1.5%
Medical University of SC	684	715	730	739	706	674	717	811	801	899	31.4%	12.2%
Subtotal	10,008	10,024	10,244	9,960	10,120	10,156	10,485	10,728	10,783	11,123	11.1%	3.2%
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions												
The Citadel	628	561	564	606	682	682	743	670	806	688	9.6%	-14.6%
Coastal Carolina	657	639	684	722	830	798	936	977	1,079	1,162	76.9%	7.7%
College of Charleston	1,897	1,971	1,963	1,961	2,282	2,251	2,214	2,270	2,237	2,333	23.0%	4.3%
Francis Marion	667	599	518	512	540	504	573	604	630	605	-9.3%	-4.0%
Lander	440	414	403	417	426	473	489	464	477	419	-4.8%	-12.2%
SC State	777	880	864	821	808	750	714	661	681	705	-9.3%	3.5%
USC Aiken	514	469	533	549	531	554	587	514	492	519	1.0%	5.5%
USC Beaufort	61	87	63	72	79	73	152	127	136	162	165.6%	19.1%
USC Upstate	587	629	634	691	786	793	894	909	922	939	60.0%	1.8%
Winthrop	940	1,032	952	1,004	1,084	1,165	1,159	1,294	1,237	1,212	28.9%	-2.0%
Subtotal	7,168	7,281	7,178	7,355	8,048	8,043	8,461	8,490	8,697	8,744	22.0%	0.5%
Regional Campuses of USC												
USC Lancaster	106	114	121	136	121	115	121	152	153	143	34.9%	-6.5%
USC Salkehatchie	94	93	83	90	80	86	94	78	62	55	-41.5%	-11.3%
USC Sumter	157	152	163	161	119	70	74	63	54	91	-42.0%	68.5%
USC Union	25	51	35	52	45	59	56	57	48	70	180.0%	45.8%
Subtotal	382	410	402	439	365	330	345	350	317	359	-6.0%	13.2%
Technical Colleges												
Aiken	153	140	175	191	176	167	206	220	202	224	46.4%	10.9%
Central Carolina	232	193	176	186	204	236	239	196	220	216	-6.9%	-1.8%
Denmark	96	98	111	138	162	186	142	141	106	133	38.5%	25.5%
Florence - Darlington	342	315	355	425	404	422	405	403	395	376	9.9%	-4.8%
Greenville	730	721	691	831	801	881	939	886	974	1,034	41.6%	6.2%
Horry - Georgetown	346	359	389	393	440	435	507	562	508	498	43.9%	-2.0%
Midlands	800	841	796	831	827	828	844	872	824	905	13.1%	9.8%
Northeastern	94	90	101	79	76	106	106	118	132	119	26.6%	-9.8%
Orangeburg - Calhoun	209	195	192	199	217	218	239	260	258	224	7.2%	-13.2%
Piedmont	377	376	380	397	473	551	491	459	490	508	34.7%	3.7%
Spartanburg CC	228	273	328	285	347	377	370	400	345	383	68.0%	11.0%
TC of the Lowcountry	119	122	116	106	112	128	149	140	122	148	24.4%	21.3%
Tri-County	346	390	385	403	430	486	470	460	413	511	47.7%	23.7%
Trident	713	789	848	884	982	956	920	996	998	914	28.2%	-8.4%
Williamsburg	50	36	16	38	32	38	42	57	59	56	12.0%	-5.1%
York	307	252	248	250	261	282	262	325	394	360	17.3%	-8.6%
Subtotal	5,142	5,190	5,307	5,636	5,944	6,297	6,331	6,495	6,440	6,609	28.5%	2.6%
Total Public Institutions	22,700	22,905	23,131	23,390	24,477	24,826	25,622	26,063	26,237	26,835	18.2%	2.3%

* Excludes Certificates and Diplomas

Ten-Year Summary of Degrees Awarded¹ (continued)
1998-99 to 2007-08

	1998-99	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08	% Change	
											2007-08 Over	2006-07 Over
Independent Senior Institutions												
Allen University	23 ²	32	41	50	46	67	83	50	61	45	95.7%	-26.2%
Anderson University	120	156	209	213	224	232	265	261	284	233	94.2%	-18.0%
Benedict College	199	216	252	277	357	385	312	336	303	343	72.4%	13.2%
Bob Jones University	768	894	733	722	861	891	868	933	861	903	17.6%	4.9%
Charleston Southern University	394	368	353	375	433	398	394	476	536	568	44.2%	6.0%
Clafflin University	142	203	129	231	244	258	305	281	303	305	114.8%	0.7%
Coker College	171	199	176	197	207	198	218	252	221	240	40.4%	8.6%
Columbia College	303	162	328	340	384	454	479	510	441	430	41.9%	-2.5%
Columbia International University	226	256	282	282	310	270	273	321	317	271	19.9%	-14.5%
Converse College	366	305	369	364	359	394	362	348	420	403	10.1%	-4.0%
Erskine College	160	179	145	164	171	157	208	159	188	167	4.4%	-11.2%
Furman University	762	706	765	746	742	716	830	814	779	743	-2.5%	-4.6%
Limestone College	344	399	433	419	485	495	678	735	796	463	34.6%	-41.8%
Lutheran Theological Seminary	35	52	30	3 ³	43	32	40	32	37	39	11.4%	5.4%
Morris College	186	170	147	146	158	168	163	158	140	106	-43.0%	-24.3%
Newberry College	118	151	115	149	124	113	138	139	132	134	13.6%	1.5%
North Greenville University	151	164	201	238	200	248	265	292	318	358	137.1%	12.6%
Presbyterian College	256	247	208	222	256	257	225	266	226	247	-3.5%	9.3%
Sherman Coll. of Straight Chiro.	111	132	100	107	80	129	143	111	86	79	-28.8%	-8.1%
South University	40	60	4	50	48	45	72	83	111	150	275.0%	35.1%
Southern Methodist College	15	7	3	8	13	25	15	30	12	6	-60.0%	-50.0%
Southern Wesleyan University	302	343	324	442	563	760	766	796	898	893	195.7%	-0.6%
Voorhees College	210	169	170	153	143	143	154	169	170	124	-41.0%	-27.1%
Wofford College	252	253	245	265	253	247	263	279	278	296	17.5%	6.5%
Subtotal	5,654	5,823	5,762	6,163	6,704	7,082	7,519	7,831	7,918	7,546	33.5%	-4.7%
Two-Year Independent Institutions												
Spartanburg Methodist College	138	118	89	114	134	140	159	159	163	195	41.3%	19.6%
Subtotal	138	118	89	114	134	140	159	159	163	195	41.3%	19.6%
Total Independent Institutions	5,792	5,941	5,851	6,277	6,838	7,222	7,678	7,990	8,081	7,741	33.6%	-4.2%
Total All Institutions	28,492	28,846	28,982	29,667	31,315	32,048	33,300	34,053	34,318	34,576	21.4%	0.8%

¹ Excludes Certificates and Diplomas

² 1997-1998 Data used

³ Data Not Reported

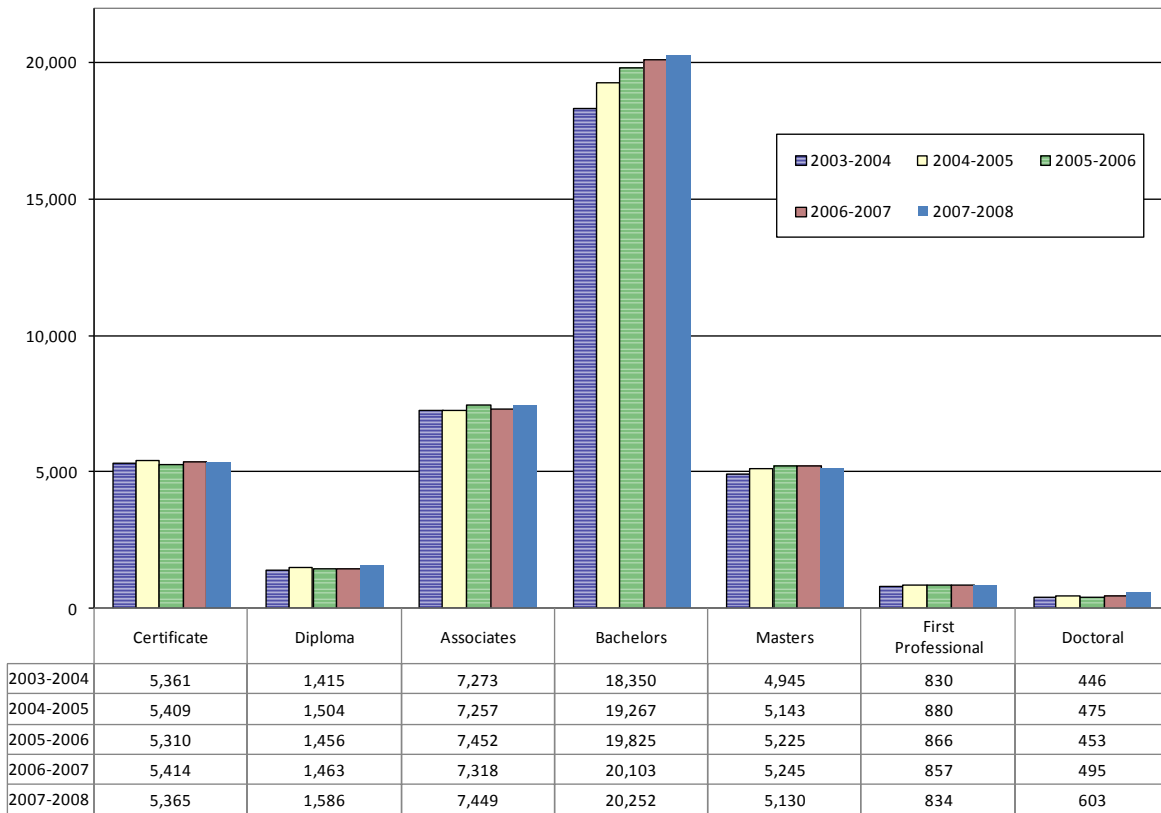
**Total Degrees Awarded by Level
July 1, 2007 to June 30, 2008**

	Certificate	Diploma	Associate's	Bachelor's	Post Bachelor's	First Professional	Master's	Post Master's	Specialist	Doctoral	Total Degrees
Research Institutions											
Clemson				3,075			816		13	145	4,049
USC Columbia		13	11	3,823	47	396	1,574		68	243	6,175
Medical University of S.C.				182	7	267	269	6		168	899
Subtotal		13	11	7,080	54	663	2,659	6	81	556	11,123
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions											
The Citadel				467			214		7		688
Coastal Carolina				1,076			86				1,162
College of Charleston				2,140	4		189				2,333
Francis Marion				501			104				605
Lander University	1			404			14				419
SC State				554			98	3	37	13	705
USC Aiken				502			17				519
USC Beaufort			24	138							162
USC Upstate				927			12				939
Winthrop	8			930			262		12		1,212
Subtotal	9		24	7,639	4		996	3	56	13	8,744
Regional Campuses of USC											
USC Lancaster			143								143
USC Salkehatchie			55								55
USC Sumter			91								91
USC Union			70								70
Subtotal			359								359
Technical Colleges											
Aiken	356	56	224								636
Central Carolina	289	75	216								580
Denmark	101	37	133								271
Florence-Darlington	131	156	376								663
Greenville	1,445	249	1,034								2,728
Horry-Georgetown	231	69	498								798
Midlands	683	116	905								1,704
Northeastern	106	33	119								258
Orangeburg-Calhoun	159	67	224								450
Piedmont	411	179	508								1,098
Spartanburg CC	143	74	383								600
TC of the Lowcountry	107	39	148								294
Tri-County	197	161	511								869
Trident	594	113	914								1,621
Williamsburg	46	11	56								113
York	357	125	360								842
Subtotal	5,356	1,560	6,609								13,525
Total Public Institutions	5,365	1,573	7,003	14,719	58	663	3,655	9	137	569	33,751

Total Degrees Awarded by Level (continued)
July 1, 2007 to June 30, 2008

	Certificate	Diploma	Associate's	Bachelor's	Post Bachelor's	First Professional	Master's	Post Master's	Specialist	Doctoral	Total Degrees
Independent Senior Institutions											
Allen University				45							45
Anderson University				220			13				233
Benedict College				343							343
Bob Jones University		11	59	649		14	146		10	14	903
Charleston Southern University			1	437			130				568
Clafin University				274			31				305
Coker College				240							240
Columbia College				220			210				430
Columbia International Univ.		1		118	12	19	111			10	271
Converse College				171			208		24		403
Erskine College		1		117		28	11			10	167
Furman University				651	21		71				743
Limestone College			62	401							463
Lutheran Theological So. Semin						31	6	2			39
Morris College				106							106
Newberry College				134							134
North Greenville University			6	319			33				358
Presbyterian College				247							247
Sherman Coll. of Straight Chiro.						79					79
South University			50	39			61				150
Southern Methodist College				6							6
Southern Wesleyan University			73	376			444				893
Voorhees College				124							124
Wofford College				296							296
Subtotal		13	251	5,533	33	171	1,475	2	34	34	7,546
Two-Year Independent Institutions											
Spartanburg Methodist College			195								195
Subtotal			195								195
Total Independent Institutions		13	446	5,533	33	171	1,475	2	34	34	7,741
Total All Institutions	5,365	1,586	7,449	20,252	91	834	5,130	11	171	603	41,492

**S.C. Public & Independent Institutions
Five Year Trend of Degrees Awarded
2004-2008**



1 Year Net Change	-49	123	131	149	-115	-23	108
5 Year Net Change	4	171	176	1,902	185	4	157

Bachelor's degrees awarded in South Carolina Public and Independent Institutions show steady growth over the five year period while other degrees awarded remained relatively level.

See previous page and previous Abstracts for details of the graphical information.

S.C. Public & Independent Institutions
Total Degrees Awarded
By Race, Gender & Academic Discipline
July 1, 2007 to June 30, 2008

Summary of All Degrees

Degree Level	White		African American		Unknown Race		Non-Resident Alien		Asian/Pacific Islander		Hispanic		American Ind./Alaskan Nat.		Total		Grand Total
	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	
Certificates	1,560	1,828	584	1,115	36	52	3	1	23	46	49	49	11	8	2,266	3,099	5,365
Diplomas	200	820	69	436	6	20	0	0	5	10	2	12	0	6	282	1,304	1,586
Associate's Degrees	1,862	3,108	498	1,590	50	80	5	14	35	59	48	77	8	15	2,506	4,943	7,449
Bachelor's Degrees	6,127	8,112	1,315	2,668	487	580	170	115	128	192	124	181	28	25	8,379	11,873	20,252
Post-Bachelor's Degrees	18	42	7	5	3	9	1	1	0	2	0	3	0	0	29	62	91
Master's Degrees	1,141	2,455	172	628	128	157	162	125	35	46	24	35	11	11	1,673	3,457	5,130
Post-Master's Degrees	1	3	0	6	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	9	11
First Professional Degrees	333	309	23	38	5	11	19	26	19	27	12	8	1	3	412	422	834
Specialist Degrees	26	84	12	41	4	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	43	128	171
Doctoral Degrees	152	205	16	28	11	11	110	45	6	12	3	3	1	0	299	304	603
Grand Total	11,420	16,966	2,696	6,555	730	921	471	327	251	394	263	370	60	68	15,891	25,601	41,492

NOTE: Race categories are arranged by largest number of students to smallest based on Summary Totals.

S.C. Public & Independent Institutions
Total Degrees Awarded
By Race, Gender & Academic Discipline
July 1, 2007 to June 30, 2008

Certificates

Discipline	White/Non-Hispanic		Black/African American		Unknown		Non-Resident/Alien		Asian/Pacific Islander		Hispanic		American Indian/Alaskan Native		Total		Discipline Total
	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	
Agriculture, Agriculture Operations	8	1	2												10	1	11
Natural Resources & Conservation	4														4		4
Communications Technologies	9	3								2					9	5	14
Computer & Information Sciences	198	71	44	28	2		1		3		10				258	99	357
Personal & Culinary Services	7	94	7	53	1	6			1	3		3			16	159	175
Engineering Technologies/Technician	167	22	95	14	5	4	1		4	2	5	2	2		279	44	323
Foreign Languages, Literatures	1	1		1											1	2	3
Family & Consumer Sciences		72	2	124						4		1			2	201	203
Legal Professions & Studies	6	46	3	13		2				1		2			9	64	73
Liberal Arts & Sciences, General	28	76	14	92		2				2	1	2			43	174	217
Multi/Interdisciplinary Studies		12	1	13			1								2	25	27
Science Technologies/Technicians	2	1									1				3	1	4
Security & Protective Services	26	39	2	22					1					1	29	62	91
Public Administration	5	61	3	65		6						5			8	137	145
Social Sciences	27	1				2									29	1	30
Construction Trades	32	1	21	2	1						1				55	3	58
Mechanic & Repair Technologies	663	15	212	25	24				6	1	18		7		930	41	971
Precision Production	160	17	81	4					2		1	1	1		245	22	267
Transportation & Materials Moving	45	10	29	3							2				76	13	89
Visual & Performing Arts	11	24	1	4					1		1	1			14	29	43
Health Professions & Related Clinical Sciences	89	912	35	465	1	19			3	21	3	28		3	131	1,448	1,579
Business, Management, Marketing	72	349	32	187		13		1	2	10	6	4	1	4	113	568	681
Certificate Degree Totals	1,560	1,828	584	1,115	36	52	3	1	23	46	49	49	11	8	2,266	3,099	5,365

Diplomas

Discipline	White/Non-Hispanic		Black/African American		Unknown		Non-Resident/Alien		Asian/Pacific Islander		Hispanic		American Indian/Alaskan Native		Total		Discipline Total
	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	
Communications Technologies	2	3	2	1							1			1	5	5	10
Personal & Culinary Services	2	15	17	45	1				1					1	21	61	82
Engineering Technologies/Technician	4	1	1												5	1	6
Family & Consumer Sciences		28		44		1				1						74	74
Theology & Religious Vocations	1	1													1	1	2
Construction Trades	3														3		3
Mechanic & Repair Technologies	61		17		1				1						80		80
Precision Production	69	4	15	1					2		1				87	5	92
Visual & Performing Arts	8	4				1									8	5	13
Health Professions & Related Clinical Sciences	49	690	15	279	4	17			1	9		12		3	69	1,010	1,079
Business, Management, Marketing	1	74	2	66		1								1	3	142	145
Diploma Degree Totals	200	820	69	436	6	20	0	0	5	10	2	12	0	6	282	1,304	1,586

NOTE: Race categories are arranged by largest number of students to smallest based on Summary Totals.

S.C. Public & Independent Institutions
Total Degrees Awarded
By Race, Gender & Academic Discipline
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Associate's Degrees

Discipline	White/Non-Hispanic		Black/African American		Unknown		Non-Resident/Alien		Asian/Pacific Islander		Hispanic		American Indian/Alaskan Native		Total		Discipline Total
	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	
Agriculture, Agriculture Operations	32	9			3										35	9	44
Natural Resources & Conservation	18	4		1	1										19	5	24
Communications Technologies	17	3	2	4					1	1	1				20	9	29
Computer & Information Sciences	148	41	52	35	4	1			1	2	6		1		212	79	291
Personal & Culinary Services	17	29	3	11		1		1	1	1		2			21	45	66
Education		2		1												3	3
Engineering Technologies/Technician	173	19	41	12	3	1			2		3	1			222	33	255
Foreign Languages, Literatures				1												1	1
Family & Consumer Sciences	2	74	7	153		3				2		1		1	9	234	243
Legal Professions & Studies	7	85	1	44		3				1				2	8	135	143
Liberal Arts & Sciences, General	468	739	141	349	16	23	3	7	10	22	20	23	2	2	660	1,165	1,825
Multi/Interdisciplinary Studies	175	100	45	55	2	1			2	1	3	2	3	1	230	160	390
Theology & Religious Vocations	4	2													4	2	6
Security & Protective Services	102	101	24	85	2	2		1	1		2	5			131	194	325
Public Administration	4	57	10	120		4						3			14	184	198
Social Sciences	12				1										13		13
Construction Trades	9														9		9
Mechanic & Repair Technologies	223	11	46	3	6		1		2	1	2				280	15	295
Precision Production	49	4	5	1					3		1				58	5	63
Visual & Performing Arts	14	15	6	5	2	1		1	1		1				23	23	46
Health Professions & Related Clinical Sciences	184	1,247	21	337	5	20	1	3	7	26	2	24	1	6	221	1,663	1,884
Business, Management, Marketing	204	566	94	373	5	20		1	5	2	8	14	1	3	317	979	1,296
Associate Degree Totals	1,862	3,108	498	1,590	50	80	5	14	35	59	48	77	8	15	2,506	4,943	7,449

NOTE: Race categories are arranged by largest number of students to smallest based on Summary Totals.

S.C. Public & Independent Institutions
Total Degrees Awarded
By Race, Gender & Academic Discipline
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Bachelor's Degrees

Discipline	White/Non-Hispanic		Black/African American		Unknown		Non-Resident/Alien		Asian/Pacific Islander		Hispanic		American Indian/Alaskan Native		Total		Discipline Total
	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	
	Agriculture, Agriculture Operations	87	50	5		10	6					1	2			103	
Natural Resources & Conservation	27	10		1	1		1	1							29	12	41
Architecture & Related Services	44	25	3	5	8	2					1	1			56	33	89
Area, Ethnic, Cultural, & Gender	4	10	2	6		2					1				7	18	25
Communication, Journalism	225	537	64	121	17	43	5	9	2	10	4	14		2	317	736	1,053
Computer & Information Sciences	152	20	53	19	12	1	10		9	2	8				244	42	286
Personal & Culinary Services	1	4													1	4	5
Education	226	1,296	83	212	7	55	6	6	1	12	4	10		7	327	1,598	1,925
Engineering	476	77	32	15	64	12	16	1	15	4	7	2	2	1	612	112	724
Engineering Technologies/Technician	11	1	17	6					1						29	7	36
Foreign Languages, Literatures	60	195	3	12	1	16	2	1	1	1	4	13	1		72	238	310
Family & Consumer Sciences	2	34	18	83		1					2			1	20	122	142
Legal Professions & Studies	6	1	3	9											9	11	20
English Language & Literature	149	346	20	67	8	25		1	4	9				1	181	451	632
Liberal Arts & Sciences, General	80	136	31	67	2	11	3	1	1	1	2	5			119	221	340
Biological & Biomedical Sciences	343	520	69	213	17	43	9	7	22	35	13	15		2	475	835	1,310
Mathematics & Statistics	71	55	21	18	6	3	5	5	1	1			2		106	82	188
Multi/Interdisciplinary Studies	27	38		8	2	2									29	49	78
Parks, Recreation, Leisure & Fitness	214	196	97	55	25	12	5	4	4	2		3			345	272	617
Philosophy & Religious Studies	90	76	13	9	6	1	1		2		2	2	1		115	88	203
Theology & Religious Vocations	126	96	5	6	10	5	3	2		1	2	2			146	112	258
Physical Sciences	149	112	8	30	8	5	6	4	7	7	2	1			180	159	339
Science Technologies/Technicians	20	5	4	2	1				1						26	7	33
Psychology	164	619	51	221	13	46	5	11	5	10	4	21		4	242	932	1,174
Security & Protective Services	155	68	68	130	13	9	1		2	1	4	2	1		244	210	454
Public Administration	2	27	12	116								1			14	144	158
Social Sciences	576	566	119	311	52	59	8	11	11	11	14	21	3	1	783	980	1,763
Construction Trades	7														7		7
Mechanic & Repair Technologies	2				1										3		3
Transportation & Materials Moving	4	1													4	1	5
Visual & Performing Arts	312	595	70	57	35	33	3	9		12	6	10	1	2	427	718	1,145
Health Professions & Related Clinical Sciences	111	773	29	186	6	66	1	4	5	26	5	17	1	1	158	1,073	1,231
Business, Management, Marketing	1,875	1,443	391	650	138	108	79	36	29	41	37	34	10	3	2,559	2,315	4,874
History	329	180	24	33	24	14	1	2	5	2	3	2	4		390	233	623
Bachelor's Degrees Total	6,127	8,112	1,315	2,668	487	580	170	115	128	192	124	181	28	25	8,379	11,873	20,252

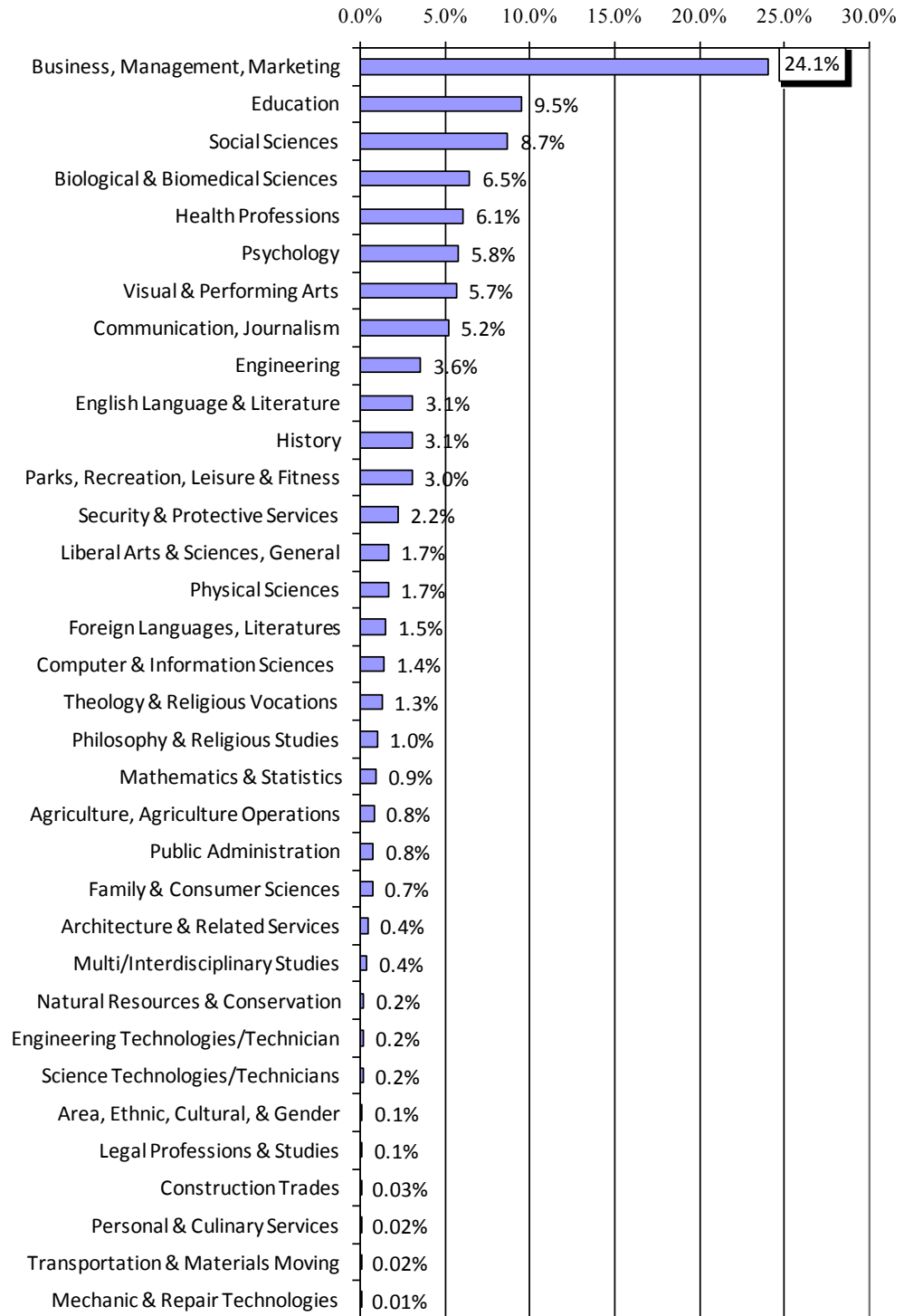
Post-Bachelor's Certificates

Discipline	White/Non-Hispanic		Black/African American		Unknown		Non-Resident/Alien		Asian/Pacific Islander		Hispanic		American Indian/Alaskan Native		Total		Discipline Total
	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	
	Area, Ethnic, Cultural, & Gender		1	1	1		1									1	
Computer & Information Sciences	1							1							1	1	2
Education	6	23	4	1	1	2					1				11	27	38
Foreign Languages, Literatures	1	1				3	1					1			2	5	7
Library Science	1	2				1									1	3	4
Mathematics & Statistics	1														1		1
Multi/Interdisciplinary Studies		7	1	1		1						1			1	10	11
Theology & Religious Vocations	5	4	1						2						6	6	12
Visual & Performing Arts		1		1		1										3	3
Health Professions & Related Clinical Sciences	3	3		1		2									5	4	9
Post-Bachelor's Degrees Total	18	42	7	5	3	9	1	1	0	2	0	3	0	0	29	62	91

NOTE: Race categories are arranged by largest number of students to smallest based on Summary Totals.

Bachelor's Degrees Awarded By Discipline 2007-2008

The chart shows the number of bachelor's degrees awarded by South Carolina institutions in each discipline as a percent of the total number of bachelor's degrees awarded in 2007-2008. Business, Management, and Marketing continues the 10 year pattern of having the most degrees awarded (percent to total) in S.C. See previous page for details of the graphical information.



S.C. Public & Independent Institutions
Total Degrees Awarded
By Race, Gender & Academic Discipline
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Master's Degrees

Discipline	White/Non-Hispanic		Black/African American		Unknown		Non-Resident/Alien		Asian/Pacific Islander		Hispanic		American Indian/Alaskan Native		Total		Discipline Total
	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	
Agriculture, Agriculture Operations	11	9			1	1								1	12	11	23
Natural Resources & Conservation	19	17	1					2				1			20	20	40
Architecture & Related Services	15	18	2		4	1		4		1					21	24	45
Communication, Journalism	12	30		3	2	3									14	36	50
Computer & Information Sciences	14	1	2		1		11	6	1						29	7	36
Education	257	1,177	60	281	16	55	6	1	4	3	11	3	5	340	1,539	1,879	
Engineering	79	24	8	1	14	2	64	26	7	2	1		1	174	55	229	
Foreign Languages, Literatures	4	18			2	6	3	3						9	27	36	
Family & Consumer Sciences	1	7	1	15		1				1				2	24	26	
English Language & Literature	20	43		4	4				1					24	48	72	
Liberal Arts & Sciences, General	1	3												1	3	4	
Library Science	32	132	2	9	2	13	1		1		2	2		40	156	196	
Biological & Biomedical Sciences	15	45	3	5	1	3	7	9		2	2	1		28	65	93	
Mathematics & Statistics	14	17	2		4	2	10	7		1		1	1	30	29	59	
Multi/Interdisciplinary Studies	2	8		1	1		1	1						4	10	14	
Parks, Recreation, Leisure & Fitness	11	14	2		1	1	1	2			1			16	17	33	
Philosophy & Religious Studies	4	2		1	1	1								5	4	9	
Theology & Religious Vocations	64	15	5	5	8		4	4	1	5	2			84	29	113	
Physical Sciences	13	11	2	1	2	1	4	3		1				21	17	38	
Psychology	16	101	6	54	1	1		2		1		4		23	163	186	
Security & Protective Services	4	7			2	1			1	1				7	9	16	
Public Administration	24	118	10	74	2	18	4	6			2	2	1	1	43	219	262
Social Sciences	33	15	2	3	6	1	5	4	1		1			48	23	71	
Visual & Performing Arts	22	48	2	3	4	4	2	1		2				30	58	88	
Health Professions & Related Clinical Sciences	67	291	18	51	6	25	6	11	5	8	3	7	1	1	106	394	500
Business, Management, Marketing	363	269	43	116	40	17	39	26	17	17	7	6	5	1	514	452	966
History	24	15	1	1	3		1							1	28	18	46
Master's Degrees Total	1,141	2,455	172	628	128	157	162	125	35	46	24	35	11	11	1,673	3,457	5,130

Post-Master's Certificates

Discipline	White/Non-Hispanic		Black/African American		Unknown		Non-Resident/Alien		Asian/Pacific Islander		Hispanic		American Indian/Alaskan Native		Total		Discipline Total
	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	
Family & Consumer Sciences/Human				3												3	3
Theology & Religious Vocations				1			1								1	1	2
Health Professions & Related Clinical Sciences	1	3		2											1	5	6
Post-Master's Degrees Total	1	3		6			1								2	9	11

NOTE: Race categories are arranged by largest number of students to smallest based on Summary Totals.

**S.C. Public & Independent Institutions
Total Degrees Awarded
By Race, Gender & Academic Discipline
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First Professional Degrees

Discipline	White/Non-Hispanic		Black/African American		Unknown		Non-Resident/Alien		Asian/Pacific Islander		Hispanic		American Indian/Alaskan Native		Total		Discipline Total
	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	
Legal Professions & Studies	109	70	5	7	2		1	4	1	6	5	2		1	123	90	213
Theology & Religious Vocations	37	9	6	3	2		12	20	1		1		1		60	32	92
Health Professions & Related Clinical Sciences	187	230	12	28	1	11	6	2	17	21	6	6		2	229	300	529
First Professional Degrees Total	333	309	23	38	5	11	19	26	19	27	12	8	1	3	412	422	834

Specialist Degrees

Discipline	White/Non-Hispanic		Black/African American		Unknown		Non-Resident/Alien		Asian/Pacific Islander		Hispanic		American Indian/Alaskan Native		Total		Discipline Total
	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	
Education	23	64	12	39	4	1					1	1			40	105	145
Library Science	2	3													2	3	5
Psychology	1	10		2							1				1	13	14
Health Professions & Related Clinical Sciences		7														7	7
Specialist Degree Totals	26	84	12	41	4	1					1	2			43	128	171

Doctoral Degrees

Discipline	White/Non-Hispanic		Black/African American		Unknown		Non-Resident/Alien		Asian/Pacific Islander		Hispanic		American Indian/Alaskan Native		Total		Discipline Total
	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	
Agriculture, Agriculture Operations	4	2					6	4							10	6	16
Natural Resources & Conservation			1												1		1
Communication, Journalism	1														1		1
Computer & Information Sciences	4	1					1		1						6	1	7
Education	19	22	5	10	1	1		4		1					25	38	63
Engineering	12	3	1		2		60	12			1	1			76	16	92
Foreign Languages, Literatures		2						1								3	3
English Language & Literature	3	8						1							3	9	12
Biological & Biomedical Sciences	25	29	1		2	2	9	3	2	3					39	37	76
Mathematics & Statistics	4	3					8	2			1				13	5	18
Multi/Interdisciplinary Studies		1														1	1
Parks, Recreation, Leisure & Fitness	2	1	1			1		1							3	3	6
Philosophy & Religious Studies	1	1					1								2	2	4
Theology & Religious Vocations	22				2		2		1	1					27	1	28
Physical Sciences	10	5	2	2	2	1	13	6		2		1			27	17	44
Psychology	5	15	1	1				2							6	18	24
Public Administration	3	3						2							3	5	8
Social Sciences	3	4			1		1	3							5	7	12
Visual & Performing Arts	2	4					1		1		1				4	5	9
Health Professions & Related Clinical Sciences	30	100	4	14	1	5	4	3	2	4		1	1		42	127	169
Business, Management, Marketing				1		1	4	1							4	3	7
History	2	1													2	1	3
Doctoral Degree Total	152	205	16	28	11	11	110	45	6	12	3	3	1	0	299	304	603

NOTE: Race categories are arranged by largest number of students to smallest based on Summary Totals.



“The foundation of every state is the education of its youth.” **Diogenes Laertius**

Graduation Rates



One of the most talked about educational indicators in South Carolina (and in the nation) is the “graduation rate” of a college or university. What is it exactly? How is it calculated? Why is it important? And perhaps, most importantly, what can this number, often expressed as a percent, tell us about quality at our colleges and universities?

First, it is important to understand that South Carolina originally devised the graduation rate calculation in response to a question raised by the South Carolina Legislature as part of ACT 255 of 1992. At that time, the Legislature wanted to know “How many years does it take for a first-time college student to graduate from a public college or university in South Carolina if the student goes to school full-time and does not change institutions?” All of the public colleges and universities met with the Commission on Higher Education and agreed on a process to calculate a graduation rate that would answer this question.

South Carolina’s calculation of graduation rates have since been standardized on a national level. The National Center for Education Statistics (NCES), in its ongoing effort to report on the condition of postsecondary education in the United States, started an effort in 1997 to collect data on completion or graduation rates and transfer-out rates of full-time, first-time certificate or degree-seeking undergraduate students. This collection has been identified as the Graduation Rate Survey (GRS) and is a component of the Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System (IPEDS). For a definition of GRS see Appendix 6 - the glossary.

Graduation Rates						
SC Public Research and Comprehensive Teaching Institutions						
Number and Percent of Degree-seeking, First-time, Full-time Freshmen Entering in Fall 2002 and Graduating With a Bachelor's Degree or Associate's Degree Within 150% of Normal Time for Completion ¹						
2002 Cohort	Initial Bachelor's Cohort	Associate's Cohort	Allowable Exclusions	Final Cohort	Number Graduating within 150% of Normal Time	Percent Graduating Within 150%
Research Institutions²						
Clemson	2,464		2	2,462	1,956	79.4%
USC Columbia	3,503		3	3,500	2,337	66.8%
Subtotal	5,967		5	5,962	4,293	72.0%
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions						
The Citadel	520		8	512	349	68.2%
Coastal Carolina	1,072			1,072	499	46.5%
College of Charleston	1,999		8	1,991	1,275	64.0%
Francis Marion	734			734	288	39.2%
Lander	526			526	229	43.5%
SC State	716			716	323	45.1%
USC Aiken	471	7		478	184	38.5%
USC Beaufort ³		131		131	28	21.4%
USC Upstate	632	15		647	233	36.0%
Winthrop	1,086			1,086	636	58.6%
Subtotal	7,756	153	16	7,893	4,044	51.2%
TOTAL	13,723	153	21	13,855	8,337	60.2%

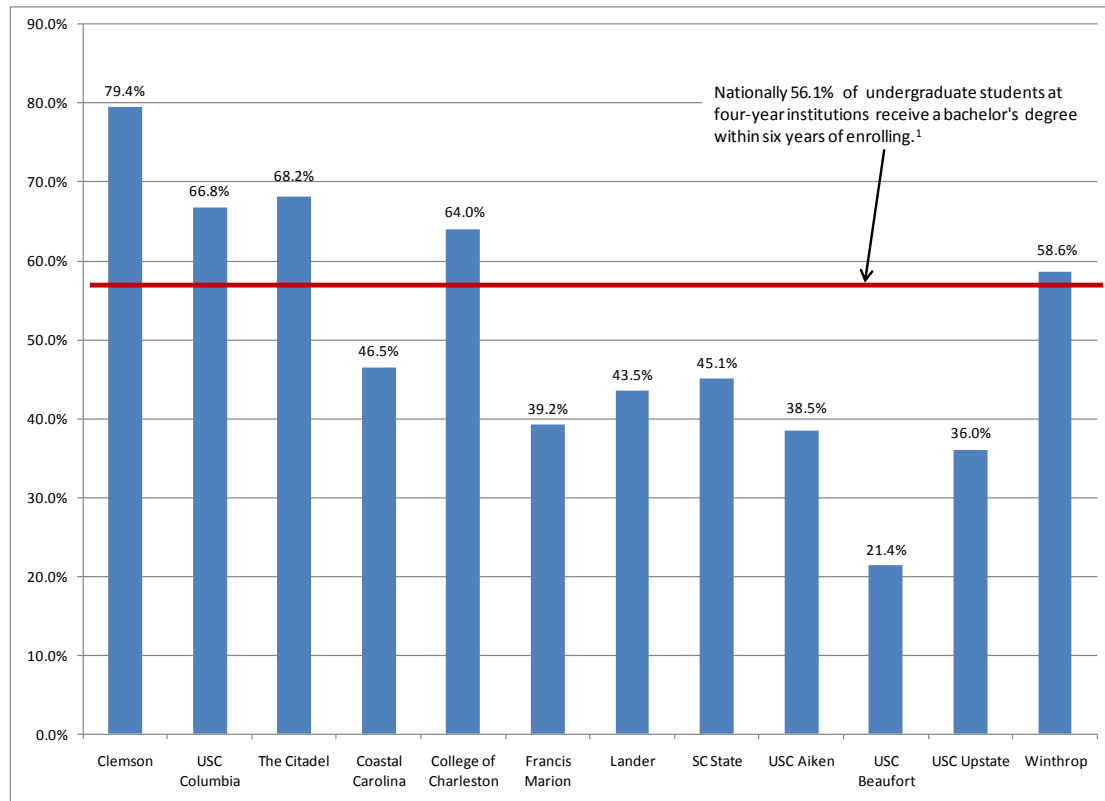
¹ For Bachelor's degrees awarded through Summer 2008.

For Associate's degrees awarded from USC Aiken and USC Beaufort through Summer 2005.

² Medical University of SC is excluded because the institution has no first-time freshmen.

³As of June 6, 2002, USC Beaufort was approved to transition from two- to four-year status.

The graduation data displayed is for the fall 2002 first-time, full-time freshmen who graduate with an Associate's degree within 150% of normal time for completion (through Summer 2005). (These were the data reported to the Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System - IPEDS).



The figure above is a comparison of S.C. Four-Year Public Institutions graduation rates (CHEMIS Data) versus the national graduation rates (National Center for Educational Statistics IPEDS Graduation Rate Survey data).

¹ Graduation Rates 2007," The National Center for Higher Education Management Systems Information Center Website. [Information gathered from National Center for Educational Statistics IPEDS Graduation Rate Survey.] [Accessed October 2, 2008.] www.higheredinfo.org/dbrowser/index.php?year=2007&level=nation&mode=data&state=0&submeasure=24

Graduation Rates Three-Year Trend

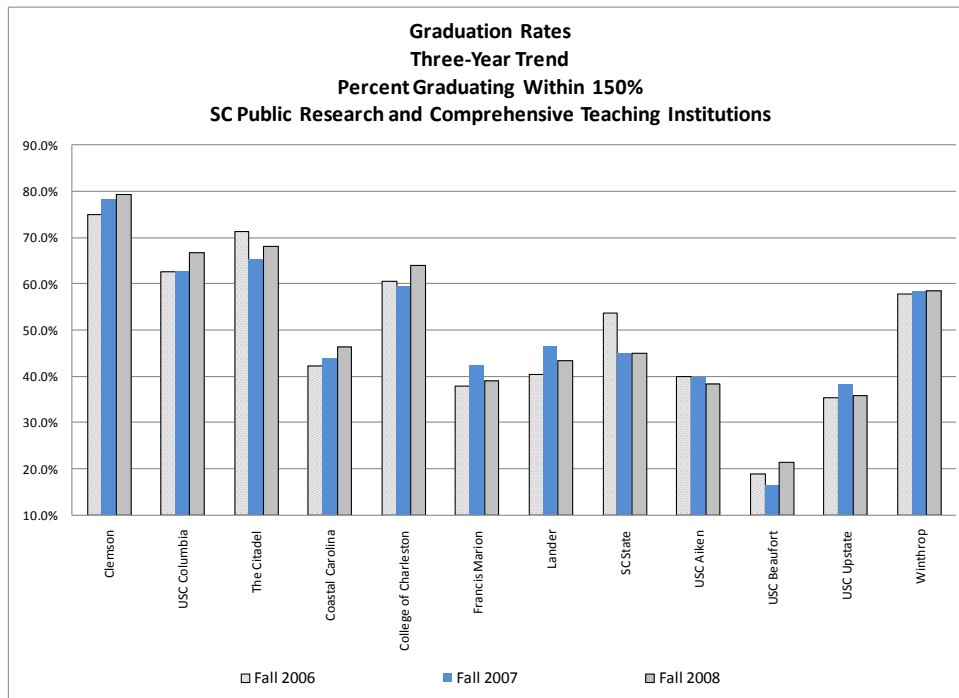
Percent Graduating Within 150% of Program Time
SC Public Research and Comprehensive Teaching Institutions

	Cohort Fall 2000 Reported Through Summer 2006	Cohort Fall 2001 Reported Through Summer 2007	Cohort Fall 2002 Reported Through Summer 2008
Research Institutions¹			
Clemson	75.1%	78.3%	79.4%
USC Columbia	62.8%	62.8%	66.8%
Average	69.5%	69.6%	72.0%
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions			
The Citadel	71.3%	65.2%	68.2%
Coastal Carolina	42.3%	43.9%	46.5%
College of Charleston	60.7%	59.5%	64.0%
Francis Marion	38.0%	42.3%	39.2%
Lander	40.5%	46.4%	43.5%
SC State	53.8%	45.2%	45.1%
USC Aiken	40.0%	40.2%	38.5%
USC Beaufort ²	19.0%	16.5%	21.4%
USC Upstate	35.5%	38.4%	36.0%
Winthrop	58.0%	58.4%	58.6%
Average³	51.6%	51.3%	51.2%
Overall Average³	59.5%	59.5%	60.2%

¹MUSC is excluded because the institution has no first-time Freshmen.

²As of June 6, 2002, USC Beaufort was approved to transition from two- to four-year status.
(These were the data reported to the Integrated Education Postsecondary Data System - IPEDS).

³ USC Beaufort is not included in the total or subtotal calculation.



Graduation Rates					
Regional Campuses of USC					
Number and Percent of Degree-seeking, First-time, Full-time Freshmen Entering in Fall 2005 and Graduating With an Associate's Degree Within 150% of Normal Time for Completion***					
	Initial Fall 2005 Full-Time Cohort	Allowable Exclusions	Final Fall 2005 Full-Time Cohort	Number Graduating Within 150% of Normal Time	Percent Graduating Within 150%
USC Lancaster	234	1	233	78	33.5%
USC Salkehatchie	148		148	34	23.0%
USC Sumter	191		191	10	5.2%
USC Union	63		63	23	36.5%
TOTAL	636	1	635	145	22.8%

***For Associate's degrees awarded through Summer 2008.

Graduation Rates					
Technical Colleges					
Number and Percent of Degree-seeking, First-time, Full-time Freshmen Entering in Fall 2005 and Graduating With a Certificate, Diploma, or Associate's Degree or Equivalent Degree Within 150% of Normal Time for Completion*					
	Initial Fall 2005 Full-Time Cohort	Allowable Exclusions	Final Fall 2005 Full-Time Cohort	Number Graduating Within 150% of Normal Time	Percent Graduating Within 150%
Aiken	286		286	31	10.8%
Central Carolina	307		307	24	7.8%
Denmark	389		389	51	13.1%
Florence-Darlington	724		724	87	12.0%
Greenville	1,616		1,616	165	10.2%
Horry-Georgetown	740		740	63	8.5%
Midlands	1,479		1,479	128	8.7%
Northeastern	198		198	38	19.2%
Orangeburg-Calhoun	459		459	82	17.9%
Piedmont	547		547	76	13.9%
Spartanburg CC	848		848	102	12.0%
TC of the Lowcountry	138		138	10	7.2%
Tri-County	1,000		1,000	135	13.5%
Trident	1,390		1,390	97	7.0%
Williamsburg	95		95	18	18.9%
York	626		626	69	11.0%
TOTAL	10,842	0	10,842	1,176	10.8%

* As reported to the Commission on Higher Education for Certificates or Diplomas awarded through Fall 2007, and for Associate's degrees awarded through Summer 2008.

★ See following page for success rates, which include factors that impact two-year colleges such as transferring students.

Success Rate⁵ for Fall 2008
of First-time, Full-time Degree-Seeking Undergraduates for the 2-year Institutions

2005 Cohort	Summary of IPEDS Graduation Rates							CHEMIS ² Students that transferred within SC	Additional ³ Transfers Reported by the Institution	Total Students that Transferred within SC	Students still Enrolled at same Inst-Fall 2008	Success Rate
	Initial Cohort	Allowable Exclusions	Final Cohort	Number Graduating Within 150% of normal time			150% Graduation Rate					
				Cert/Dipl	Assoc	Total						
(c)	(d)	e=c-d	(f)	(g)	h=f-g	i=h/e	(k)	(l)	m=k+l	(n)	(h+m+n)/e	
Regional Campuses of USC												
USC Lancaster	234	1	233		78	78	33.5%	75		75	8	69.1%
USC Salkehatchie	148		148		34	34	23.0%	39		39	9	55.4%
USC Sumter	191		191		10	10	5.2%	78		78	17	55.0%
USC Union	63		63		23	23	36.5%	21		21		69.8%
TOTAL	636	1	635	0	145	145	22.8%	213		213	34	61.7%
Technical Colleges¹												
Aiken	286		286	8	23	31	10.8%	30	1	31	40 ⁴	35.7%
Central Carolina	307		307	11	13	24	7.8%	24	2	26	58 ⁴	35.2%
Denmark	389		389	20	31	51	13.1%	44		44	5	25.7%
Florence-Darlington	724	1	723	14	73	87	12.0%	75		75	117	38.6%
Greenville	1,616		1,616	112	53	165	10.2%	165	112	277	274 ⁴	44.3%
Horry-Georgetown	740		740	13	50	63	8.5%	71	44	115	145 ⁴	43.6%
Midlands	1,479		1,479	45	83	128	8.7%	188		188	221	36.3%
Northeastern	198		198	12	26	38	19.2%	13		13	28	39.9%
Orangeburg-Calhoun	459		459	6	76	82	17.9%	39		39	70	41.6%
Piedmont	547		547	14	62	76	13.9%	38		38	81	35.6%
Spartanburg CC	848		848	37	65	102	12.0%	78	25	103	133 ⁴	39.9%
TC of the Lowcountry	138		138	2	8	10	7.2%	8	24	32	19 ⁴	44.2%
Tri-County	1,000	2	998	8	127	135	13.5%	175	92	267	122 ⁴	52.5%
Trident	1,390		1,390	20	77	97	7.0%	159	114	273	242 ⁴	44.0%
Williamsburg	95		95	7	11	18	18.9%	13		13	4	36.8%
York	626	2	624	17	52	69	11.1%	69	15	84	76 ⁴	36.7%
TOTAL	10,842	5	10,837	346	830	1,176	10.9%	1,189	429	1,618	1,635	40.9%

¹Includes Certificate, Diploma, & Associate Degree Seekers.

²This data is based on the information available on the SC CHEMIS system only.

³Institutions have the opportunity to provide additional data on students who have transferred to institutions that are not included on the CHEMIS system.

⁴Additional Transfers resulted in changes of retained numbers.

⁵"Success Rate" is defined as the "GRS Rate Plus."

The Graduation Rate Survey (GRS) defines the cohort of students to be included each year as the first-time, full-time, degree-seeking students entering an institution each fall. The GRS rate is calculated on the percentage of a cohort graduating within 150% of normal program time.

The Success Rate, in addition to the graduates, includes those students who as of 150% of program time have transferred to another institution or those students who have continued to be enrolled the term following 150% of program time.

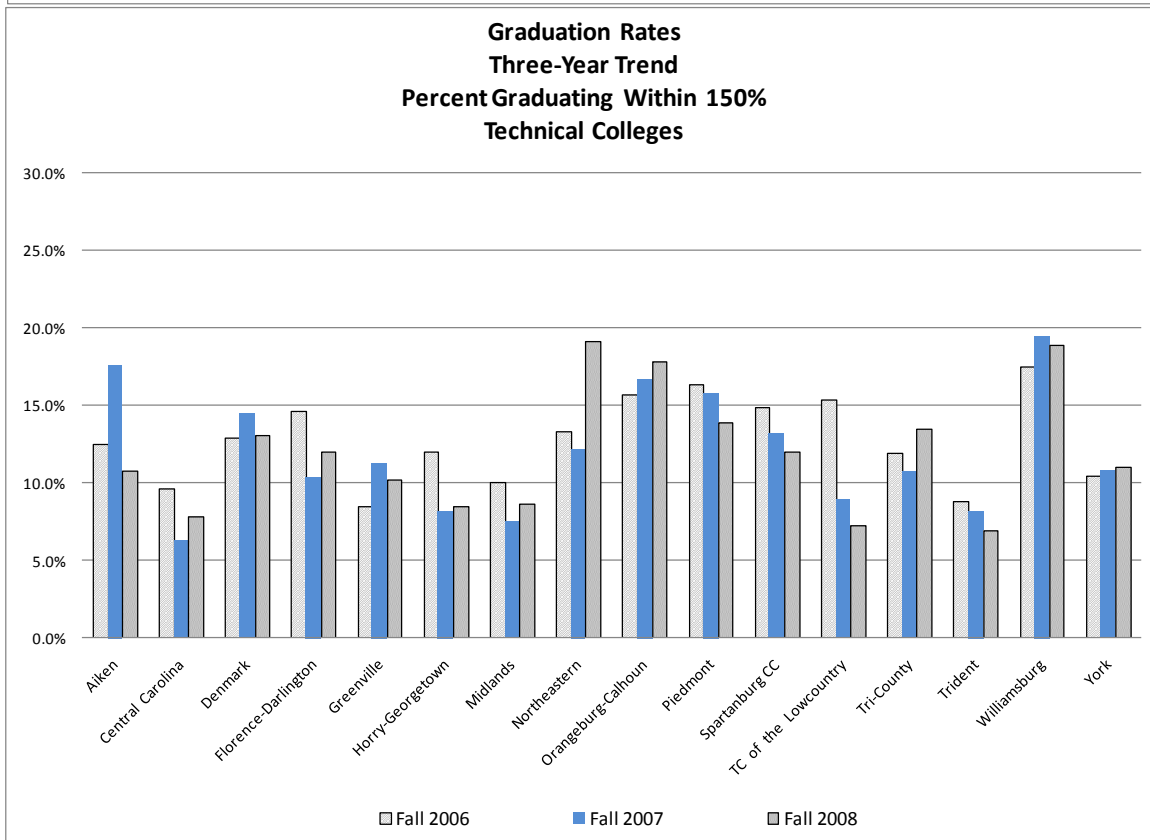
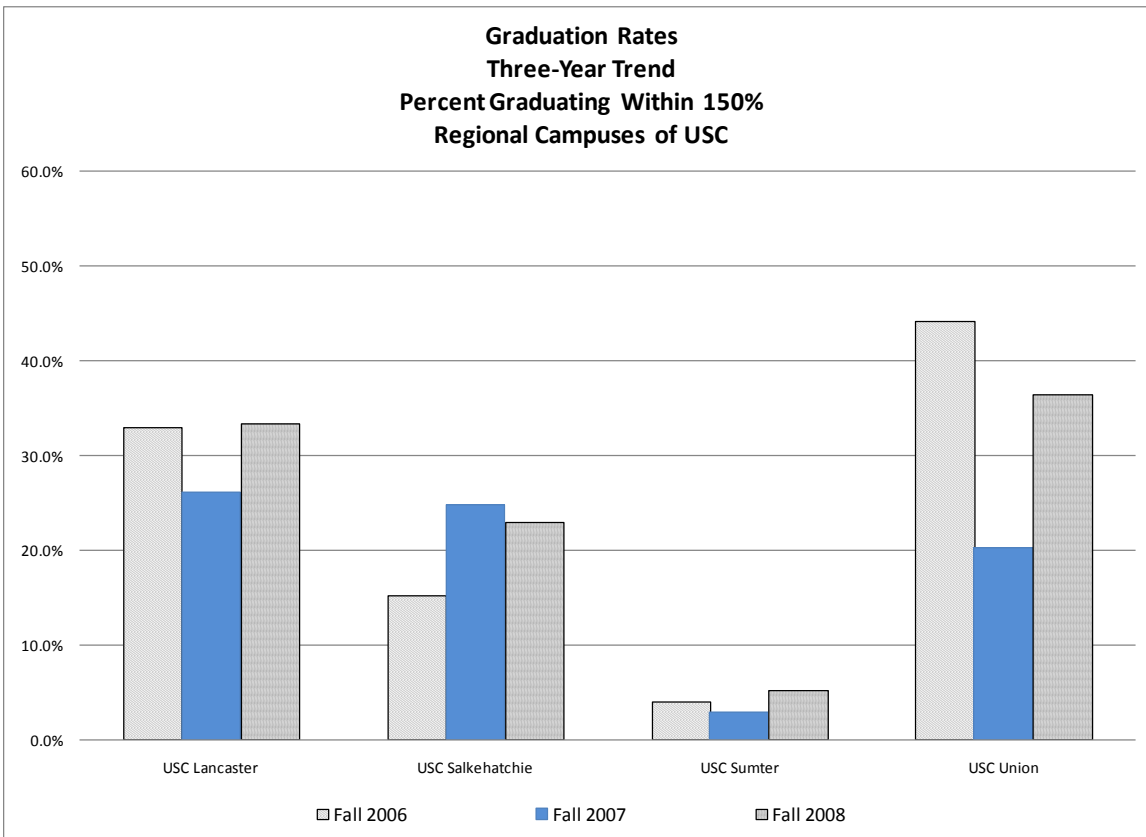
Graduation Rates
Three-Year Trend
Percent Graduating Within 150% of Program Time

	Cohort Fall 2003 ¹	Cohort Fall 2004 ²	Cohort Fall 2005 ³
Regional Campuses of USC			
USC Lancaster	33.0%	26.1%	33.5%
USC Salkehatchie	15.3%	24.8%	23.0%
USC Sumter	4.0%	2.9%	5.2%
USC Union	44.2%	20.3%	36.5%
Average	20.5%	17.6%	22.8%
Technical Colleges			
Aiken	12.5%	17.6%	10.8%
Central Carolina	9.6%	6.3%	7.8%
Denmark	13.0%	14.5%	13.1%
Florence-Darlington	14.6%	10.4%	12.0%
Greenville	8.5%	11.3%	10.2%
Horry-Georgetown	12.1%	8.2%	8.5%
Midlands	10.0%	7.5%	8.7%
Northeastern	13.3%	12.2%	19.2%
Orangeburg-Calhoun	15.7%	16.7%	17.9%
Piedmont	16.4%	15.8%	13.9%
Spartanburg CC	14.9%	13.2%	12.0%
TC of the Lowcountry	15.4%	8.9%	7.2%
Tri-County	11.9%	10.7%	13.5%
Trident	8.9%	8.2%	7.0%
Williamsburg	17.5%	19.5%	18.9%
York	10.5%	10.8%	11.0%
Average	11.6%	10.7%	10.8%

¹ For Associates degrees through summer 2006 and certificate/diplomas through fall 2004.

² For Associates degrees through summer 2007 and certificate/diplomas through fall 2005.

³ For Associates degrees through summer 2008 and certificate/diplomas through fall 2006.



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THE SAT PROGRAM

The SAT Reasoning Test™ assesses student reasoning based on knowledge and skills developed by the students in their course work. The SAT Subject Tests™ are a series of one-hour, mostly multiple-choice tests that measure how much students know about a particular academic subject and how well they can apply that knowledge. Most students also complete the optional SAT Questionnaire when they register to take SAT Program tests, providing valuable contextual information to aid in interpreting and understanding individual and group scores.

Information on South Carolina's SAT takers is presented on the following pages.

National SAT Snapshot

A record number of students in the class of 2008 took the SAT this year, with a higher percentage of first-generation students than last year and a high rate of minority student participation.

- This year's class is the most diverse class on record with historic increases in the number of Hispanic, African American and Asian American students taking the test.
- Minority SAT takers comprised 40 percent of all test-takers, up from 33 percent 10 years ago.
- The number of first-generation students has increased over the last decade and from last year. In the class of 2008, 36 percent were first-generation students, compared to 35 percent in the class of 2007.
- Females have narrowed the performance gap with males in critical reading, closing the gap to 4 points, compared with 7 points a decade ago, and females continue to outperform males on the writing section — by 13 points this year.
- The writing section of the SAT is the most predictive section of the test among all racial and ethnic minority groups.
- The inclusion of the writing section has also contributed to an increased emphasis on writing in the classroom.

See page 85 for a comparison to South Carolina SAT data.

Sources: This entire page was reproduced from The College Board:
<http://www.collegeboard.com/press/releases/197846.html> SAT® 2008 College Bound Seniors and College Bound Press Release. (Note: *College-Bound Seniors 2008* includes students who tested through March 2008.)

**2008 South Carolina SAT Report
Overview**

	State of South Carolina								National							
	<u>Test-Takers</u>		<u>Mean Critical Reading Score</u>		<u>Mean Math Score</u>		<u>Mean Writing Score*</u>		<u>Test-Takers</u>		<u>Mean Critical Reading Score</u>		<u>Mean Math Score</u>		<u>Mean Writing Score*</u>	
	#	Number Change from Previous Yr.	#	Change from Previous Yr.	#	Change from Previous Yr.	#	Change from Previous Yr.	#	Number Change from Previous Yr.	#	Change from Previous Yr.	#	Change from Previous Yr.	#	Change from Previous Yr.
Total	23,066	(1,015)	488	0	497	1	476	1	1,518,859	24,328	502	0	515	0	494	0
Gender																
Male	10,291	(415)	492	2	515	1	468	(1)	704,226	13,726	504	0	533	0	488	(1)
Female	12,731	(440)	485	(2)	483	0	482	0	812,764	14,734	500	(2)	500	1	501	1
No Response	44	(160)	423	23	436	28	408	17	1,869	(4,132)	415	9	420	12	407	9
Ethnic Group																
African American	5,634	(4)	415	(4)	426	(1)	409	0	174,383	14,534	430	(3)	426	(3)	424	(1)
American Indian	145	(5)	458	(17)	469	(9)	447	(12)	9,595	(302)	485	(2)	491	(3)	470	(3)
Asian	608	13	507	(3)	567	7	498	(2)	151,235	10,441	513	(1)	581	3	516	3
Mexican American	149	14	462	(2)	470	(4)	453	0	70,661	9,421	454	(1)	463	(3)	447	(3)
Puerto Rican	102	(6)	501	20	495	2	480	13	21,953	2,175	456	(3)	453	(1)	445	(2)
Other Hispanic	330	46	482	3	489	1	469	0	97,589	10,063	455	(4)	461	(2)	448	(2)
White	14,867	(593)	515	2	524	3	502	1	858,561	30,523	528	1	537	3	518	0
Other	465	(26)	498	1	499	0	486	6	52,016	(1,885)	496	(1)	512	0	494	1
No Response	766	(454)	471	0	471	(1)	452	(3)	82,866	(50,642)	471	(9)	492	(5)	467	(7)

NOTE: Mean scores are reported when there are five or more test-takers.

Total - The number of South Carolina seniors taking the SAT (23,066) decreased 4.4% from the previous year, while the number of national test-takers increased by 1.6%.

Mean Score - South Carolina's mean critical reading score of 488 is equal to the previous year's score, while the national mean SAT critical reading score of 502 also remained the same as last year's score. South Carolina's mean math score of 497 is one point higher than the previous year's 496 while the national mean math score of 515 remained the same as last year's score.

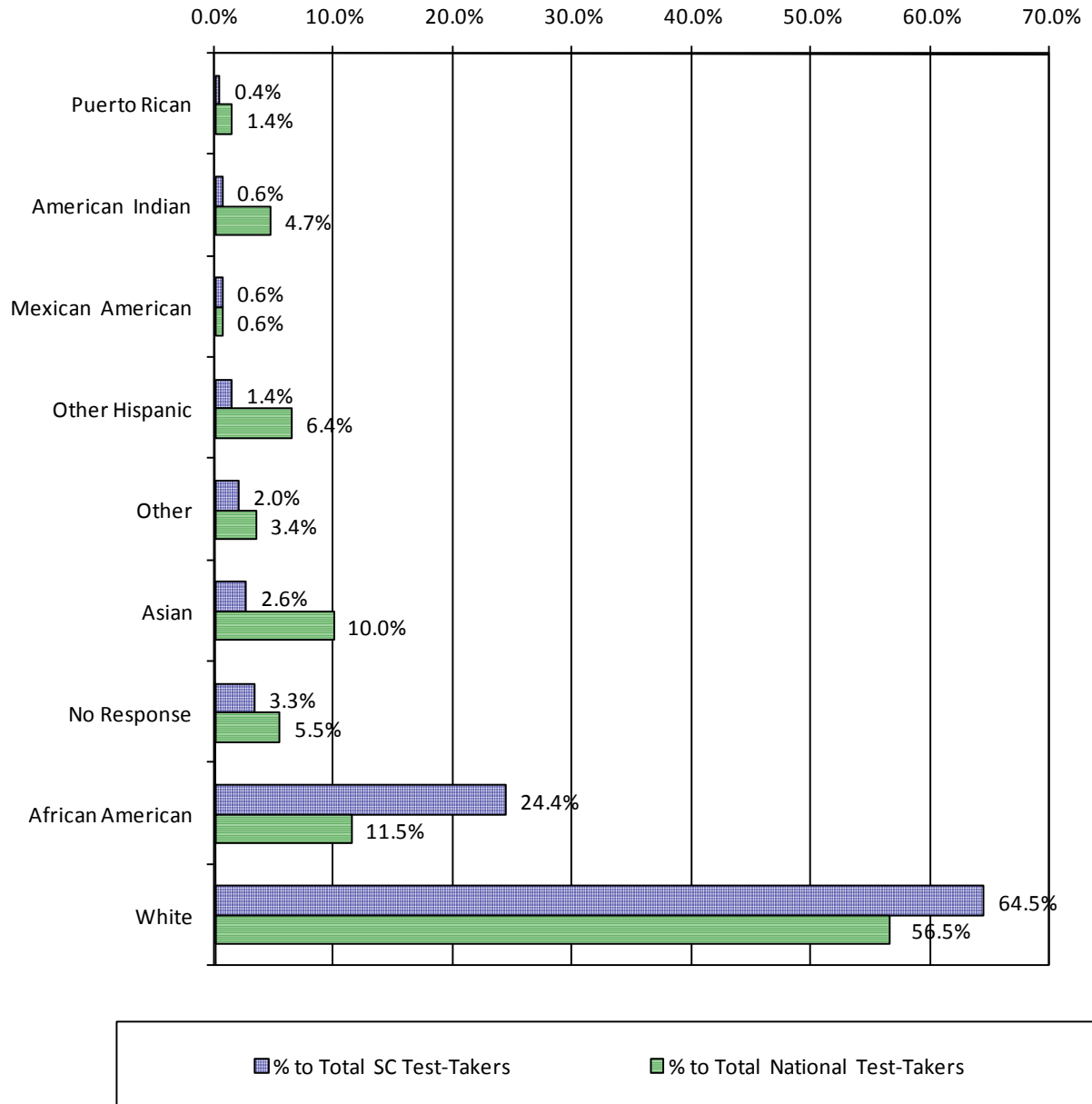
South Carolina's mean writing score of 476 is one point higher than the previous year's 475, while the national mean writing score remained the same as last year's score.

Gender - Continuing the trend of previous years, female SAT test-takers in South Carolina outnumbered males. The number of female test-takers decreased this year by 3.5% and the number of males decreased 4%. The national level showed the opposite outcome with the female population increasing at 1.8% and the male population increasing at 1.9%.

Ethnic - SAT participation by ethnic group in South Carolina consists of 24.4% African Americans, 0.6% American-Indians, 2.6% Asians, 0.6% Mexican-Americans, 0.4% Puerto Ricans, 1.4% Other Hispanics, and 64.6% Whites, 2.0% Other, and 3.3% No Response. The national participation rate consists of 11.5% African Americans, 0.6% American-Indians, 10% Asians, 4.7% Mexican-Americans, 1.4% Puerto Ricans, 6.4% Other Hispanics, 56.5% Whites, 3.4% Other, and 5.5% No Response.

Source: 2008 College-Bound Seniors, A Profile of SAT Program Test Takers, The College Board

Fall 2008 SAT Scores by Race South Carolina Compared to National Data



Source: The College Board: SAT® 2008 College Bound Seniors.
See previous page for details of the graphical information.

Fall 2008
Number of First-Time Entering Freshmen
With SAT/ACT Scores
Including Foreign, Provisional, & Students Age 22 & Above

In-State Students

	# REPORT SAT ONLY	# REPORT ACT ONLY	# REPORT SAT & ACT	NO SAT or ACT SCORE	TOTAL
Research Institutions					
Clemson	1,499	329	0	0	1,828
USC Columbia	1,682	535	0	2	2,219
Subtotal	3,181	864	0	2	4,047
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions					
The Citadel	183	60	0	0	243
Coastal Carolina	432	150	168	6	756
College of Charleston	671	319	77	0	1,067
Francis Marion	443	193	0	10	646
Lander	306	185	0	6	497
SC State	321	239	105	8	673
USC Aiken	402	135	0	1	538
USC Beaufort	178	47	0	4	229
USC Upstate	438	212	0	10	660
Winthrop	626	256	0	1	883
Subtotal	4,000	1,796	350	46	6,192
Total Senior Public Institutions	7,181	2,660	350	48	10,239
Regional Campuses of USC					
USC Lancaster	177	142	0	25	344
USC Salkehatchie	89	85	0	68	242
USC Sumter	134	94	1	2	231
USC Union	40	38	0	9	87
Subtotal	440	359	1	104	904
Total All Public Institutions	7,621	3,019	351	152	11,143

Notes: MUSC is excluded because the institution has no first-time freshmen.

The technical colleges have open admissions which means the only criterion for entrance is a high school diploma or a General Education Development (GED) certificate; therefore, SAT is not required or reported.

Fall 2008
Number of First-Time Entering Freshmen
With SAT/ACT Scores
Including Foreign, Provisional, & Students Age 22 & Above

In-State Students

	% OF ACT Reporting	ACT Mean	% OF SAT Reporting	Verbal Mean	Math Mean	Combined Mean	Combined Mean SAT/ACT *
Research Institutions							
Clemson	18.0%	26	82.0%	592	625	1217	1213
USC Columbia	24.1%	25	75.8%	575	592	1167	1165
Average	21.3%	26	78.6%	583	608	1191	1187
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions							
The Citadel	24.7%	21	75.3%	539	555	1094	1064
Coastal Carolina	42.1%	21	79.4%	505	524	1029	1020
College of Charleston	37.1%	22	70.1%	588	580	1167	1134
Francis Marion	29.9%	20	68.6%	470	479	949	945
Lander	37.2%	20	61.6%	473	487	960	952
SC State	51.1%	16	63.3%	405	422	827	825
USC Aiken	25.1%	21	74.7%	489	499	988	984
USC Beaufort	20.5%	20	77.7%	484	489	974	967
USC Upstate	32.1%	21	66.4%	499	507	1006	997
Winthrop	29.0%	22	70.9%	534	533	1068	1062
Average	34.7%	20	70.3%	506	514	1020	1006
Average Senior Public Institutions	29.4%	22	73.6%	539	553	1092	1078
Regional Campuses of USC							
USC Lancaster	41.3%	17	51.5%	452	470	922	878
USC Salkehatchie	35.1%	16	36.8%	420	417	837	813
USC Sumter	41.1%	19	58.4%	472	482	954	936
USC Union	43.7%	16	46.0%	444	446	890	829
Average	39.8%	17	48.8%	451	461	912	876
Average All Public Institutions	30.2%	21	71.5%	534	548	1082	1063

* Includes ACT converted to SAT equivalent

Notes: MUSC is excluded because the institution has no first-time freshmen.

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Fall 2008
Number of First-Time Entering Freshmen
With SAT/ACT Scores
Including Foreign, Provisional, & Students Age 22 & Above

Out-of-State Students

	# REPORT SAT ONLY	# REPORT ACT ONLY	# REPORT SAT & ACT	NO SAT or ACT SCORE	TOTAL
Research Institutions					
Clemson	806	289	0	0	1,095
USC Columbia	1192	428	0	20	1,640
Subtotal	1,998	717	0	20	2,735
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions					
The Citadel	268	93	0	3	364
Coastal Carolina	604	136	157	2	899
College of Charleston	370	313	203	3	889
Francis Marion	17	13	0	5	35
Lander	40	16	0	2	58
SC State	191	70	29	3	293
USC Aiken	43	13	0	0	56
USC Beaufort	54	20	0	0	74
USC Upstate	42	13	0	13	68
Winthrop	127	54	0	11	192
Subtotal	1,756	741	389	42	2,928
Total Senior Public Institutions	3,754	1,458	389	62	5,663
Regional Campuses of USC					
USC Lancaster	9	4	0	1	14
USC Salkehatchie	10	5	0	7	22
USC Sumter	4	8	0	2	14
USC Union	0	0	0	0	0
Subtotal	23	17	0	10	50
Total All Public Institutions	3,777	1,475	389	72	5,713

Notes: MUSC is excluded because the institution has no first-time freshmen.

The technical colleges have open admissions which means the only criterion for entrance is a high school diploma or a General Education Development (GED) certificate; therefore, SAT is not required or reported.

Fall 2008
Number of First-Time Entering Freshmen
With SAT/ACT Scores
Including Foreign, Provisional, & Students Age 22 & Above
Out-of-State Students

	% OF ACT Reporting	ACT Mean	% OF SAT Reporting	Verbal Mean	Math Mean	Combined Mean	Combined Mean SAT/ACT *
Research Institutions							
Clemson	26.4%	28	73.6%	606	638	1245	1252
USC Columbia	26.1%	27	72.7%	601	623	1224	1228
Average	26.2%	28	73.1%	603	629	1232	1238
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions							
The Citadel	25.5%	21	73.6%	552	563	1115	1085
Coastal Carolina	32.6%	22	84.6%	507	524	1031	1033
College of Charleston	58.0%	26	64.5%	614	622	1236	1213
Francis Marion	37.1%	21	48.6%	486	498	984	979
Lander	27.6%	20	69.0%	473	526	999	985
SC State	33.8%	18	75.1%	453	445	898	896
USC Aiken	23.2%	21	76.8%	483	487	971	972
USC Beaufort	27.0%	21	73.0%	471	512	984	986
USC Upstate	19.1%	22	61.8%	508	538	1046	1040
Winthrop	28.1%	24	66.1%	542	575	1117	1117
Average	38.6%	23	73.3%	536	549	1085	1082
Average Senior Public Institutions	32.6%	25	73.2%	568	588	1156	1158
Regional Campuses of USC							
USC Lancaster	28.6%	22	64.3%	511	503	1014	1011
USC Salkehatchie	22.7%	15	45.5%	388	417	805	781
USC Sumter	57.1%	21	28.6%	498	558	1055	1004
USC Union	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0	0	0
Average	34.0%	19	46.0%	455	475	930	923
Average All Public Institutions	32.6%	25	72.9%	568	587	1155	1156

* Includes ACT converted to SAT equivalent

Notes: MUSC is excluded because the institution has no first-time freshmen.

The technical colleges have open admissions which means the only criterion for entrance is a high school diploma or a General Education Development (GED) certificate; therefore, SAT is not required or reported.

Fall 2008
Number of First-Time Entering Freshmen
With SAT/ACT Scores
Including Foreign, Provisional, & Students Age 22 & Above

All Students

	# REPORT SAT ONLY	# REPORT ACT ONLY	# REPORT SAT & ACT	NO SAT or ACT SCORE	TOTAL
Research Institutions					
Clemson	2,305	618	0	0	2,923
USC Columbia	2,874	963	0	22	3,859
Subtotal	5,179	1,581	0	22	6,782
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions					
The Citadel	451	153	0	3	607
Coastal Carolina	1,036	286	325	8	1,655
College of Charleston	1,041	632	280	3	1,956
Francis Marion	460	206	0	15	681
Lander	346	201	0	8	555
SC State	512	309	134	11	966
USC Aiken	445	148	0	1	594
USC Beaufort	232	67	0	4	303
USC Upstate	480	225	0	23	728
Winthrop	753	310	0	12	1,075
Subtotal	5,756	2,537	739	88	9,120
Total Senior Public Institutions	10,935	4,118	739	110	15,902
Regional Campuses of USC					
USC Lancaster	186	146	0	26	358
USC Salkehatchie	99	90	0	75	264
USC Sumter	138	102	1	4	245
USC Union	40	38	0	9	87
Subtotal	463	376	1	114	954
Total All Public Institutions	11,398	4,494	740	224	16,856

Notes: MUSC is excluded because the institution has no first-time freshmen.

The technical colleges have open admissions which means the only criterion for entrance is a high school diploma or a General Education Development (GED) certificate; therefore, SAT is not required or reported.

Fall 2008
Number of First-Time Entering Freshmen
With SAT/ACT Scores
Including Foreign, Provisional, & Students Age 22 & Above

All Students

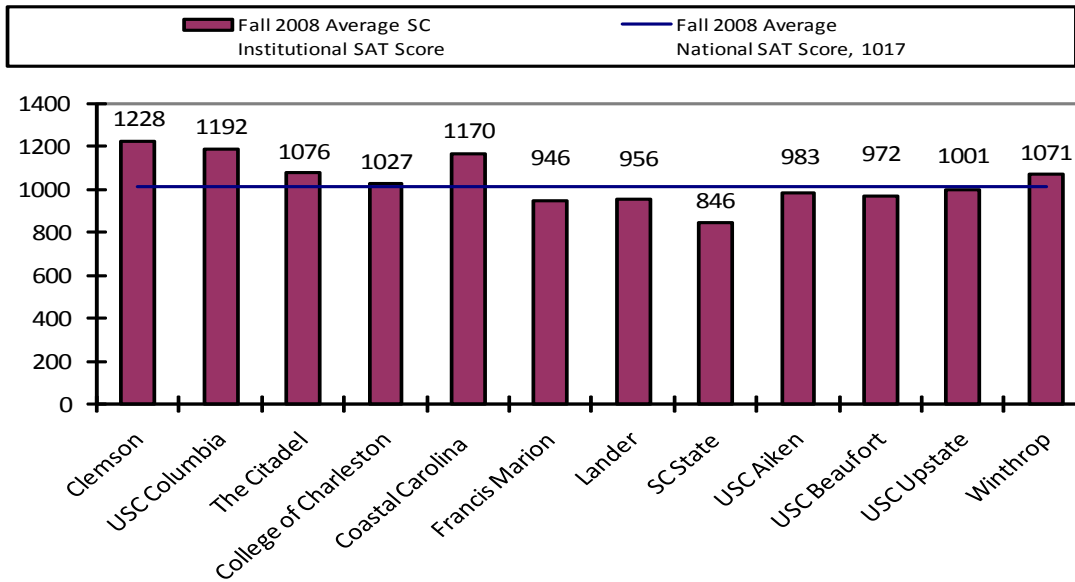
	% OF ACT Reporting	ACT Mean	% OF SAT Reporting	Verbal Mean	Math Mean	Combined Mean	Combined Mean SAT/ACT *
Research Institutions							
Clemson	21.1%	27	78.9%	597	630	1227	1228
USC Columbia	25.0%	26	74.5%	586	605	1191	1192
Average	23.3%	27	76.4%	591	616	1207	1207
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions							
The Citadel	25.2%	21	74.3%	547	560	1106	1076
Coastal Carolina	36.9%	22	82.2%	506	524	1030	1027
College of Charleston	46.6%	24	67.5%	599	598	1197	1170
Francis Marion	30.2%	20	67.5%	471	480	950	946
Lander	36.2%	20	62.3%	473	492	964	956
SC State	45.9%	17	66.9%	421	430	851	846
USC Aiken	24.9%	21	74.9%	489	498	987	983
USC Beaufort	22.1%	20	76.6%	481	495	976	972
USC Upstate	30.9%	21	65.9%	500	510	1009	1001
Winthrop	28.8%	23	70.0%	535	540	1076	1071
Average	35.9%	21	71.2%	516	525	1041	1030
Average Senior Public Institutions	30.5%	23	73.4%	549	566	1115	1106
Regional Campuses of USC							
USC Lancaster	40.8%	17	52.0%	455	472	927	884
USC Salkehatchie	34.1%	16	37.5%	417	417	834	811
USC Sumter	42.0%	19	56.7%	472	484	956	939
USC Union	43.7%	16	46.0%	444	446	890	829
Average	39.5%	17	48.6%	451	461	913	878
Average All Public Institutions	31.1%	23	72.0%	545	598	1107	1095

* Includes ACT converted to SAT equivalent

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**Fall 2008 Average SAT Scores
S.C. First-Time Entering Freshmen
by Public Institution
Compared to National Average SAT Test-Takers**



**SAT Comparison by
Combined Mean (Verbal and Math), All Students
Fall 2006 to 2008 and Percent Change**

	Fall 2006	Fall 2007	Fall 2008	Fall 2007 % Change Over Fall 2006	Fall 2008 % Change Over Fall 2007	Fall 2008 % Difference from National Score of 1017 ¹
Research Institutions						
Clemson	1216	1222	1228	0.5%	0.5%	20.7%
USC Columbia	1169	1180	1192	0.9%	1.0%	17.2%
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions						
The Citadel	1085	1078	1076	-0.6%	-0.2%	5.8%
Coastal Carolina	1036	1028	1027	-0.8%	-0.1%	1.0%
College of Charleston	1180	1159	1170	-1.8%	0.9%	15.0%
Francis Marion	952	961	946	0.9%	-1.6%	-7.0%
Lander	952	989	956	3.9%	-3.3%	-6.0%
SC State	832	814	846	-2.2%	3.9%	-16.8%
USC Aiken	990	995	983	0.5%	-1.2%	-3.3%
USC Beaufort	953	940	972	-1.4%	3.4%	-4.4%
USC Upstate	1001	1003	1001	0.2%	-0.2%	-1.6%
Winthrop	1050	1051	1071	0.1%	1.9%	5.3%

¹Source: The College Board: SAT® 2008 College Bound Seniors.

Scholarships and Grants



Scholarships and grants are forms of financial aid that help students pay for postsecondary education. Unlike student loans, scholarships and grants do not have to be repaid. Over the years, millions of dollars in scholarships and grants have been awarded to residents attending eligible public and independent colleges in South Carolina. The following information pertains to the scholarships and grants administered by the S.C. Commission on Higher Education.

South Carolina provides financial assistance to S.C. residents in the form of need-based, merit-based and other financial aid. When students do not have sufficient family resources to pay for the costs of postsecondary education, then they are considered to have financial need. Financial need is the primary requirement for receiving the S.C. Need-based Grant, although students also have to meet other eligibility criteria. To determine their financial need, students must submit the

Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) form each academic year.

Although not based on need, students must also submit the FAFSA to determine their eligibility for Lottery Tuition Assistance. This grant is offered to SC residents attending two-year colleges in the State.

In South Carolina, students may be eligible to receive one of the three statewide, merit-based scholarships: Palmetto Fellows Scholarship, Legislative Incentives for Future Excellence (LIFE) Scholarship, or SC HOPE Scholarship. Additional funding is available for enhancements to the LIFE Scholarship and Palmetto Fellows Scholarship based on declared majors in approved mathematics and science programs.

Please be aware that all information provided is subject to change and updates are made as necessary. For the most up-to-date information, visit the Commission's web site at www.che.sc.gov.

South Carolina Scholarships and Grants

Administered by the SC Commission on Higher Education

Palmetto Fellows Scholarship

The Palmetto Fellows Scholarship is a merit-based scholarship established in 1988 to recognize the most academically-talented high school seniors and encourage them to attend college in the state. The annual award amount for the freshman year is up to \$6,700. The award amounts for the sophomore, junior, and senior years are up to \$7,500 per year. Half of the scholarship is awarded in the fall term and half in the spring. The scholarship is applied toward the cost of attendance, less any other gift aid, at an eligible four-year institution in South Carolina. Assuming continued eligibility, Palmetto Fellows may receive scholarship funding for up to eight consecutive terms of full-time study toward the first bachelor's degree or the first CHE-approved 3 + 2 program. Palmetto Fellows may receive up to 10 consecutive terms of full-time study toward the first CHE-approved five-year undergraduate program.

To be eligible, students must be legal residents of South Carolina. In addition, Palmetto Fellows cannot be recipients of the LIFE scholarship, S.C. HOPE scholarship or Lottery Tuition Assistance in the same academic year.

Students must submit an application during the early (mid-December) or final (mid-June) deadline of the high school senior year. A student cannot apply for or earn the Palmetto Fellows Scholarship after high school graduation. To be eligible for the scholarship, students must meet each criterion in one of the following sets of academic requirements:

1. Score at least 1200 on the SAT (27 on the ACT), earn a minimum 3.50 cumulative GPA on the S.C. Uniform Grading Policy (UGP), and rank in the top six percent of the class;
- OR**
2. Score at least 1400 on the SAT (32 on the ACT) and earn a minimum 4.00 cumulative GPA on the S.C.UGP (class rank requirement waived).

To renew the Palmetto Fellows Scholarship each academic year, students must earn at least 30 credit hours for graduation purposes and earn a minimum 3.0 cumulative GPA for graduation purposes at the current institution the student is seeking a degree.

Legislative Incentives for Future Excellence (LIFE) Scholarship

The LIFE Scholarship Program is a merit-based scholarship established in 1998. The scholarship is awarded annually to eligible students attending two- and four-year institutions in the state. Scholarship funds are awarded half in the fall term and half in the spring and must be applied toward the cost of attendance.

Students attending an eligible two-year or technical college may receive up to the cost of tuition, plus a \$300 book allowance, for a maximum of two consecutive terms toward a one-year program and up to four consecutive terms toward a two-year program (based on the date of initial college enrollment). Students attending an eligible four-year public or independent institution may receive up to \$4,700, plus a \$300 book allowance, for a maximum of eight consecutive terms toward the first bachelor's degree or the first CHE-approved 3 + 2 program. For the first CHE-approved five-year undergraduate program, students may receive up to 10 consecutive terms of scholarship funding (maximum terms of funding based on the date of initial college enrollment).

To be eligible, students must be legal residents of South Carolina. In addition, LIFE Scholarship recipients cannot be recipients of the Palmetto Fellows Scholarship, S.C. HOPE scholarship, or Lottery Tuition Assistance in the same academic year.

In order to qualify at a two-year or technical college, first-time entering freshman must earn a minimum 3.0 cumulative GPA based on the S.C. Uniform Grading Policy (UGP) upon high school graduation (test score and class rank requirements are waived).

In order to qualify at a four-year institution, first-time entering freshman must meet two of the following three criteria:

- (1) Earn a minimum 3.0 cumulative GPA on the S.C. UGP upon high school graduation
- (2) Score at least 1100 on the SAT (equivalent 24 on ACT) by the June test administration of high school graduation year
- (3) Rank in the top 30% of the high school graduating class based on the UGP

To renew (or earn) the LIFE Scholarship, students must earn an average of 30 credit hours for graduation purposes and earn a cumulative 3.0 "LIFE GPA" each academic year (based on the date of initial college enrollment).

Enhancements for the LIFE Scholarship and Palmetto Fellows Scholarship

Scholarship recipients may be eligible to receive enhancement funds as early as the sophomore year for a maximum of six consecutive terms toward the first bachelor's degree or first CHE-approved 3 + 2 program. Scholarship enhancements are not available the first year of college enrollment.

To qualify for the LIFE Scholarship or Palmetto Fellows Scholarship Enhancement, a student must meet ALL of the eligibility requirements and be a recipient of the underlying scholarship. In addition, students must declare a major in an approved mathematics or science program at an eligible four-year institution in S.C.

Beginning with the 2007 freshman class and thereafter, students must also successfully complete at least 14 credit hours of instruction in mathematics **or** life and physical science **or** a combination of both by the end of the first academic year of college enrollment. The 14 credit hour requirement is waived for scholarship recipients who were enrolled as sophomores, juniors, or seniors during the 2007-2008 academic year.

Palmetto Fellows may receive up to \$10,000 per year (combined funds from \$7,500 Palmetto Fellows Scholarship and \$2,500 enhancement). LIFE Scholarship recipients may receive up to \$7,500 per year (combined funds from \$5,000 LIFE Scholarship and \$2,500 enhancement). Scholarship and enhancement funds must be applied toward the cost of attendance.

S.C. HOPE Scholarship

The S.C. HOPE Scholarship is a merit-based scholarship established under the 2001 S.C. Education Lottery Act and implemented in fall 2002. The scholarship was created to provide funding for students attending an eligible four-year institution in S.C. who did not qualify for the LIFE or Palmetto Fellows Scholarship.

Students may receive up to \$2,500 plus a \$300 book allowance for the first two consecutive terms of college enrollment. Scholarship funds are applied toward the cost of attendance. In order to qualify, first-time entering freshman must earn a minimum 3.0 cumulative GPA on the S.C. Uniform Grading Policy (UGP) upon high school graduation.

Funding for this program is dependent upon lottery proceeds. S.C. HOPE Scholarship recipients cannot be recipients of the LIFE scholarship, Palmetto Fellows scholarship, or Lottery Tuition Assistance in the same academic year.

Since the S.C. HOPE Scholarship is for the freshman year only, students may qualify for the LIFE scholarship beginning with their sophomore year. They must meet the eligibility requirements for earning the LIFE Scholarship.

S.C. Need-based Grant

At S.C. public institutions, eligible degree-seeking students may receive up to \$2,500 annually if enrolled full-time and up to \$1,250 annually if enrolled part-time. Students may receive Need-based Grant funding for up to two academic terms each academic year which may be awarded in any combination of fall, spring, or summer terms. The Need-based Grant is an annual award that must be applied toward the cost of attendance and

disbursed half in the first semester and half in the second semester. To be eligible for grant funds, students must be enrolled in at least six credit hours for the term and enrolled in their first one-year program, first associate's degree, first two-year program leading to a baccalaureate degree, first baccalaureate degree, or first professional degree. Assuming continued eligibility, students may receive up to eight full-time equivalent terms. Based on the institution's level of Need-based Grant funding, the student's financial aid office determines the exact award amount, less any other gift aid received.

To renew the Need-based Grant, students must earn the requisite number of credit hours based upon their enrollment status during the term(s) grant funds were awarded and earn at least a cumulative 2.0 GPA for graduation purposes by the end of the academic year.

Lottery Tuition Assistance

The Lottery Tuition Assistance Program was established in 2001 under the S.C. Education Lottery Act and implemented fall 2002. Lottery Tuition Assistance is available at eligible two-year institutions in the state. Exact award amounts are contingent upon the number of eligible students and funding available from lottery proceeds. Before calculating the award amount, all federal grants and the S.C. Need-based Grant must be applied. Lottery Tuition Assistance funds can only be used for payment of the cost of tuition and mandatory fees.

Each academic year, S.C. residents must file the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) or the FAFSA Waiver form. In addition, students must be enrolled as degree-seeking in at least six credit hours for the term. Students must also be making satisfactory academic progress. Recipients of Lottery Tuition Assistance cannot receive nor be eligible to receive the S.C. HOPE, LIFE, or Palmetto Fellows Scholarship in the same academic year.

To renew Lottery Tuition Assistance after attempting 24 credit hours, students must earn at least a cumulative 2.0 GPA for graduation purposes by the end of each academic year.

Scholarship Disbursements
2007-2008 Academic Year (Fall 2007, Winter 2008, Spring 2008 and Summer 2008 Combined)

Date: 8/28/2008

	Palmetto Fellows			LIFE			HOPE			Need Based Grants			Lottery Tuition Asst.			Total	
	Number*	Amount	% of Total PF \$ Rec'd by Inst.	Number*	Amount	% of Total LIFE \$ Rec'd by Inst.	Number*	Amount	% of Total HOPE \$ Rec'd by Inst.	Number*	Amount	% of Total NBG \$ Rec'd by Inst.	Number*	Amount	% of Total LTA \$ Rec'd by Institution	Number	Amount
Research Institutions																	
Clemson	1,808	14,410,594	35.6%	4,127	22,524,532	15.2%	26	71,400	1.0%	1,098	2,079,641	9.0%				7,059	39,086,167
USC Columbia	1,234	9,497,789	23.5%	6,076	31,846,731	21.5%	195	449,825	6.3%	2,185	2,805,299	12.1%				9,690	44,599,644
Medical University of SC	17	142,500	0.4%	38	215,000	0.1%				36	34,701	0.1%				91	392,201
Subtotal	3,059	24,050,883	59.4%	10,241	54,586,263	36.9%	221	521,225	7.3%	3,319	4,919,641	21.2%				16,840	84,078,013
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions																	
The Citadel	19	154,132	0.4%	257	1,310,778	0.9%	60	162,400	2.3%	116	217,113	0.9%				452	1,844,423
Coastal Carolina	73	539,558	1.3%	1,138	5,771,875	3.9%	233	604,275	8.5%	627	690,163	3.0%				2,071	7,605,871
College of Charleston	453	3,486,128	8.6%	2,318	11,797,609	8.0%	178	460,600	6.5%	591	1,207,018	5.2%				3,540	16,951,355
Francis Marion	50	393,254	1.0%	916	4,875,285	3.3%	201	508,200	7.1%	642	668,366	2.9%				1,809	6,445,105
Lander	33	250,733	0.6%	575	2,926,123	2.0%	159	398,300	5.6%	317	508,676	2.2%				1,084	4,083,832
SC State	2	13,400	0.0%	531	2,740,832	1.9%	153	387,450	5.4%	662	692,895	3.0%				1,348	3,834,577
USC Aiken	41	299,840	0.7%	838	4,413,764	3.0%	181	466,531	6.6%	291	493,749	2.1%				1,351	5,673,884
USC Beaufort	7	41,400	0.1%	181	858,537	0.6%	58	139,850	2.0%	67	140,116	0.6%				313	1,179,905
USC Upstate	57	437,340	1.1%	1,144	6,060,267	4.1%	246	604,800	8.5%	525	825,468	3.6%				1,972	7,927,873
Winthrop	171	1,231,758	3.0%	1,568	7,834,187	5.3%	272	706,090	9.9%	498	934,071	4.0%				2,509	10,706,106
Subtotal	906	6,847,543	16.9%	9,466	48,589,257	32.8%	1,741	4,438,496	62.4%	4,336	6,377,635	27.5%				16,449	66,252,931
Regional Campuses of USC																	
USC Lancaster				329	1,476,961	1.0%				61	124,773	0.5%	367	398,755	0.9%	757	2,000,489
USC Salkehatchie				136	627,214	0.4%				45	91,206	0.4%	425	379,658	0.9%	606	1,098,078
USC Sumter				255	1,157,555	0.8%				46	83,114	0.4%	536	511,958	1.2%	837	1,752,627
USC Union				79	360,000	0.2%				19	38,703	0.2%	339	259,051	0.6%	437	657,754
Subtotal				799	3,621,730	2.4%				171	337,796	1.5%	1,667	1,549,422	3.6%	2,637	5,508,948
Technical Colleges																	
Aiken				119	357,851	0.2%				550	246,433	1.1%	1,115	1,333,232	3.1%	1,784	1,937,516
Central Carolina				68	191,194	0.1%				263	211,939	0.9%	1,693	1,512,631	3.5%	2,024	1,915,764
Denmark				17	41,052	0.0%				165	226,781	1.0%	541	360,203	0.8%	723	628,035
Florence-Darlington				328	974,123	0.7%				354	355,625	1.5%	1,596	1,767,547	4.1%	2,278	3,097,295
Greenville				985	3,018,063	2.0%				849	1,363,073	5.9%	7,062	7,051,808	16.4%	8,896	11,432,943
Horry-Georgetown				302	887,459	0.6%				320	353,446	1.5%	2,777	2,836,340	6.6%	3,399	4,077,245
Midlands				772	2,319,840	1.6%				803	996,260	4.3%	5,396	5,836,138	13.6%	6,971	9,152,238
Northeastern				73	197,097	0.1%				217	106,660	0.5%	623	494,923	1.2%	913	798,680
Orangeburg-Calhoun				118	335,124	0.2%				391	251,250	1.1%	1,283	1,218,755	2.8%	1,792	1,805,129
Piedmont				248	752,506	0.5%				564	450,889	1.9%	3,009	2,922,192	6.8%	3,821	4,125,587
Spartanburg CC				455	1,321,780	0.9%				418	516,907	2.2%	2,265	2,259,878	5.3%	3,138	4,098,565
TC of the Lowcountry				21	63,825	0.0%				111	131,773	0.6%	1,138	1,031,215	2.4%	1,270	1,226,813
Tri-County				736	2,242,728	1.5%				472	493,379	2.1%	2,557	2,854,046	6.6%	3,765	5,590,153
Trident				296	898,533	0.6%				547	918,461	4.0%	6,774	7,270,837	16.9%	7,617	9,087,830
Williamsburg				6	17,455	0.0%				101	55,359	0.2%	309	274,591	0.6%	416	347,405
York				313	926,517	0.6%				313	451,025	1.9%	1,868	1,914,103	4.5%	2,494	3,291,645
Subtotal				4,857	14,545,146	9.8%				6,438	7,129,259	30.8%	40,006	40,938,437	95.2%	51,301	62,612,842
Subtotal Public Institutions	3,965	30,898,427		25,363	121,342,395				1,962	4,959,721			14,264	18,764,332		41,673	42,487,859
Independent Senior Institutions																	
Allen University				28	120,000	0.1%	23	54,379	0.8%	213	71,224	0.3%				264	245,603
Anderson University	64	461,200	1.1%	437	2,105,000	1.4%	97	242,200	3.4%	832	293,185	1.3%				1,430	3,101,585
Benedict College				182	941,250	0.6%	45	103,350	1.5%	875	315,798	1.4%				1,102	1,360,398
Bob Jones University	70	521,818	1.3%	351	1,809,147	1.2%	54	145,600	2.0%	555	214,200	0.9%				1,030	2,690,765
Charleston Southern Univ.	41	311,850	0.8%	498	2,548,500	1.7%	116	301,000	4.2%	1,241	467,088	2.0%				1,896	3,628,438
Clafin University	3	20,100	0.0%	363	1,882,275	1.3%	51	131,225	1.8%	988	363,392	1.6%				1,405	2,396,992
Coker College	21	149,540	0.4%	220	1,093,750	0.7%	42	106,750	1.5%	751	227,721	1.0%				1,034	1,577,761
Columbia College	40	296,850	0.7%	349	1,722,500	1.2%	51	127,925	1.8%	640	236,079	1.0%				1,080	2,383,354
Columbia International Univ.	8	53,600	0.1%	67	331,426	0.2%	11	30,800	0.4%	147	54,142	0.2%				233	469,968
Converse College	47	348,480	0.9%	212	1,055,315	0.7%	23	59,282	0.8%	329	116,088	0.5%				611	1,579,165
Erskine College	62	498,100	1.2%	184	947,500	0.6%	19	51,800	0.7%	334	131,283	0.6%				599	1,628,683
Furman University	349	2,647,865	6.5%	241	1,216,251	0.8%	6	15,050	0.2%	494	197,416	0.9%				1,090	4,076,582
Limestone College	2	15,000	0.0%	140	655,000	0.4%	28	68,913	1.0%	747	148,563	0.6%				917	887,476
Morris College				59	273,834	0.2%	21	54,600	0.8%	514	189,715	0.8%				594	518,149
Newberry College	12	88,150	0.2%	263	1,349,430	0.9%	60	161,000	2.3%	554	212,574	0.9%				889	1,811,154
North Greenville University	93	675,850	1.7%	535	2,662,500	1.8%	112	288,400	4.1%	1,007	388,214	1.7%				1,747	4,014,964
Presbyterian College	165	1,290,650	3.2%	297	1,533,750	1.0%	21	57,400	0.8%	469	185,944	0.8%				952	3,067,744
South University				16	95,840	0.1%	5	14,000	0.2%							21	109,840
Southern Wesleyan Univ.	10	80,900	0.2%	138	702,500	0.5%	39	97,650	1.4%	655	152,677	0.7%				842	1,033,727
Voorhees College				18	85,000	0.1%	6	14,000	0.2%	150	58,859	0.3%				174	157,859
Wofford College	266	2,119,745	5.2%	353	1,916,250	1.3%	12	32,200	0.5%	469	185,609	0.8%				1,100	4,253,805
Subtotal	1,253	9,579,698	23.7%	4,951	25,047,018	16.9%	842	2,157,524	30.3%	11,964	4,209,770	18.2%				19,010	40,994,011
Two-Year Independent Institutions																	
Spartanburg Methodist Coll.				327	1,526,883	1.0%				523	195,379	0.8%	344	518,598	1.2%	1,194	2,240,860
Subtotal				327	1,526,883	1.0%				523	195,379	0.8%	344	518,598	1.2%	1,194	2,240,860
Subtotal Independent Institutions	1,253	9,579,698		5,278	26,573,901		842	2,									

**Scholarship Disbursements
Fall 2008**

Date: 1/27/2009

	LIFE		Palmetto Fellows		Need-based Grants		HOPE		Lottery Tuition Asst.		Total	
	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount
Research Institutions												
Clemson	4,085	11,579,986	1,915	8,053,430	958	1,033,727	28	39,200			6,986	20,706,343
USC Columbia	5,985	16,414,603	1,315	5,159,251	1,960	1,418,688	229	320,600			9,489	23,313,141
Medical University of SC	34	120,000	14	70,000	23	16,250					71	206,250
Subtotal	10,104	28,114,589	3,244	13,282,681	2,941	2,468,665	257	359,800	0	0	16,546	44,225,734
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions												
The Citadel	323	839,192	17	69,300	103	102,255	57	79,800			500	1,090,547
Coastal Carolina	1,157	3,083,750	67	271,500	452	300,703	234	325,500			1,910	3,981,453
College of Charleston	2,183	5,805,542	463	1,855,649	506	581,777	136	189,837			3,288	8,432,805
Francis Marion	836	2,360,080	47	195,575	683	510,091	173	241,294			1,739	3,307,400
Lander	581	1,561,296	36	137,950	317	313,481	195	273,000			1,129	2,285,727
SC State	404	1,081,136	3	10,050	874	775,600	65	91,000			1,346	1,957,786
USC Aiken	829	2,286,148	38	152,853	292	281,354	166	231,524			1,325	2,951,879
USC Beaufort	178	453,750	9	31,355	68	81,436	53	74,200			308	640,741
USC Upstate	1,097	3,112,446	60	242,350	629	578,208	201	280,336			1,987	4,213,340
Winthrop	1,495	3,898,625	178	676,590	611	631,805	234	325,430			2,518	5,532,450
Subtotal	9,083	24,481,965	918	3,643,172	4,535	4,156,709	1,514	2,111,920	0	0	16,050	34,393,766
Regional Campuses of USC												
USC Lancaster	319	796,757			64	65,574			359	235,103	742	1,097,434
USC Salkehatchie	116	288,125			66	73,107			331	175,787	513	537,018
USC Sumter	225	559,286			76	76,660			496	295,898	797	931,843
USC Union	72	180,000			26	28,274			226	111,759	324	320,033
Subtotal	732	1,824,168	0	0	232	243,614	0	0	1,412	818,546	2,376	2,886,329
Technical Colleges												
Aiken	116	220,065			290	76,320			811	579,289	1,217	875,674
Central Carolina	38	63,228			258	109,750			920	556,831	1,216	729,809
Denmark	13	16,172			67	82,850			190	114,091	270	213,113
Florence-Darlington	284	506,453			331	207,500			1,098	725,389	1,713	1,439,342
Greenville	721	1,369,204			198	189,194			4,839	3,249,136	5,758	4,807,534
Horry-Georgetown	248	421,198			292	183,534			1,904	1,213,974	2,444	1,818,706
Midlands	647	1,212,011			401	314,996			3,831	2,628,255	4,879	4,155,262
Northeastern	72	128,628			128	42,925			353	190,895	553	362,448
Orangeburg-Calhoun	104	188,496			213	106,400			840	517,598	1,157	812,494
Piedmont	209	367,901			374	205,159			1,850	1,176,232	2,433	1,749,291
Spartanburg CC	347	639,330			231	195,048			1,582	1,074,675	2,160	1,909,054
TC of the Low Country	21	37,485			101	75,000			763	458,198	885	570,683
Tri-County Tech	754	1,307,816			344	219,056			1,867	1,299,693	2,965	2,826,565
Trident Tech	273	500,551			389	363,776			4,535	3,103,909	5,197	3,968,237
Williamsburg Tech	6	9,846			0	0			185	108,348	191	118,194
York Tech	234	419,086			179	204,013			1,037	719,964	1,450	1,343,063
Subtotal	4,087	7,407,471	0	0	3,796	2,575,521	0	0	26,605	17,716,477	34,488	27,699,468
Subtotal Public Institutions	24,006	61,828,192	4,162	16,925,853	11,504	9,444,509	1,771	2,471,720	28,017	18,535,023	69,460	109,205,297
Independent Senior Institutions												
Allen University	54	145,150			280	61,399	19	26,600			353	233,149
Anderson University	427	1,091,250	78	295,560	892	178,333	99	138,600			1,496	1,703,743
Benedict College	155	415,000			905	196,196	41	57,400			1,101	668,596
Bob Jones University	334	892,250	69	260,790	548	118,440	41	57,400			992	1,328,880
Charleston Southern University	459	1,236,250	54	209,950	1,238	269,988	111	155,400			1,862	1,871,588
Claffin University	327	817,500			957	200,217	72	100,800			1,356	1,118,517
Coker College	216	551,875	17	67,764	724	128,357	32	44,800			989	792,796
Columbia College	339	894,900	39	142,250	610	130,113	57	79,725			1,045	1,246,988
Columbia International Univ.	82	205,000	10	33,500	157	34,099	8	11,200			257	283,799
Converse College	209	541,250	51	183,905	331	65,902	13	18,200			604	809,257
Ersine College	178	477,500	76	304,200	341	73,528	26	36,400			621	891,628
Furman University	258	663,750	362	1,393,250	501	107,219	3	4,200			1,124	2,168,419
Limestone College	131	327,500	1	3,750	778	90,197	22	30,800			932	452,247
Morris College	54	152,500			520	113,559	8	11,200			582	277,259
Newberry College	270	720,625	22	79,400	619	134,596	52	72,800			963	1,007,421
North Greenville University	574	1,463,750	96	358,300	1,009	218,754	99	138,600			1,778	2,179,404
Presbyterian College	261	679,103	183	721,750	467	101,377	25	35,000			936	1,537,230
South University	21	35,007			205	44,943	4	3,736			25	38,743
Southern Wesleyan University	135	360,000	10	44,200	716	98,238	35	49,000			896	551,438
Voorhees College	19	47,500			205	44,943	7	9,800			231	102,243
Wofford College	334	906,250	275	1,127,125	481	115,432	12	16,800			1,102	2,165,607
Subtotal	4,837	12,623,910	1,343	5,225,694	12,279	2,480,887	786	1,098,461	0	0	19,245	21,428,952
Two-Year Independent Institutions												
Spartanburg Methodist College	339	845,913			479	103,251			252	218,080	1,070	1,167,244
Subtotal	339	845,913	0	0	479	103,251	0	0	252	218,080	1,070	1,167,244
Subtotal Independent Institutions	5,176	13,469,823	1,343	5,225,694	12,758	2,584,138	786	1,098,461	252	218,080	20,315	22,596,196
Grand Total	29,182	75,298,015	5,505	22,151,547	24,262	12,028,647	2,557	3,570,181	28,269	18,753,103	89,775	131,801,493

**Fall 2007 Palmetto Fellows Recipients Retaining
Palmetto Fellows Scholarships in Fall 2008**

Institution	Freshmen in Fall 2007			Sophomores in Fall 2007			Juniors in Fall 2007			Scholarship Retention for Freshmen, Sophomores, & Juniors		
	Palmetto Fellows Fall 2007 Recipients	Retained Scholarship Same Inst Fall 2008	% to Total	Palmetto Fellows Fall 2007 Recipients	Retained Scholarship Same Inst Fall 2008	% to Total	Palmetto Fellows Fall 2007 Recipients	Retained Scholarship Same Inst Fall 2008	% to Total	Fall 2007 Recipients	Ret. Scholarship Same Inst Fall 2008	% to Total
Research Institutions												
Clemson	542	469	86.5%	430	383	89.1%	398	365	91.7%	1,370	1,217	88.8%
USC Columbia	356	321	90.2%	255	244	95.7%	275	258	93.8%	886	823	92.9%
Medical University of SC							5	2	40.0%	5	2	40.0%
Subtotal	898	790	88.0%	685	627	91.5%	678	625	92.2%	2,261	2,042	90.3%
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions												
The Citadel	7	6	85.7%	4	3	75.0%	2	1	50.0%	13	10	76.9%
Coastal Carolina	23	18	78.3%	15	14	93.3%	19	16	84.2%	57	48	84.2%
College of Charleston	128	112	87.5%	122	111	91.0%	98	88	89.8%	348	311	89.4%
Francis Marion	15	13	86.7%	8	7	87.5%	12	10	83.3%	35	30	85.7%
Lander	12	12	100.0%	6	5	83.3%	4	4	100.0%	22	21	95.5%
SC State	1	1	100.0%							1	1	100.0%
USC Aiken	16	13	81.3%	13	11	84.6%	5	5	100.0%	34	29	85.3%
USC Beaufort	4	3	75.0%	1	1	100.0%				5	4	80.0%
USC Upstate	20	18	90.0%	12	11	91.7%	11	9	81.8%	43	38	88.4%
Winthrop	38	32	84.2%	34	30	88.2%	52	51	98.1%	124	113	91.1%
Comprehensive Teaching Subtotal	264	228	86.4%	215	193	89.8%	203	184	90.6%	682	605	88.7%
Subtotal Senior Public Institutions	1,162	1,018	87.6%	900	820	91.1%	881	809	91.8%	2,943	2,647	89.9%
Independent Senior Institutions												
Allen University												
Anderson University	23	20	87.0%	17	12	70.6%	19	19	100.0%	59	51	86.4%
Benedict College												
Bob Jones University	22	20	90.9%	17	16	94.1%	15	15	100.0%	54	51	94.4%
Charleston Southern University	18	17	94.4%	5	5	100.0%	8	8	100.0%	31	30	96.8%
Clayton University	1	1	100.0%				2	1	50.0%	3	2	66.7%
Coker College	4	3	75.0%	6	6	100.0%	4	3	75.0%	14	12	85.7%
Columbia College	5	4	80.0%	12	11	91.7%	12	12	100.0%	29	27	93.1%
Columbia International University	2	2	100.0%	1	1	100.0%	2	1	50.0%	5	4	80.0%
Converse College	11	11	100.0%	11	11	100.0%	7	5	71.4%	29	27	93.1%
Erskine College	18	17	94.4%	20	18	90.0%	14	14	100.0%	52	49	94.2%
Furman University	97	77	79.4%	85	76	89.4%	74	73	98.6%	256	226	88.3%
Limestone College							1	1	100.0%	1	1	100.0%
Morris College												
Newberry College	7	6	85.7%	1			1	1	100.0%	9	7	77.8%
North Greenville University	35	33	94.3%	33	30	90.9%	13	12	92.3%	81	75	92.6%
Presbyterian College	54	47	87.0%	49	46	93.9%	42	29	69.0%	145	122	84.1%
South University												
Southern Wesleyan University	2	2	100.0%	4	4	100.0%	2	1	50.0%	8	7	87.5%
Voorhees College												
Wofford College	78	70	89.7%	64	61	95.3%	53	53	100.0%	195	184	94.4%
Subtotal	377	330	87.5%	325	297	91.4%	269	248	92.2%	971	875	90.1%
Subtotal All Institutions	1,539	1,348	87.6%	1,225	1,117	91.2%	1,150	1,057	91.9%	3,914	3,522	90.0%
Students Transferred from originating institution to another institution in the state and retained the scholarship												
Research Institutions		11			12			11			34	
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions		14			10						24	
Independent Senior Institutions		7			3						10	
Subtotal		32			25			11			68	
Grand Total	1,539	1,380	89.7%	1,225	1,142	93.2%	1,150	1,068	92.9%	3,914	3,590	91.7%

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**Fall 2007 LIFE Recipients Retaining
LIFE Scholarships in Fall 2008**

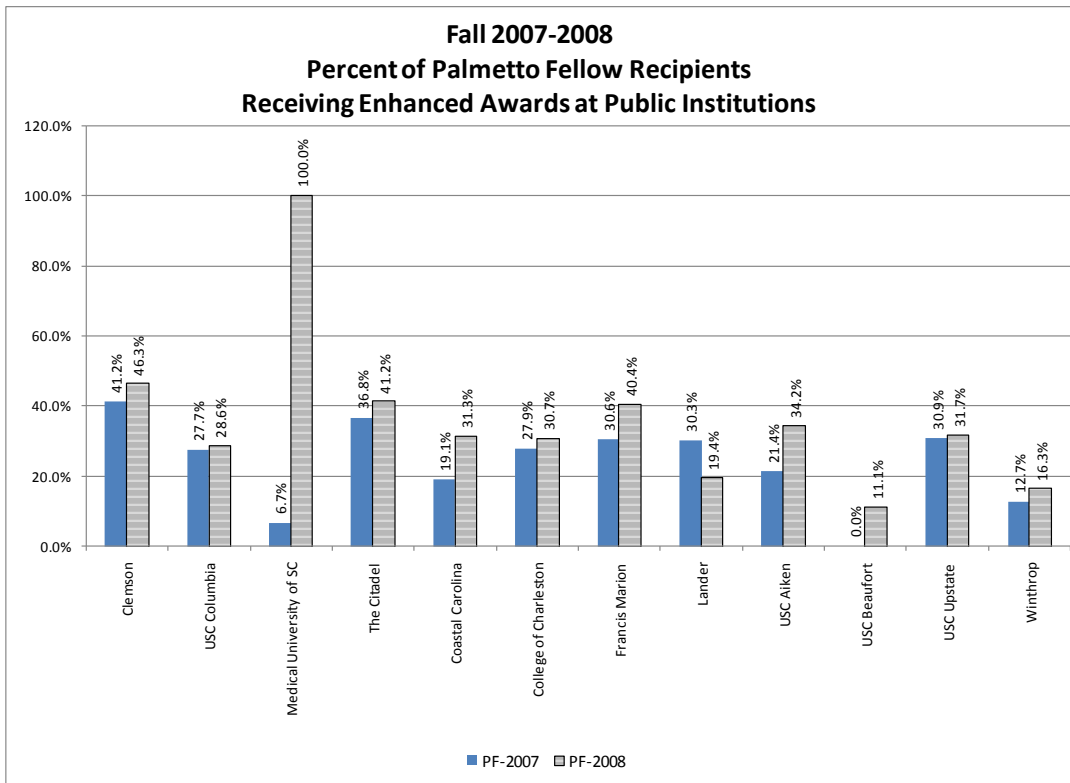
Institution	Freshmen in Fall 2007			Sophomores in Fall 2007			Juniors in Fall 2007			Scholarship Retention for Freshmen, Sophomores, & Juniors		
	LIFE Fall 2007 Recipients	Retained Scholarship Same Inst Fall 2008	% to Total	LIFE Fall 2007 Recipients	Retained Scholarship Same Inst Fall 2008	% to Total	LIFE Fall 2007 Recipients	Retained Scholarship Same Inst Fall 2008	% to Total	Fall 2007 Recipients	Ret. Scholarship Fall 2008	% to Total
Research Institutions												
Clemson	1,307	765	58.5%	906	741	81.8%	843	687	81.5%	3,056	2,193	71.8%
USC Columbia	1,754	1,184	67.5%	1,370	1,156	84.4%	1,342	1,192	88.8%	4,466	3,532	79.1%
Medical University of SC							13	4	30.8%	13	4	30.8%
Subtotal	3,061	1,949	63.7%	2,276	1,897	83.3%	2,198	1,883	85.7%	7,535	5,729	76.0%
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions												
The Citadel	112	41	36.6%	49	47	95.9%	56	48	85.7%	217	136	62.7%
Coastal Carolina	433	220	50.8%	262	188	71.8%	225	182	80.9%	920	590	64.1%
College of Charleston	891	392	44.0%	494	367	74.3%	455	377	82.9%	1,840	1,136	61.7%
Francis Marion	395	133	33.7%	198	153	77.3%	156	124	79.5%	749	410	54.7%
Lander	217	93	42.9%	109	83	76.1%	98	82	83.7%	424	258	60.8%
SC State	234	83	35.5%	96	66	68.8%	92	76	82.6%	422	225	53.3%
USC Aiken	320	125	39.1%	188	134	71.3%	160	138	86.3%	668	397	59.4%
USC Beaufort	75	20	26.7%	46	22	47.8%	30	22	73.3%	151	64	42.4%
USC Upstate	406	212	52.2%	241	175	72.6%	228	169	74.1%	875	556	63.5%
Winthrop	576	224	38.9%	330	261	79.1%	320	274	85.6%	1,226	759	61.9%
Subtotal	3,659	1,543	42.2%	2,013	1,496	74.3%	1,820	1,492	82.0%	7,492	4,531	60.5%
Subtotal Public Four Year	6,720	3,492	52.0%	4,289	3,393	79.1%	4,018	3,375	84.0%	15,027	10,260	68.3%
Regional Campuses of USC												
USC Lancaster	216	92	42.6%							216	92	42.6%
USC Salkehatchie	88	25	28.4%							88	25	28.4%
USC Sumter	179	56	31.3%							179	56	31.3%
USC Union	51	18	35.3%							51	18	35.3%
Subtotal	534	191	35.8%							534	191	35.8%
Technical Colleges (Associates Only)												
Aiken	23	11	47.8%							23	11	47.8%
Central Carolina	27	5	18.5%							27	5	18.5%
Denmark	4	2	50.0%							4	2	50.0%
Florence-Darlington	212	30	14.2%							212	30	14.2%
Greenville	619	104	16.8%							619	104	16.8%
Horry-Georgetown	157	30	19.1%							157	30	19.1%
Midlands	469	101	21.5%							469	101	21.5%
Northeastern	40	8	20.0%							40	8	20.0%
Orangeburg-Calhoun	33	8	24.2%							33	8	24.2%
Piedmont	85	20	23.5%							85	20	23.5%
Spartanburg CC	174	48	27.6%							174	48	27.6%
TC of the Lowcountry	6	1	16.7%							6	1	16.7%
Tri-County	561	89	15.9%							561	89	15.9%
Trident	132	31	23.5%							132	31	23.5%
Williamsburg												
York												
Subtotal	2,724	528	19.4%							2,724	528	19.4%
Independent Senior Institutions												
Allen University	14	4	28.6%	7	5	71.4%	3	2	66.7%	24	11	45.8%
Anderson University	193	88	45.6%	76	62	81.6%	62	56	90.3%	331	206	62.2%
Benedict College	62	30	48.4%	47	29	61.7%	30	17	56.7%	139	76	54.7%
Bob Jones University	125	84	67.2%	66	53	80.3%	76	63	82.9%	267	200	74.9%
Charleston Southern University	238	81	34.0%	91	71	78.0%	76	66	86.8%	405	218	53.8%
Clafin University	80	30	37.5%	95	62	65.3%	88	66	75.0%	263	158	60.1%
Coker College	90	41	45.6%	54	45	83.3%	37	28	75.7%	181	114	63.0%
Columbia College	129	60	46.5%	74	60	81.1%	60	52	86.7%	263	172	65.4%
Columbia International University	20	15	75.0%	16	14	87.5%	16	11	68.8%	52	40	76.9%
Converse College	70	41	58.6%	52	40	76.9%	43	35	81.4%	165	116	70.3%
Erskine College	78	41	52.6%	42	34	81.0%	28	27	96.4%	148	102	68.9%
Furman University	90	45	50.0%	37	29	78.4%	49	39	79.6%	176	113	64.2%
Limestone College	54	23	42.6%	23	18	78.3%	28	22	78.6%	105	63	60.0%
Morris College	20	7	35.0%	22	16	72.7%	6	5	83.3%	48	28	58.3%
Newberry College	105	45	42.9%	59	43	72.9%	43	40	93.0%	207	128	61.8%
North Greenville University	173	94	54.3%	142	116	81.7%	98	91	92.9%	413	301	72.9%
Presbyterian College	138	55	39.9%	51	44	86.3%	59	30	50.8%	248	129	52.0%
South University	4	2	50.0%	7	6	85.7%	1			12	8	66.7%
Southern Wesleyan University	47	20	42.6%	33	29	87.9%	34	29	85.3%	114	78	68.4%
Voorhees College	6	1	16.7%	2	1	50.0%	4	3	75.0%	12	5	41.7%
Wofford College	126	60	47.6%	71	63	88.7%	61	54	88.5%	258	177	68.6%
Subtotal	1,862	867	46.6%	1,067	840	78.7%	902	736	81.6%	3,831	2,443	63.8%
Two-Year Independent Institutions												
Spartanburg Methodist College	247	57	23.1%							247	57	23.1%
Subtotal	247	57	23.1%							247	57	23.1%
Subtotal	12,087	5,135	42.5%	5,356	4,233	79.0%	4,920	4,111	83.6%	22,363	13,479	60.3%
Students Transferred from originating institution to another institution in the state and received the scholarship												
Research Institutions		87			34			11				132
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions		213			105			31				180
Two-Year Regional Campuses		64			116							180
Technical Colleges (Associates Only)		257			163							420
Independent Senior Institutions		105			38			10				153
Two-Year Independent Institutions		13			55							68
Subtotal		739			511			52				1,302
Grand Total	12,087	5,874	48.6%	5,356	4,744	88.6%	4,920	4,163	84.6%	22,363	14,781	66.1%

**LIFE and Palmetto Fellows Scholarship
Disbursements with Enhancements
Fall 2008**

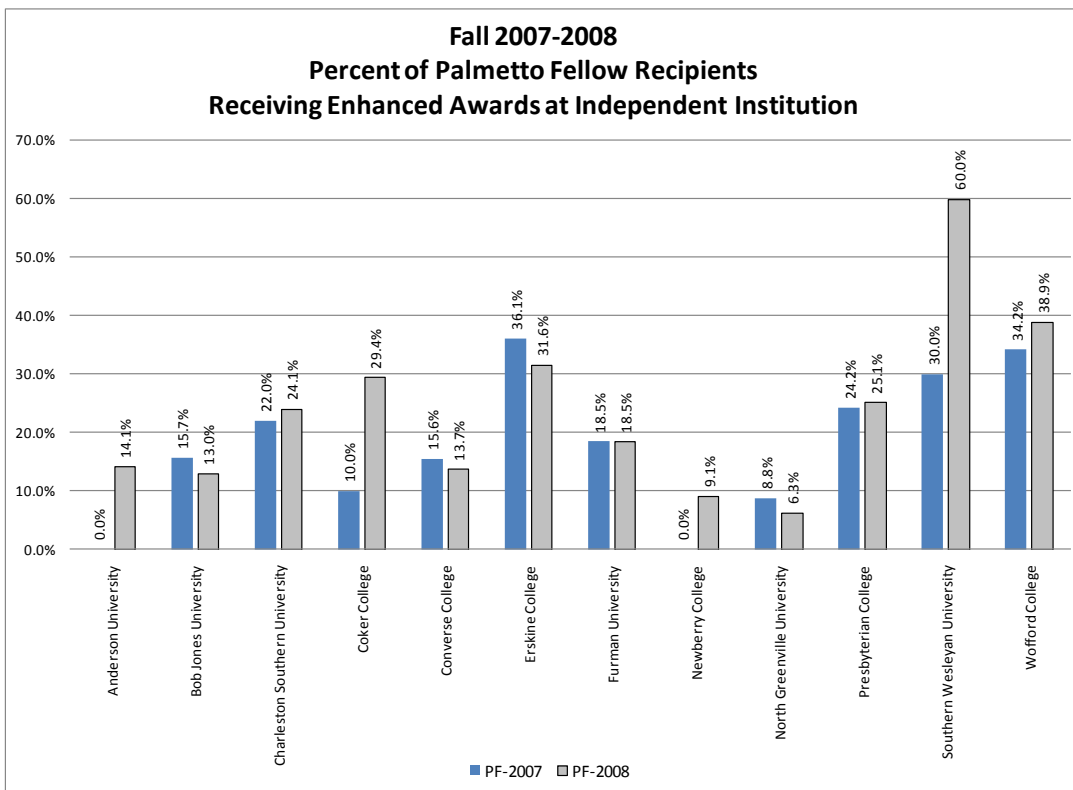
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	Palmetto Fellows Total		Palmetto Fellows Receiving Enhanced Awards ¹ % of PF Recipients			LIFE Total		LIFE Receiving Enhanced Awards* % of LIFE Recipients		
	Number col a	Amount col b	Number col c	Amount Only col d	Rec'd Enhanced col e/col a	Number col f	Amount col g	Number col h	Amount Only col i	Rec'd Enhanced col j/col f
Research Institutions										
Clemson	1,915	8,053,430	886	1,458,534	46.3%	4,085	11,579,986	1,104	1,376,319	27.0%
USC Columbia	1,315	5,159,251	376	610,705	28.6%	5,985	16,414,603	1,180	1,471,522	19.7%
Medical University of SC	14	70,000	14	23,100	100.0%	34	120,000	30	37,500	88.2%
Subtotal	3,244	13,282,681	1,276	2,092,339	39.3%	10,104	28,114,589	2,314	2,885,341	22.9%
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions										
The Citadel	17	69,300	7	11,550	41.2%	323	839,192	36	43,177	11.1%
Coastal Carolina	67	271,500	21	34,650	31.3%	1,157	3,083,750	156	195,000	13.5%
College of Charleston	463	1,855,649	142	232,487	30.7%	2,183	5,805,542	285	356,250	13.1%
Francis Marion	47	195,575	19	31,200	40.4%	836	2,360,080	218	270,941	26.1%
Lander	36	137,950	7	11,350	19.4%	581	1,561,296	90	112,121	15.5%
SC State	3	10,050				404	1,081,136	61	74,224	15.1%
USC Aiken	38	152,853	13	19,512	34.2%	829	2,286,148	177	220,261	21.4%
USC Beaufort	9	31,355	1	1,272	11.1%	178	453,750	7	8,750	3.9%
USC Upstate	60	242,350	19	31,350	31.7%	1,097	3,112,446	296	370,000	27.0%
Winthrop	178	676,590	29	47,096	16.3%	1,495	3,898,625	138	172,500	9.2%
Subtotal	918	3,643,172	258	420,467	28.1%	9,083	24,481,965	1,464	1,823,223	16.1%
Regional Campuses of USC	Not Applicable		Not Applicable					Not Applicable		
USC Lancaster						319	796,757			
USC Salkehatchie						116	288,125			
USC Sumter						225	559,286			
USC Union						72	180,000			
Subtotal						732	1,824,168			
Technical Colleges	Not Applicable		Not Applicable					Not Applicable		
Aiken						116	220,065			
Central Carolina						38	63,228			
Denmark						13	16,172			
Florence-Darlington						284	506,453			
Greenville						721	1,369,204			
Horry-Georgetown						248	421,198			
Midlands						647	1,212,011			
Northeastern						72	128,628			
Orangeburg-Calhoun						104	188,496			
Piedmont						209	367,901			
Spartanburg CC						347	639,330			
TC of the Low Country						21	37,485			
Tri-County						754	1,307,816			
Trident						273	500,551			
Williamsburg						6	9,846			
York						234	419,086			
Subtotal						4,087	7,407,471			
Subtotal Public Institutions	4,162	16,925,853	1,534	2,512,806	36.9%	24,006	61,828,192	3,778	4,708,564	15.7%
Independent Senior Institutions										
Allen University						54	145,150	9	11,250	16.7%
Anderson University	78	295,560	11	17,460	14.1%	427	1,091,250	19	23,750	4.4%
Benedict College						155	415,000	22	27,500	14.2%
Bob Jones University	69	260,790	9	14,850	13.0%	334	892,250	47	58,750	14.1%
Charleston Southern University	54	209,950	13	21,450	24.1%	459	1,236,250	71	88,750	15.5%
Clafflin University						327	817,500			
Coker College	17	67,764	5	7,614	29.4%	216	551,875	12	15,000	5.6%
Columbia College	39	142,250				339	894,900	40	50,000	11.8%
Columbia International Univ.	10	33,500				82	205,000			
Converse College	51	183,905	7	10,692	13.7%	209	541,250	15	18,750	7.2%
Erskine College	76	304,200	24	39,600	31.6%	178	477,500	26	32,500	14.6%
Furman University	362	1,393,250	67	110,550	18.5%	258	663,750	15	18,750	5.8%
Limestone College	1	3,750				131	327,500			
Morris College						54	152,500	14	17,500	25.9%
Newberry College	22	79,400	2	3,300	9.1%	270	720,625	38	47,500	14.1%
North Greenville University	96	358,300	6	9,900	6.3%	574	1,463,750	23	28,750	4.0%
Presbyterian College	183	721,750	46	75,900	25.1%	261	679,103	24	30,000	9.2%
South University						21	35,007			
Southern Wesleyan University	10	44,200	6	9,900	60.0%	135	360,000	18	22,500	13.3%
Voorhees College						19	47,500			
Wofford College	275	1,127,125	107	174,615	38.9%	334	906,250	57	71,250	17.1%
Subtotal	1,343	5,225,694	303	495,831	22.6%	4,837	12,623,910	450	562,500	9.3%
Two-Year Independent Institutions	Not Applicable		Not Applicable					Not Applicable		
Spartanburg Methodist College						339	845,913			
Subtotal						339	845,913			
Subtotal Independent Institutions	1,343	5,225,694	303	495,831	22.6%	5,176	13,469,823	450	562,500	8.7%
Grand Total	5,505	22,151,547	1,837	3,008,637	33.4%	29,182	75,298,015	4,228	5,271,064	14.5%

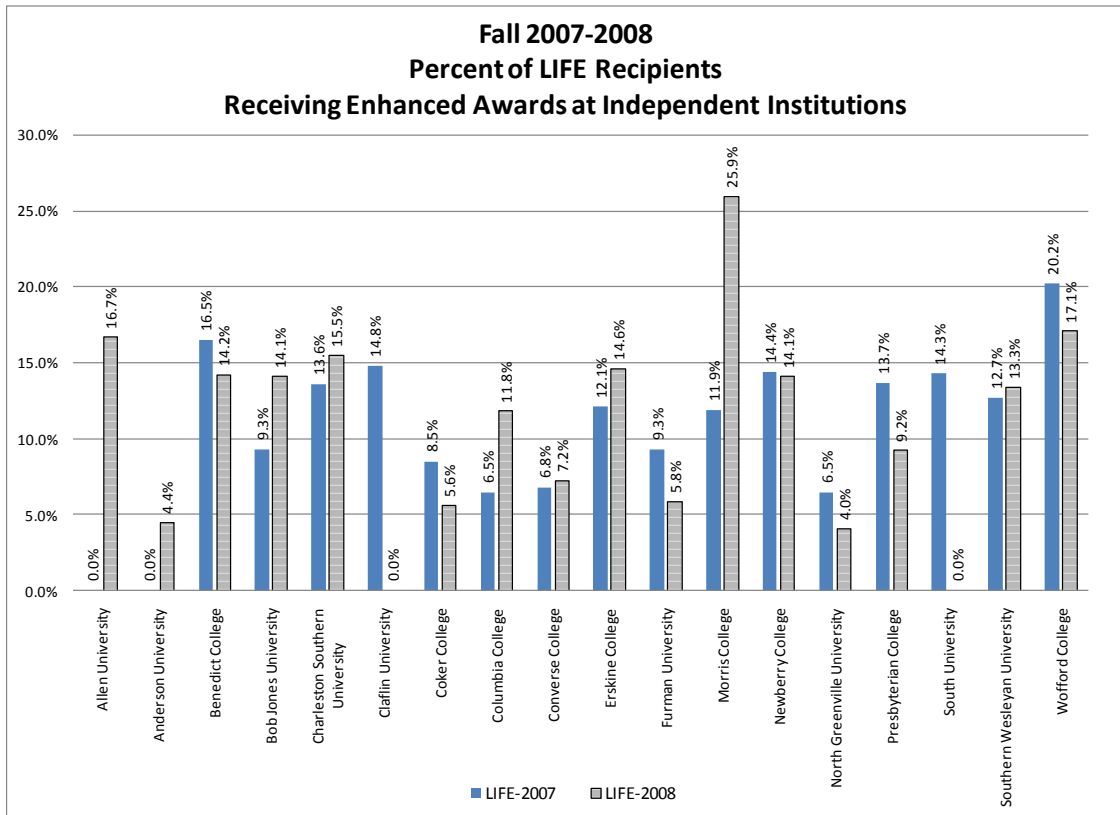
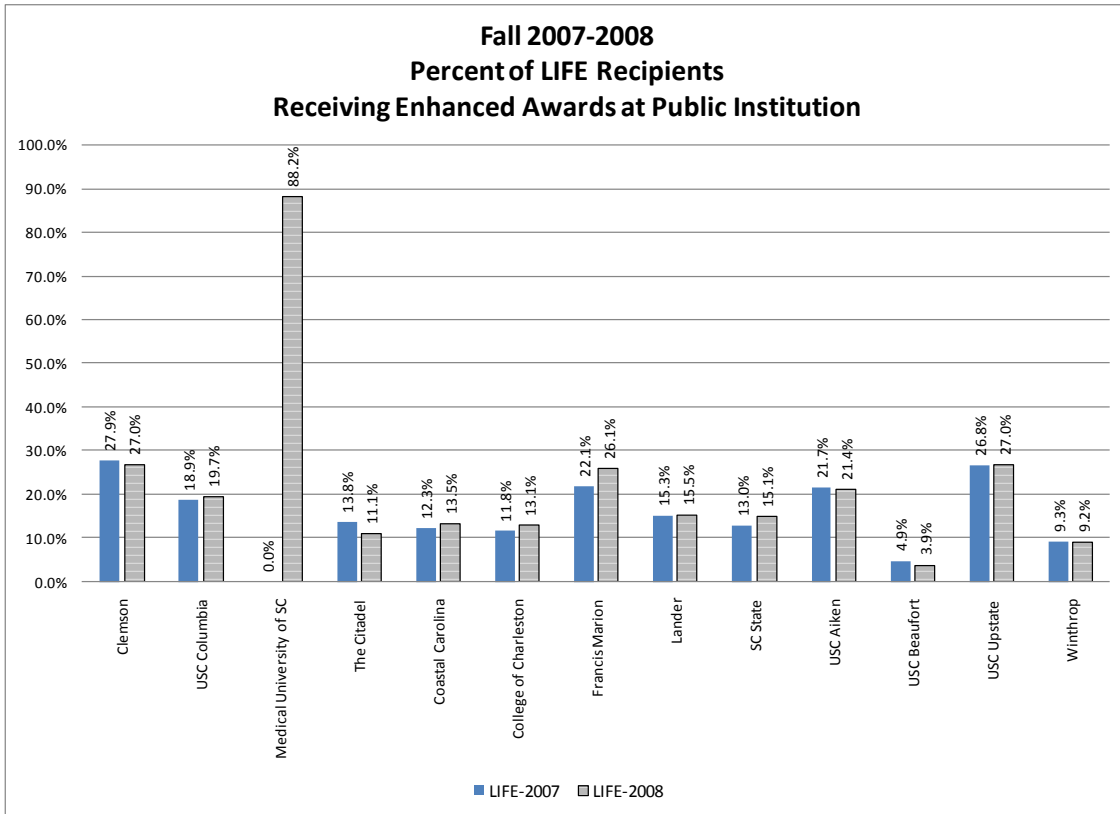
¹The General Assembly passed legislation effective beginning fall 2007 to provide scholarship enhancements starting in the sophomore year to Palmetto Fellows & LIFE recipients at a four year institution who are majoring in eligible math/science/engineering/health care related areas. For LIFE students, the enhancement provides up to an additional *\$2500 annually. The award for Palmetto Fellows recipients in one of the eligible math/science/engineering/health care related majors beginning in the sophomore year provides up to \$3300 per year. For Palmetto Fellows students who are not in one of the eligible majors, up to \$800 annually is available beginning in the sophomore year.



South Carolina State University reported no Palmetto Fellows enhanced scholarships in either year.



Allen, Benedict, Clafin, Columbia College, Columbia International University, Limestone, Morris, South University, and Voorhees reported no Palmetto Fellows enhanced scholarships in either year.



Columbia International University, Limestone, and Voorhees reported no LIFE enhanced scholarships in either year.

**Fall 2007 Hope Scholarship Recipients
Retaining LIFE Scholarships in Fall 2008**

Institution	Freshmen HOPE Fall 2007 Recipients	Retention of HOPE Students Received LIFE Scholarship					Retention of Hope Students Did Not Receive LIFE Scholarship					Retention of Hope Students With/Without Scholarship					Students Not Enrolled	
		Same Inst Fall 2008	Same Inst % To Total	Diff. Inst Fall 2008	Rec. LIFE Fall 2008	Received LIFE % To Total	Same Inst Fall 2008	Same Inst % To Total	Diff. Inst Fall 2008	Enrolled Total Fall 2008	Enrolled % To Total	Same Inst Fall 2008	Same Inst % To Total	Diff. Inst Fall 2008	Enrolled Total Fall 2008	Enrolled % To Total	Number	% to Total
	a	b	b/a	c	b+c	(b+c)/a	d	d/a	e	d+e	(d+e)/a	f	f/a	g	f+g	(f+g)/a	col h	h/a
Research Institutions																		
Clemson	26	10	38.5%		10	38.5%	11	42.3%	4	15	57.7%	21	80.8%	4	25	96.2%	1	3.8%
USC Columbia	131	53	40.5%	5	58	44.3%	56	42.7%	12	68	51.9%	109	83.2%	17	126	96.2%	5	3.8%
Medical University of SC	N/A																	
Subtotal	157	63	40.1%	5	68	43.3%	67	42.7%	16	83	52.9%	130	82.8%	21	151	96.2%	6	3.8%
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions																		
The Citadel	60	9	15.0%	2	11	18.3%	42	70.0%	2	44	73.3%	51	85.0%	4	55	91.7%	5	8.3%
Coastal Carolina	229	56	24.5%	20	76	33.2%	94	41.0%	24	118	51.5%	150	65.5%	44	194	84.7%	35	15.3%
College of Charleston	166	24	14.5%	5	29	17.5%	95	57.2%	21	116	69.9%	119	71.7%	26	145	87.3%	21	12.7%
Francis Marion	185	23	12.4%	11	34	18.4%	89	48.1%	30	119	64.3%	112	60.5%	41	153	82.7%	32	17.3%
Lander	139	10	7.2%	3	13	9.4%	71	51.1%	43	114	82.0%	81	58.3%	46	127	91.4%	12	8.6%
SC State	143	17	11.9%		17	11.9%	83	58.0%	18	101	70.6%	100	69.9%	18	118	82.5%	25	17.5%
USC Aiken	171	38	22.2%	10	48	28.1%	73	42.7%	29	102	59.6%	111	64.9%	39	150	87.7%	21	12.3%
USC Beaufort	53	13	24.5%	4	17	32.1%	12	22.6%	11	23	43.4%	25	47.2%	15	40	75.3%	13	24.5%
USC Upstate	226	42	18.6%	19	61	27.0%	91	40.3%	47	138	61.1%	133	58.8%	66	199	88.1%	27	11.9%
Winthrop	265	37	14.0%	9	46	17.4%	126	47.5%	53	179	67.5%	163	61.5%	62	225	84.9%	40	15.1%
Subtotal	1,637	269	16.4%	83	352	21.5%	776	47.4%	278	1,054	64.4%	1,045	63.8%	361	1,406	85.9%	231	14.1%
Public Institutions Subtotal	1,794	332	18.5%	88	420	23.4%	843	47.0%	294	1,137	63.4%	1,175	65.5%	382	1,557	86.8%	237	13.2%
Independent Senior Institutions																		
Allen University	18	7	38.9%		7	38.9%	9	50.0%		9	50.0%	16	88.9%		16	88.9%	2	11.1%
Anderson University	92	8	8.7%	5	13	14.1%	34	37.0%	32	66	71.7%	42	45.7%	37	79	85.9%	13	14.1%
Benedict College	43	6	14.0%	2	8	18.6%	15	34.9%	4	19	44.2%	21	48.8%	6	27	62.8%	16	37.2%
Bob Jones University	51	18	35.3%	1	19	37.3%	23	45.1%	4	27	52.9%	41	80.4%	5	46	90.2%	5	9.8%
Charleston Southern University	114	16	14.0%	5	21	18.4%	52	45.6%	23	75	65.8%	68	59.6%	28	96	84.2%	18	15.8%
Clafflin University	47	8	17.0%	3	11	23.4%	23	48.9%	5	28	59.6%	31	66.0%	8	39	83.0%	8	17.0%
Coker College	39	2	5.1%		2	5.1%	24	61.5%	5	29	74.4%	26	66.7%	5	31	79.5%	8	20.5%
Columbia College	49	14	28.6%	1	15	30.6%	14	28.6%	13	27	55.1%	28	57.1%	14	42	85.7%	7	14.3%
Columbia International University	11	5	45.5%	1	6	54.5%	2	18.2%	1	3	27.3%	7	63.6%	2	9	81.8%	2	18.2%
Converse College	21	5	23.8%	1	6	28.6%	8	38.1%	3	11	52.4%	13	61.9%	4	17	81.0%	4	19.0%
Erskine College	19	2	10.5%		2	10.5%	11	57.9%	4	15	78.9%	13	68.4%	4	17	89.5%	2	10.5%
Furman University	6	2	33.3%		2	33.3%	4	66.7%		4	66.7%	6	100.0%		6	100.0%		
Limestone College	25	2	8.0%		2	8.0%	13	52.0%	3	16	64.0%	15	60.0%	3	18	72.0%	7	28.0%
Morris College	21	1	4.8%	2	3	14.3%	13	61.9%	2	15	71.4%	14	66.7%	4	18	85.7%	3	14.3%
Newberry College	57	13	22.8%	1	14	24.6%	27	47.4%	13	40	70.2%	40	70.2%	14	54	94.7%	3	5.3%
North Greenville University	105	20	19.0%	3	23	21.9%	50	47.6%	17	67	63.8%	70	66.7%	20	90	85.7%	15	14.3%
Presbyterian College	21	1	4.8%	1	2	9.5%	13	61.9%	2	15	71.4%	14	66.7%	3	17	81.0%	4	19.0%
South University	4	2	50.0%		2	50.0%	1	25.0%		1	25.0%	3	75.0%		3	75.0%	1	25.0%
Southern Wesleyan University	37	7	18.9%		7	18.9%	11	29.7%	10	21	56.8%	18	48.6%	10	28	75.7%	9	24.3%
Voorhees College	6						3	50.0%	2	5	83.3%	3	50.0%	2	5	83.3%	1	16.7%
Wofford College	11	3	27.3%	1	4	36.4%	7	63.6%		7	63.6%	10	90.9%	1	11	100.0%		
Independent Senior Subtotal	797	142	17.8%	27	169	21.2%	357	44.8%	143	500	62.7%	499	62.6%	170	669	83.9%	128	16.1%
Subtotal	2,591	474	18.3%	115	589	22.7%	1,200	46.3%	437	1,637	63.2%	1,674	64.6%	552	2,226	85.9%	365	14.1%
Students Transferred from originating institution to another institution in the state																		
Received the LIFE Scholarship		5																
Enrolled in another S.C. Public/Independent Institution																		
Research Institutions																		
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions																		
Independent Senior Institutions																		
Subtotal		115					437					552						
Grand Total	2,591	589				22.7%	1,637				63.2%	2,226				85.9%	365	14.1%

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Tuition & Required Fees



For the purposes of the data in this section, the Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System (IPEDS) definition of “tuition and required fees” is used. IPEDS defines the term as: “Tuition is an amount of money charged to students for instructional services. Required fees are fixed sums charged to students for items not covered by tuition and required of such a large percentage of students that the student who does **not** pay the charge is an exception.” It is important to note that institutions may assess special user fees. For example, students may be assessed a fee for enrolling in a particular course or academic program.

Institutions use these revenues to meet their missions through the areas of: instruction, research, public service, libraries, student services, operation and maintenance of plant, and administration. State general funds are also used to support these core operating needs.

**Analysis of Student Tuition and Required Fees
For Full-Time Undergraduate Students, Academic Year 2008-2009
Public Institutions**

Summary of Required Fees According to Use (Tuition & Fees)								Required Fees For Full-Time Out-of-State Undergraduate	
	Educational & General	%	Dedicated Fees	%	Debt Serv. & Capital	%	Total	O-S-S	Difference
Research Institutions									
Clemson	\$8,869	85.5%	\$329	3.2%	\$1,180	11.4%	\$10,378	\$23,400	\$13,022
USC Columbia*	7,618	86.2%	410	4.6%	810	9.2%	8,838	20,982	12,144
Medical University of SC**	7,389	63.0%	0	0.0%	4,342	37.0%	11,731	22,276	10,545
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions									
The Citadel	\$5,981	71.2%	\$1,947	23.2%	\$475	5.7%	\$8,403	\$21,031	\$12,628
Coastal Carolina	6,910	79.9%	390	4.5%	1,350	15.6%	8,650	18,090	9,440
College of Charleston	6,444	76.7%	934	11.1%	1,022	12.2%	8,400	20,418	12,018
Francis Marion	7,242	94.3%	0	0.0%	440	5.7%	7,682	15,028	7,346
Lander	7,840	93.6%	350	4.2%	190	2.3%	8,380	15,840	7,460
SC State	7,094	90.9%	140	1.8%	572	7.3%	7,806	15,298	7,492
USC Aiken	6,986	92.8%	64	0.8%	482	6.4%	7,532	14,896	7,364
USC Beaufort	6,670	95.3%	0	0.0%	330	4.7%	7,000	14,576	7,576
USC Upstate	6,682	80.1%	950	11.4%	710	8.5%	8,342	16,684	8,342
Winthrop	9,730	87.3%	188	1.7%	1,222	11.0%	11,140	20,710	9,570
Regional Campuses of USC									
USC Lancaster	\$5,164	98.1%	0	0.0%	\$100	1.9%	\$5,264	\$12,680	\$7,416
USC Salkehatchie	5,164	98.1%	0	0.0%	100	1.9%	5,264	\$12,680	7,416
USC Sumter	5,114	97.2%	0	0.0%	150	2.8%	5,264	\$12,680	7,416
USC Union	5,114	97.2%	0	0.0%	150	2.8%	5,264	\$12,680	7,416
Technical Colleges									
Aiken	\$3,330	95.0%	0	0.0%	\$176	5.0%	\$3,506	\$9,794	\$6,288
Central Carolina	2,596	86.0%	0	0.0%	424	14.0%	3,020	5,372	2,352
Denmark	1,978	83.2%	0	0.0%	400	16.8%	2,378	4,466	2,088
Florence-Darlington	2,650	83.1%	0	0.0%	540	16.9%	3,190	5,286	2,096
Greenville	3,196	94.1%	0	0.0%	200	5.9%	3,396	6,912	3,516
Horry-Georgetown	3,154	98.7%	0	0.0%	40	1.3%	3,194	5,034	1,840
Midlands	3,210	95.5%	0	0.0%	150	4.5%	3,360	9,840	6,480
Northeastern	2,766	84.6%	0	0.0%	504	15.4%	3,270	5,886	2,616
Orangeburg-Calhoun	2,808	92.1%	0	0.0%	240	7.9%	3,048	4,488	1,440
Piedmont	2,776	90.2%	0	0.0%	300	9.8%	3,076	4,684	1,608
Spartanburg CC	2,918	88.1%	0	0.0%	396	11.9%	3,314	7,048	3,734
TC of the Lowcountry	3,092	96.0%	0	0.0%	128	4.0%	3,220	7,082	3,862
Tri-County	2,624	85.8%	0	0.0%	436	14.2%	3,060	6,786	3,726
Trident	2,862	85.9%	0	0.0%	468	14.1%	3,330	6,308	2,978
Williamsburg	2,842	96.6%	0	0.0%	100	3.4%	2,942	5,642	2,700
York	3,204	100.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3,204	7,288	4,084

* Excludes Medicine, Law, & Health Professions

** Includes Pharmacy, Nursing, & Allied Health

**Ten-Year Summary of Tuition and Required Fees for Full-Time In-State Undergraduates
Public Institutions**

Updated to reflect tuition increases in the spring for the academic year

Updated on 04/08/09

Institutions	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	(10 Year) 2008-09 Over 1999-00	% Change (5 Year) 2008-09 Over 2004-05	(1 Year) 2008-09 Over 2007-08
	Research Institutions												
Clemson	\$3,470	\$3,590	\$5,090	\$5,834	\$6,934	\$7,840	\$8,886	\$9,400	\$9,870	\$10,378	199.1%	32.4%	5.1%
USC Columbia*	3,740	3,868	4,260	5,024	5,778	6,416	7,314	7,808	8,346	8,838	136.3%	37.7%	5.9%
Medical University of SC**	4,626	5,180	5,824	6,230	7,608	8,368	9,302	10,277	10,790	11,731	153.6%	40.2%	8.7%
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions													
The Citadel	\$3,396	\$3,404	\$3,727	\$4,067	\$4,999	\$5,900	\$6,522	\$7,168	\$7,735	\$8,403	147.4%	42.4%	8.6%
Coastal Carolina	3,340	3,500	3,770	4,350	5,190	6,100	6,860	7,500	7,600	8,650	159.0%	41.8%	13.8%
College of Charleston	3,520	3,630	3,780	4,858	5,770	6,202	6,668	7,234	7,778	8,400	138.6%	35.4%	8.0%
Francis Marion	3,350	3,600	3,790	4,340	5,082	5,540	5,984	6,512	7,038	7,682	129.3%	38.7%	9.2%
Lander	3,700	3,888	4,152	4,704	5,400	5,866	6,668	7,162	7,728	8,380	126.5%	42.9%	8.4%
SC State	3,410	3,724	4,240	4,898	5,570	6,170	6,480	7,278	7,318	7,806	128.9%	26.5%	6.7%
USC Aiken	3,318	3,558	3,738	4,374	5,084	5,622	6,128	6,670	7,006	7,532	127.0%	34.0%	7.5%
USC Beaufort	2,100	2,200	2,410	3,080	4,208	4,670	5,214	5,724	6,250	7,000	233.3%	49.9%	12.0%
USC Upstate	3,360	3,624	4,058	4,748	5,460	6,060	6,636	7,218	7,760	8,342	148.3%	37.7%	7.5%
Winthrop	4,126	4,262	4,868	5,600	6,652	7,816	8,756	9,500	10,210	11,140	170.0%	42.5%	9.1%
Regional Campuses of USC													
USC Lancaster	\$2,100	\$2,200	\$2,410	\$3,080	\$3,656	\$4,058	\$4,324	\$4,652	\$4,868	\$5,264	150.7%	29.7%	8.1%
USC Salkehatchie	2,100	2,200	2,410	3,080	3,656	4,058	4,324	4,652	\$4,868	\$5,264	150.7%	29.7%	8.1%
USC Sumter	2,100	2,200	2,410	3,080	3,656	4,058	4,324	4,652	\$4,868	\$5,264	150.7%	29.7%	8.1%
USC Union	2,100	2,200	2,410	3,080	3,656	4,058	4,324	4,652	\$4,868	\$5,264	150.7%	29.7%	8.1%
Technical Colleges													
Aiken	\$1,110	\$1,300	\$1,800	\$2,192	\$2,600	\$2,836	\$3,036	\$3,190	\$3,298	\$3,506	215.9%	23.6%	6.3%
Central Carolina	1,038	1,200	1,700	2,092	2,500	2,500	2,700	2,900	2,920	3,020	190.9%	20.8%	3.4%
Denmark	1,080	1,080	1,700	2,152	2,248	2,278	2,378	2,278	2,278	2,378	120.2%	4.4%	4.4%
Florence-Darlington	1,320	1,500	1,720	2,112	2,976	2,986	3,026	3,190	3,190	3,190	141.7%	6.8%	0.0%
Greenville	1,300	1,500	1,750	2,142	2,600	2,900	3,000	3,190	3,290	3,396	161.2%	17.1%	3.2%
Horry-Georgetown	1,235	1,363	1,744	2,136	2,394	2,680	2,800	2,944	3,114	3,194	158.6%	19.2%	2.6%
Midlands	1,300	1,396	1,800	2,192	2,836	2,908	3,004	3,100	3,244	3,360	158.5%	15.5%	3.6%
Northeastern	1,100	1,225	1,705	2,092	2,346	2,346	2,526	2,646	2,982	3,270	197.3%	39.4%	9.7%
Orangeburg-Calhoun	1,104	1,296	1,700	1,992	2,496	2,640	2,640	2,832	2,832	3,048	176.1%	15.5%	7.6%
Piedmont	1,224	1,300	1,760	2,350	2,596	2,740	2,860	2,956	3,126	3,076	151.3%	12.3%	-1.6%
Spartanburg CC	1,300	1,400	1,740	2,132	2,660	2,806	2,902	3,094	3,194	3,314	154.9%	18.1%	3.8%
TC of the Lowcountry	1,150	1,250	1,700	2,142	2,600	2,900	3,050	3,050	3,150	3,270	184.3%	12.8%	3.8%
Tri-County	1,100	1,200	1,800	2,022	2,450	2,546	2,738	2,856	2,976	3,060	178.2%	20.2%	2.8%
Trident	1,140	1,300	1,700	2,092	2,446	2,688	2,950	3,114	3,220	3,330	192.1%	23.9%	3.4%
Williamsburg	840	1,100	1,700	2,112	2,112	2,692	2,692	2,830	2,830	2,942	250.2%	9.3%	4.0%
York	1,140	1,236	1,712	2,108	2,736	2,886	3,036	3,124	3,124	3,244	184.6%	12.4%	3.8%
Average Research Excl MUSC	\$3,605	\$3,729	\$4,675	\$5,429	\$6,356	\$7,128	\$8,100	\$8,604	\$9,108	\$9,608	166.5%	34.8%	5.5%
Average Teaching****	3,502	3,688	4,014	4,660	5,467	6,142	6,592	7,197	7,642	8,334	137.9%	35.7%	9.0%
Average 4 year Excl MUSC****	3,521	3,695	4,134	4,800	5,629	6,321	6,843	7,431	7,887	8,546	142.7%	35.2%	8.4%
Average Regional	\$2,100	\$2,200	\$2,410	\$3,080	\$3,656	\$4,058	\$4,324	\$4,652	\$4,868	\$5,264	150.7%	29.7%	8.1%
Average Tech	1,155	1,290	1,733	2,129	2,537	2,708	2,834	2,956	3,048	3,162	173.8%	16.8%	3.8%
Average 2 Year	1,344	1,472	1,869	2,319	2,761	2,978	3,132	3,295	3,412	3,583	166.6%	20.3%	5.0%

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**Ten-Year Summary of Tuition and Required Fees for Full-Time Out-of-State Undergraduates
Public Institutions**

Updated to reflect tuition increases in the spring for the academic year

Updated on 04/08/09

Institutions	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	(10 Year) 2008-09 Over 1999-00	% Change (5 Year) 2008-09 2004-05	(1 Year) 2008-09 2007-08
	Research Institutions												
Clemson	\$9,456	\$9,784	\$11,284	\$12,932	\$14,532	\$16,404	\$18,510	\$19,824	\$21,800	\$23,400	147.5%	42.6%	7.3%
USC Columbia*	9,814	10,154	11,004	13,104	15,116	16,784	18,956	20,236	21,632	22,908	133.4%	36.5%	5.9%
Medical University of SC**	12,959	14,410	16,174	17,227	21,040	23,144	25,259	19,607	20,588	22,276	71.9%	-3.8%	8.2%
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions													
The Citadel	\$8,993	\$9,426	\$10,402	\$11,538	\$13,410	\$14,518	\$15,918	\$17,487	\$19,291	\$21,031	133.9%	44.9%	9.0%
Coastal Carolina	9,280	9,810	10,680	11,760	12,870	14,150	15,100	16,190	16,590	18,090	94.9%	27.8%	9.0%
College of Charleston	7,210	7,910	8,540	10,974	13,032	14,140	15,342	16,800	18,732	20,418	183.2%	44.4%	9.0%
Francis Marion	6,610	7,060	7,410	8,530	10,029	10,945	11,833	12,839	13,841	15,028	127.4%	37.3%	8.6%
Lander	6,660	7,776	8,520	9,648	11,050	12,034	13,608	13,538	14,616	15,840	137.8%	31.6%	8.4%
SC State	6,702	7,262	7,902	8,820	10,850	12,978	13,288	14,322	14,362	15,298	128.3%	17.9%	6.5%
USC Aiken	7,844	8,084	8,264	9,084	10,224	11,264	12,270	13,250	13,922	14,896	89.9%	32.2%	7.0%
USC Beaufort	5,198	5,452	5,730	7,328	10,112	11,060	12,130	12,756	13,912	14,576	180.4%	31.8%	4.8%
USC Upstate	7,886	8,416	8,760	9,640	11,086	12,304	13,474	14,656	15,752	16,684	111.6%	35.6%	5.9%
Winthrop	7,434	7,680	8,756	10,310	12,258	14,410	16,150	17,564	19,034	20,710	178.6%	43.7%	8.8%
Regional Campuses of USC													
USC Lancaster	\$5,198	\$5,452	\$5,730	\$7,328	\$8,754	\$9,720	\$10,384	\$11,128	\$11,228	\$12,680	143.9%	30.5%	12.9%
USC Salkehatchie	5,198	5,452	5,730	7,328	8,754	9,720	10,384	11,128	\$11,228	\$12,680	143.9%	30.5%	12.9%
USC Sumter	5,198	5,452	5,730	7,328	8,754	9,720	10,384	11,090	\$11,228	\$12,680	143.9%	30.5%	12.9%
USC Union	5,198	5,452	5,730	7,328	8,754	9,720	10,384	11,078	\$11,228	\$12,680	143.9%	30.5%	12.9%
Technical Colleges													
Aiken	\$3,270	\$3,740	\$5,060	\$4,124	\$7,300	\$7,942	\$8,518	\$8,906	\$8,906	\$9,794	199.5%	23.3%	10.0%
Central Carolina	2,892	3,344	3,844	4,604	5,188	5,118	4,800	5,156	5,156	5,372	85.8%	5.0%	4.2%
Denmark	2,160	2,160	3,400	4,144	4,036	4,466	4,466	4,366	4,366	4,466	106.8%	0.0%	2.3%
Florence-Darlington	3,070	3,500	3,720	4,208	5,072	5,082	5,122	5,286	5,286	5,286	72.2%	4.0%	0.0%
Greenville	3,250	3,500	3,800	4,542	5,550	5,900	6,110	6,490	6,490	6,912	112.7%	17.2%	6.5%
Horry-Georgetown	2,897	2,655	3,788	4,248	4,248	4,288	4,408	4,408	4,408	5,034	73.8%	17.4%	14.2%
Midlands	3,700	3,988	5,200	6,436	8,308	8,524	8,812	9,100	9,100	9,840	165.9%	15.4%	8.1%
Northeastern	3,300	3,386	3,365	3,700	3,936	3,936	4,110	5,118	5,118	5,886	78.4%	49.5%	15.0%
Orangeburg-Calhoun	3,336	3,408	3,624	3,940	4,464	4,464	4,464	4,464	4,464	4,488	34.5%	0.5%	0.5%
Piedmont	1,962	2,200	3,210	3,748	4,252	4,372	4,468	4,564	4,564	4,684	138.7%	7.1%	2.6%
Spartanburg CC	3,240	3,600	3,940	4,332	5,200	5,370	5,490	5,988	5,988	7,048	117.5%	31.2%	17.7%
TC of the Lowcountry	3,710	3,710	3,710	3,860	3,860	3,860	5,932	5,932	5,932	7,082	90.9%	83.5%	19.4%
Tri-County	3,512	3,864	5,480	5,510	5,820	5,916	6,084	6,348	6,348	6,786	93.2%	14.7%	6.9%
Trident	3,310	3,672	2,880	4,492	4,976	5,274	5,586	5,898	5,898	6,308	90.6%	19.6%	7.0%
Williamsburg	2,640	2,480	2,880	3,912	4,968	4,990	4,990	5,292	5,292	5,642	113.7%	13.1%	6.6%
York	3,072	5,016	5,100	5,204	6,016	6,336	6,664	7,000	7,000	7,288	137.2%	15.0%	4.1%
Average Research Excl MUSC	\$9,635	\$9,969	\$11,144	\$13,018	\$14,824	\$16,594	\$18,733	\$20,030	\$21,716	\$23,154	140.3%	39.5%	6.6%
Average Teaching****	7,624	8,158	8,804	10,034	11,645	12,971	13,911	14,940	16,005	17,257	126.3%	33.0%	7.8%
Average 4 year Excl MUSC****	7,990	8,487	9,229	10,576	12,223	13,630	14,715	15,789	16,957	18,240	128.3%	33.8%	7.6%
Average Regional	\$5,198	\$5,452	\$5,730	\$7,328	\$8,754	\$9,720	\$10,384	\$11,106	\$11,228	\$12,680	143.9%	30.5%	12.9%
Average Tech	3,083	3,389	3,938	4,438	5,200	5,365	5,627	5,895	5,895	6,370	106.6%	18.7%	8.1%
Average 2 Year	3,506	3,802	4,296	5,016	5,911	6,236	6,578	6,937	6,961	7,632	117.7%	22.4%	9.6%

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**Student Tuition and Required Fees
and Average Housing Costs
Public Institutions
FY 2008-09**

Institutions	In-State*	Out-of State*	Dormitory/ Room & Board ^{1,2}
Research Institutions			
Clemson	\$10,378	\$23,400	\$6,556
USC Columbia*	8,838	22,908	7,318
Medical University of SC**	11,731	22,276	Not Applicable
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions			
The Citadel	8,428	21,031	5,750
Coastal Carolina	8,650	18,090	6,970
College of Charleston	8,400	20,418	8,999
Francis Marion	7,682	15,028	6,024
Lander	8,380	15,840	6,200
SC State	7,806	15,298	7,294
USC Aiken	7,532	14,896	6,940
USC Beaufort	7,000	14,576	7,119
USC Upstate	8,342	16,684	6,400
Winthrop	11,160	20,710	6,320
Regional Campuses of USC			
USC Lancaster	5,264	12,680	
USC Salkehatchie	5,264	12,680	
USC Sumter	5,264	12,680	
USC Union	5,264	12,680	
Technical Colleges			
Aiken	3,506	9,794	
Central Carolina	3,020	5,372	
Denmark	2,378	4,466	
Florence-Darlington	3,190	5,286	
Greenville	3,396	6,912	
Horry-Georgetown	3,194	5,034	
Midlands	3,360	9,840	
Northeastern	3,270	5,886	
Orangeburg-Calhoun	3,048	4,488	
Piedmont	3,076	4,684	
Spartanburg CC	3,314	7,048	
TC of the Lowcountry	3,270	7,082	
Tri-County	3,060	6,786	
Trident	3,330	6,308	
Williamsburg	2,942	5,642	
York	3,244	7,288	

* Includes spring tuition increase where applicable.

** Includes Pharmacy, Nursing, and Health Professions only.

¹ Meals per week not available.

² Source: IPEDS College Navigator Website. Accessed: April 8, 2009

<http://www.nces.ed.gov/collegenavigator/>

**Student Tuition and Required Fees
and Average Housing Costs
Independent Colleges and Universities
FY 2008-09**

Institutions	In-State²	Out-of State²	Dormitory/ Room & Board^{1,2}
Independent Senior Institutions			
Allen University	\$9,884	\$9,884	\$5,240
Anderson University	18,700	18,700	7,050
Benedict College	14,570	14,570	6,702
Bob Jones University	11,710	11,710	5,100
Charleston Southern University	18,708	18,708	7,178
Clafin University	12,925	12,925	6,806
Coker College	19,322	19,322	6,008
Columbia College	23,030	23,030	6,750
Columbia International University	16,270	16,270	6,110
Converse College	24,500	24,500	7,550
Erskine College	23,165	23,165	7,961
Furman University	34,588	34,588	8,966
Limestone College	17,300	17,300	6,400
Morris College	9,350	9,350	4,258
Newberry College	21,560	21,560	7,400
North Greenville University	11,680	11,680	6,720
Presbyterian College	27,902	27,902	8,064
South University	14,210	14,210	8,274
Southern Methodist College	7,132	7,132	2,320
Southern Wesleyan University	18,000	18,000	7,450
Voorhees College	9,034	9,034	5,796
Wofford College	29,465	29,465	7,920
Two-Year Independent Institutions			
Spartanburg Methodist College	11,791	11,791	6,741

¹ Meals per week not available.

² Source: IPEDS College Navigator Website. Accessed April 8, 2009
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Financial Appropriations



Revenue derived from state appropriations is combined with tuition & fees; grants, contracts, and gifts; and in part by sales and service to fund the Educational and General (E&G) activities of our public colleges and universities. The tables on the following pages reflect a consistent pattern of decreasing state support for higher education and a shift to more reliance on tuition & fees and other non-state revenue.

The Action Plan for South Carolina Higher Education: *Leveraging Higher Education for a Stronger South Carolina* includes a study conducted by the Division of Research in the Moore School of Business at the University of South Carolina that clearly measures the return on the educational investment (REOI) the state makes in higher education. The conclusion reached by the researchers is as follows:

In South Carolina, investment in higher education produces palpable economic benefits. It pays for itself and brings in additional revenue for the state over time. The annual benefits the state will gain by reaching the 29 percent attainment goal are significant. The clearest way to discern the benefits emerging from this analysis is to again stress the overall return on the South Carolina government's investment. For each dollar that the state spends between 2010 and 2030, \$11.20 is added to the economy (measured by gross state product) over the period. Further, after reaching the 29 percent goal in 2030, each dollar spent by the state boosts South Carolina's economic activity (measured by gross state product) by \$25.20. Beyond the results presented here, higher education correlates with a host of positive characteristics and activities in the state, with potentially large benefits to society not addressed in this report. These include better health care, lower unemployment, and less incarceration. As part of an ongoing study of higher education, the Division will estimate the effects of these and other influences on the economy of South Carolina and its communities.

The following pages give a brief overview of the appropriations provided in support of E&G costs at our public colleges and universities as well as funding provided through the South Carolina Education Lottery for operations and funding provided through a combination of appropriated, lottery, and other funding in support of merit-based scholarships (Palmetto Fellows, LIFE, and HOPE), Lottery Tuition Assistance (LTA) to two-year institutions, and need-based aid.

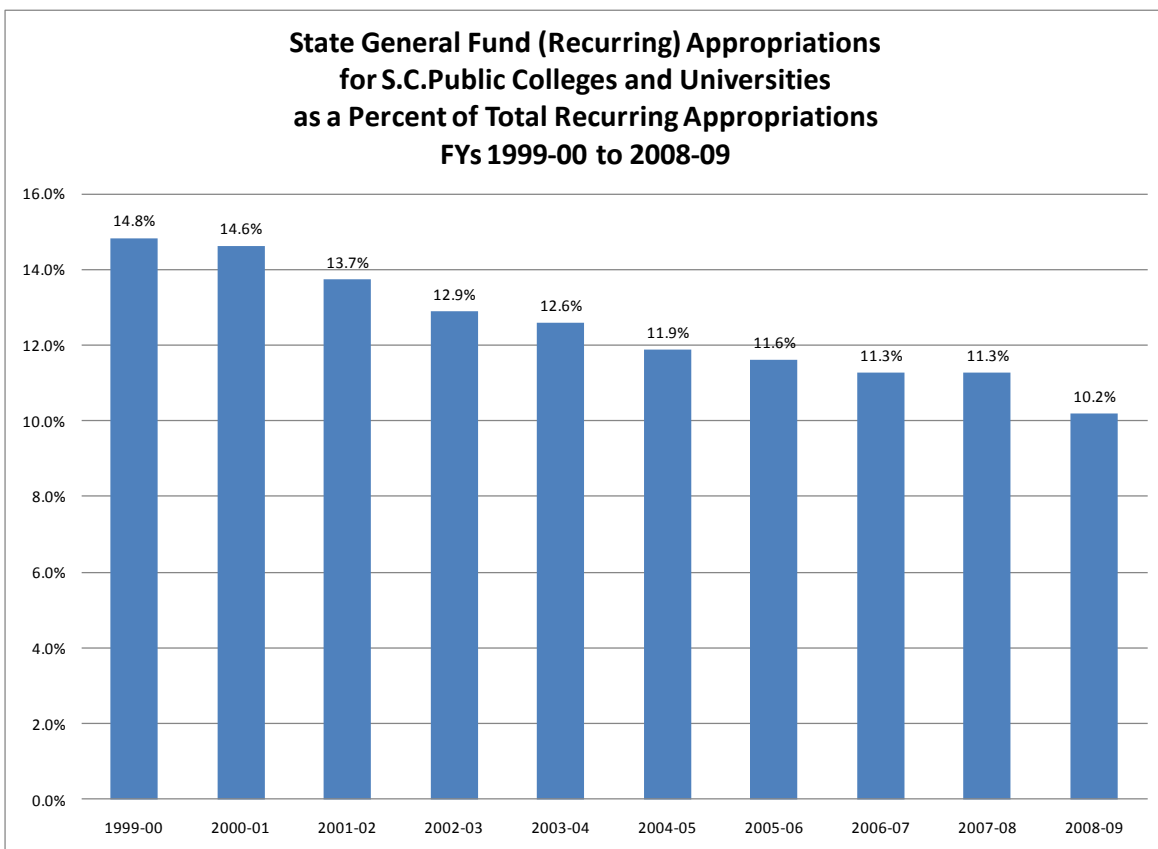
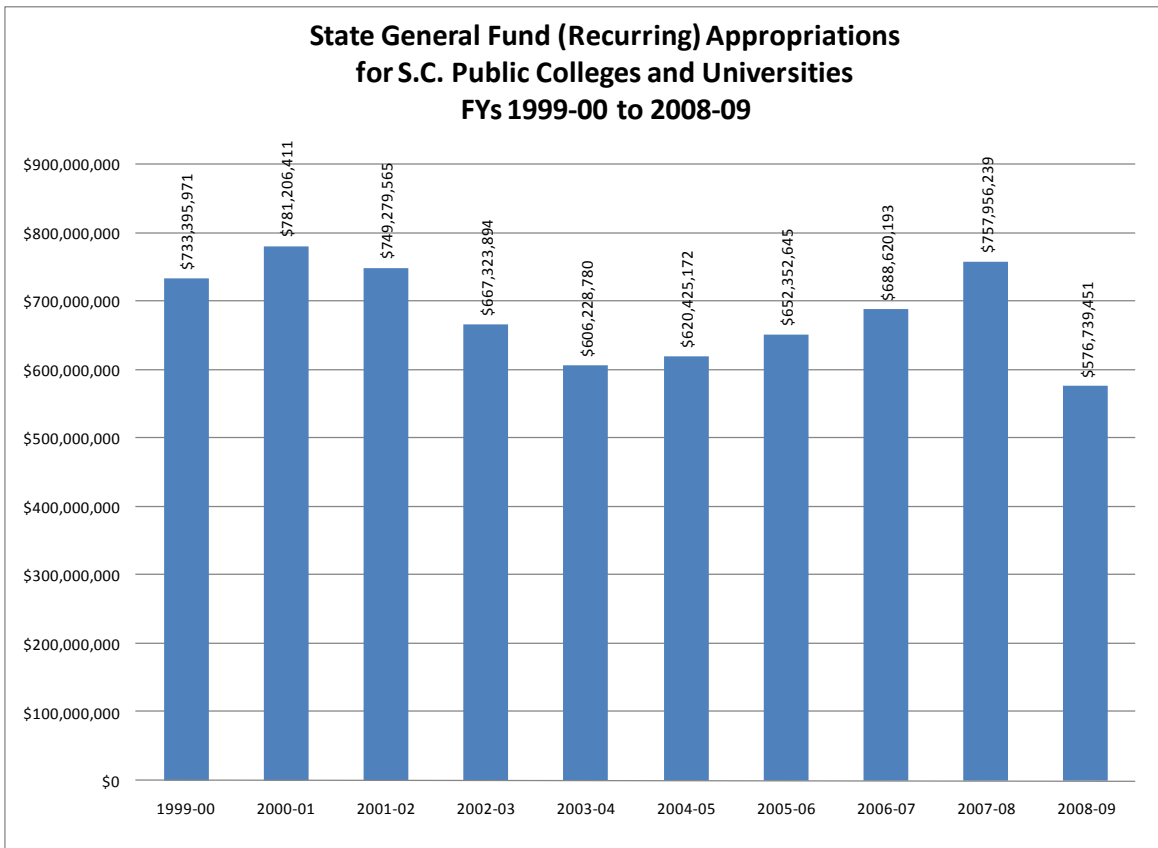
**Ten-Year Comparison of State Education Recurring Appropriations
FY 1999-00 to FY 2008-09**

Updated 10/13/09

Institutions	1999-2000	2000-2001	2001-2002	2002-2003	2003-2004	2004-2005	2005-2006	2006-2007	2007-2008	2008-09 *
Research Institutions										
Clemson	\$103,660,439	\$110,293,171	\$105,647,205	\$96,323,543	\$85,938,709	\$87,617,771	\$92,390,951	\$100,476,486	\$112,858,871	\$86,028,361
USC Columbia	180,026,469	191,624,376	183,694,311	166,205,166	148,286,255	152,179,679	160,024,457	170,355,770	183,772,439	140,045,699
Medical University of SC	99,967,346	105,592,218	101,320,502	91,570,858	81,698,420	82,741,614	85,906,706	88,969,156	97,223,490	74,085,527
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions										
The Citadel	16,283,051	17,204,904	16,451,476	15,723,901	14,028,675	14,166,497	14,754,261	15,285,183	16,287,740	12,347,148
Coastal Carolina	13,853,822	14,783,267	14,055,808	12,568,853	11,213,779	11,785,709	12,252,967	12,667,571	16,808,315	12,675,241
College of Charleston	31,563,801	33,478,821	32,156,700	29,292,534	26,134,448	27,039,523	29,283,053	30,317,308	34,594,904	26,054,537
Francis Marion	15,455,483	16,395,070	15,750,843	14,159,528	12,632,961	13,191,647	15,249,582	16,413,177	19,397,460	14,680,433
Lander	10,632,018	11,367,679	10,795,408	10,173,295	9,076,491	9,285,405	9,695,866	10,175,198	10,937,937	8,310,088
SC State	23,957,059	25,346,016	24,349,522	22,386,635	19,971,498	20,210,171	21,040,022	21,769,768	24,386,739	18,065,137 **
USC Aiken	11,254,855	12,205,044	11,722,160	10,479,378	9,349,575	9,578,918	10,021,979	10,381,262	11,196,080	8,513,797
USC Beaufort	2,303,097	2,429,519	2,304,123	2,236,871	1,995,709	2,026,215	2,609,487	2,677,047	2,875,328	2,012,013
USC Upstate	12,680,432	13,734,942	13,205,810	11,809,149	10,535,981	10,775,082	12,283,834	12,696,259	14,558,165	11,087,479
Winthrop	23,428,624	25,404,503	24,477,409	21,900,504	19,539,367	19,963,829	20,922,640	21,732,096	23,480,584	17,838,919
Regional Campuses of USC										
USC Lancaster	2,892,544	3,041,955	2,898,001	2,589,022	2,309,895	2,366,940	2,470,254	2,554,105	2,770,893	2,119,544
USC Salkehatchie	2,430,395	2,560,796	2,439,620	2,270,840	2,043,836	2,066,044	2,149,911	2,217,943	2,375,512	1,809,052
USC Sumter	4,518,654	4,859,525	4,650,976	4,158,696	3,710,339	3,806,920	3,983,056	4,125,896	4,408,690	3,358,011
USC Union	1,112,800	1,180,301	1,134,149	1,014,564	905,182	916,406	958,564	992,713	1,070,688	818,301
Technical Colleges										
A.H.E.C.	17,533,840	18,394,116	17,239,029	16,337,145	14,575,805	14,659,380	14,834,872	15,392,828	16,509,835	12,813,466
Subtotal	\$733,395,971	\$781,206,411	\$749,279,565	\$658,252,069	\$604,127,759	\$620,425,172	\$652,352,644	\$688,620,193	\$757,956,239	\$576,739,451
Colleges & Universities as a % of State Rev.	14.8%	14.6%	13.7%	12.7%	12.6%	11.9%	11.6%	11.3%	11.3%	10.2%
State Appropriation for the Commission on Higher Educ.										
Administration	2,217,179	2,270,161	2,338,636	2,396,039	2,246,258	2,300,733	2,377,895	2,510,413	2,610,895	2,013,715
Other CHE Programs	15,000	15,000	15,000	195,505	145,492	1,146,287	1,136,531	2,544,531	1,775,918	2,378,027
Flow-Through Funds	4,880,737	9,026,282	9,669,861	8,734,459	6,944,678	7,711,535	8,406,535	8,856,535	10,531,535	8,079,817
Scholarships/Grants	27,968,906	28,658,906	35,865,470	56,782,073	96,299,386	44,701,934	50,816,924	77,346,099	109,574,491	95,483,463
Subtotal CHE	35,081,822	39,970,349	47,888,967	68,108,076	105,635,814	55,860,489	62,737,885	91,257,578	124,492,839	107,955,022
Technical College System Office										
State Board Administration	7,413,435	8,063,425	4,518,755	5,405,184	5,708,220	5,750,611	5,962,111	6,324,442	7,473,160	6,357,483
State Level Programs	9,376,764	4,254,885	980,643	796,137	552,108	536,563	536,563	475,571	475,571	1,118,286
Economic Development (Special Schools)	24,252,610	28,009,159	25,384,586	25,564,994	5,136,776	5,168,049	5,211,079	5,190,824	5,294,514	2,593,030
Total Technical System Office	41,042,809	40,327,469	30,883,984	31,766,315	11,397,104	11,455,223	11,709,753	11,990,837	13,243,245	10,068,799
Tuition Grants Commission	19,585,172	21,566,449	21,171,550	19,705,556	19,671,590	19,675,303	19,683,190	19,692,556	22,188,449	22,077,893
Postsecondary Educ.	829,105,774	883,070,678	849,224,066	777,832,016	740,832,267	707,416,187	746,483,472	811,561,164	917,880,772	716,841,165
Postsecond. Educ. as a % of State Rev.	16.8%	16.5%	15.6%	15.0%	15.4%	13.5%	13.3%	13.3%	13.7%	12.7%
Dept. of Educ. State Approp.	1,722,486,236	1,853,552,967	1,852,565,332	1,653,152,230	1,739,385,553	1,849,207,924	2,028,856,477	2,195,128,561	2,448,819,726	2,144,937,477
Elem. & Second. Educ. as a % of State Rev.	34.8%	34.7%	33.9%	31.9%	36.1%	35.4%	36.1%	35.9%	36.4%	38.1%
State Appropriations for All Education	2,551,592,010	2,736,623,645	2,701,789,398	2,430,984,246	2,480,217,820	2,556,624,111	2,775,339,949	3,006,689,725	3,366,700,498	2,861,778,642
All Educ. as a % of State Rev.	51.6%	51.2%	49.5%	46.9%	51.5%	49.0%	49.4%	49.2%	50.1%	50.8%
Total State General Revenue	\$4,944,864,072	\$5,341,501,837	\$5,458,542,965	\$5,180,523,401	\$4,812,269,655	\$5,222,465,374	\$5,617,388,060	\$6,108,004,521	\$6,723,274,385	\$5,629,267,090

* Inclusive of ALL FY 2008-09 budget reductions.

**Appropriation for SC State for FY 2007-08 includes a one-time general fund appropriation of \$400,000 for an Obesity Prevention & Awareness Project.



See previous page for details of the graphical information.

Lottery Appropriations for Higher Education
FYs 2002-03 through 2008-09

Program	FY 2002-03	FY 2003-04	FY 2004-05	FY 2005-06	FY 2006-07	FY 2007-08	FY 2008-09
Palmetto Fellows Scholarships	\$9,051,040 ¹	\$7,523,954 ⁽¹⁾	\$12,231,456 ⁽¹⁾	\$14,381,991	\$17,830,758	\$28,915,490	\$30,277,240
LIFE Scholarships	52,610,067 ¹	47,693,503 ⁽¹⁾	98,141,540 ⁽¹⁾	107,298,090	87,911,636	62,604,207	85,256,682
HOPE Scholarship	5,787,600	6,500,000	6,183,017	6,673,826	7,144,909	7,767,606	8,076,110
Lottery Tuition Assistance	34,000,000	34,000,000	39,750,000	43,000,000	47,600,000 ⁽³⁾	47,000,000	47,000,000
Need-based Grants	3,000,000	3,000,000	10,438,427	11,246,093	11,246,093	15,109,837 ⁽⁴⁾	11,631,566 ⁽⁵⁾
National Guard Loan Repayment Program	1,500,000	1,500,000	1,500,000	1,700,000	1,700,000	1,700,000	1,700,000
Teacher Scholarship Grants	2,000,000	2,000,000	2,000,000				
Tuition Grants Commission	3,000,000	3,000,000	4,000,000	4,000,000	12,733,537 ⁽³⁾	7,766,604	7,766,604
SC State University, Education & General	3,000,000	3,000,000	5,500,000	2,500,000	2,500,000	2,500,000	2,500,000
Higher Education Excellence Enhancement Program	3,000,000	3,000,000	4,700,000 ⁽³⁾	4,700,000	4,700,000	4,950,000 ⁽⁴⁾	4,700,000
Centers of Economic Excellence (Endowed Chairs)	30,000,000	30,000,000	30,000,000	30,000,000	30,000,000	30,000,000	
Technology: SC public 4-year & 2-year institutions	21,700,000	12,000,000	14,000,000	12,000,000 ⁽³⁾	12,000,000 ⁽³⁾	12,000,000 ⁽³⁾	12,000,000 ⁽³⁾
Statewide Electronic Library			2,000,000 ⁽³⁾				
Greenville University Center			800,000 ⁽³⁾				
Commission on Higher Education Administration	192,817		0				
SBTCE - Spartanburg Tech - Cherokee Co. Campus			500,000				
Francis Marion Nursing			250,000				
CHE - Greenville University Center			800,000				
SBTCE - Allied Health Initiative					12,150,000 ⁽²⁾		
Higher Education Lottery Total	168,841,524	153,217,457	232,794,440	237,500,000	247,516,933	220,313,744	210,908,202
Total Education Lottery Appropriations	\$ 275,353,455	\$235,313,745	\$353,875,340	\$299,166,426	\$313,420,050	\$266,400,000	\$260,722,729
Higher Education as % of Lottery Total	61.3%	65.1%	65.8%	79.4%	79.0%	82.7%	80.9%

Source: Office of State Budget, Historical Analysis Report, 12/01/2008

NOTE: The Education Lottery began operating in January of 2002 and FY 2001-02 receipts were first appropriated in FY 2002-03. As shown above for higher education, lottery appropriations Programs listed above may receive additional state funding from other sources (e.g., LIFE, Palmetto Fellows, Tuition Grants, and SC State also receive State General Fund Appropriations)

¹ Surplus funds are included above as indicated below for:

Palmetto Fellows	\$4,051,040	\$2,523,954	\$1,054,744
LIFE	\$12,610,067	\$7,693,503	\$5,413,591

² 2005-06 Surplus fund allocation.

³ Includes unclaimed prize funds.

⁴ 2007-08 was adjusted from previously reported numbers to include additional unclaimed prize money received at year end.

⁵ Additional unclaimed prize funds will be received at year end.

Beginning Appropriations for State Scholarship and Grant Programs Fiscal Years 2003-04 through 2008-09

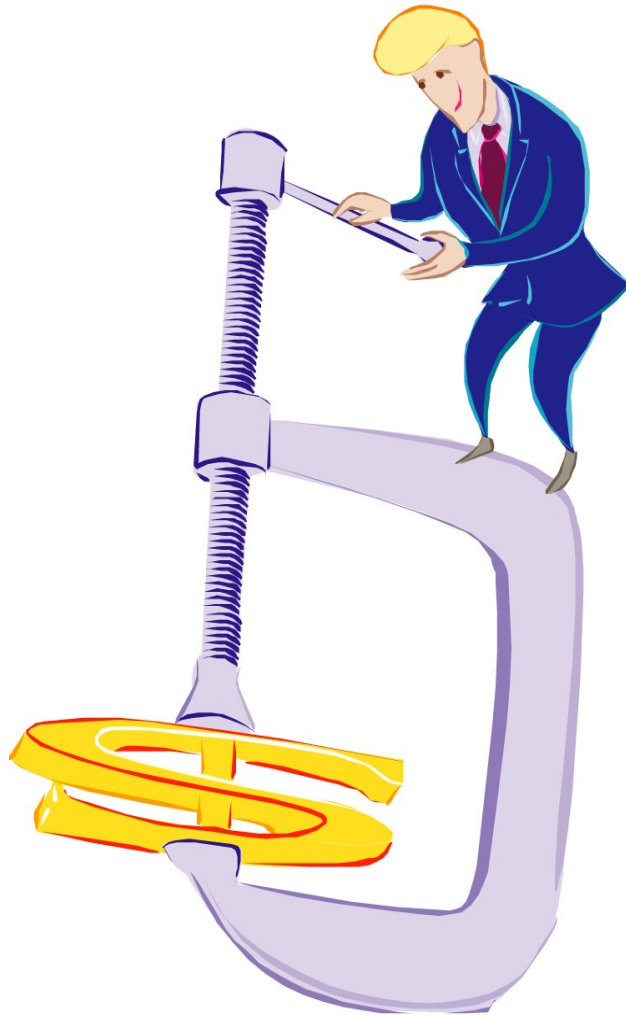
	FY2003-04	FY2004-05	FY2005-06	FY2006-07	FY 2007-08	FY 2008-09*
(1) Palmetto Fellows Total	\$19,567,906	\$23,176,712	\$26,381,991	\$29,830,758	\$40,915,490	\$42,277,240
<i>portion from State General Funds</i>	\$12,721,188	\$6,480,281	\$10,417,054	\$10,786,212	\$10,786,212	\$10,786,212
<i>portion from Barnwell Revenues</i>	\$1,846,718	\$5,519,719	\$1,582,946	\$1,213,788	\$1,213,788	\$1,213,788
<i>portion from Lottery Revenues</i>	\$5,000,000	\$11,176,712	\$14,381,991	\$17,830,758	\$28,915,490	\$30,277,240
(1) LIFE Total	\$111,520,063	\$122,374,744	\$134,929,425	\$141,333,829	\$147,727,542	\$156,288,989
<i>portion from State General Funds</i>	\$71,520,063	\$29,646,795	\$27,631,335	\$53,422,193	\$85,123,335	\$71,032,307
<i>portion from Lottery Revenues</i>	\$40,000,000	\$92,727,949	\$107,298,090	\$87,911,636	\$62,604,207	\$85,256,682
(2) HOPE Total	\$6,500,000	\$6,183,017	\$6,673,826	\$7,144,909	\$7,767,606	\$8,076,110
Subtotal Merit Programs	\$137,587,969	\$151,734,473	\$167,985,242	\$178,309,496	\$196,410,638	\$206,642,339
<i>portion from State General Funds</i>	\$84,241,251	\$36,127,076	\$38,048,389	\$64,208,405	\$95,909,547	\$81,818,519
<i>portion from Barnwell Revenues</i>	\$1,846,718	\$5,519,719	\$1,582,946	\$1,213,788	\$1,213,788	\$1,213,788
<i>portion from Lottery Revenues</i>	\$51,500,000	\$110,087,678	\$128,353,907	\$112,887,303	\$99,287,303	\$123,610,032
(2) Lottery Tuition Assistance (2-yr) Total	\$29,000,000	\$39,750,000	\$43,000,000	\$47,600,000	\$47,000,000	\$47,000,000
(3) Need-based Grants Total	\$15,478,498	\$22,438,427	\$23,246,093	\$23,246,093	\$27,109,837⁽⁶⁾	\$23,631,566⁽⁷⁾
<i>portion from State General Funds</i>	\$10,631,780	\$6,480,281	\$10,417,054	\$10,786,212	\$10,786,212	\$10,786,212
<i>portion from Barnwell Revenues</i>	\$1,846,718	\$5,519,719	\$1,582,946	\$1,213,788	\$1,213,788	\$1,213,788
<i>portion from Lottery Revenues</i>	\$3,000,000	\$10,438,427	\$11,246,093	\$11,246,093	\$15,109,837 ⁽⁶⁾	\$11,631,566 ⁽⁷⁾
(4) Tuition Grants Total	\$22,325,740	\$23,322,247	\$23,322,247	\$32,055,784⁽⁵⁾	\$29,568,851	\$29,560,426
<i>portion from State General Funds</i>	\$19,325,740	\$19,322,247	\$19,322,247	\$19,322,247	\$21,802,247	\$21,793,822
<i>portion from Lottery Revenues</i>	\$3,000,000	\$4,000,000	\$4,000,000	\$12,733,537 ⁽⁵⁾	\$7,766,604	\$7,766,604
TOTAL All Programs	\$204,392,207	\$237,245,147	\$257,553,582	\$281,211,373	\$300,089,326	\$306,834,331
<i>portion from State General Funds</i>	\$114,198,771	\$61,929,604	\$67,787,690	\$94,316,864	\$128,498,006	\$114,398,553
<i>portion from Barnwell Revenues</i>	\$3,693,436	\$11,039,438	\$3,165,892	\$2,427,576	\$2,427,576	\$2,427,576
<i>portion from Lottery Revenues</i>	\$86,500,000	\$164,276,105	\$186,600,000	\$184,466,933	\$169,163,744	\$190,008,202

NOTE: The appropriations above represent only beginning funds as provided per the Appropriations Act. State General Funds and Lottery Funds are included. In addition, Barnwell Revenues that are appropriated for the Education Endowment are included. The Education Endowment for higher education is funded at \$24,000,000 annually through a combination of Barnwell Nuclear Waste Facility revenues and State General Funds. The Education Endowment funds are split equally between the the Palmetto Fellows and Need-based Grant programs.

- (1) For the Palmetto Fellows and LIFE programs, additional amounts above the appropriations may be provided since these are "open-ended" programs and qualified students are provided the awards. Any funds appropriated above those in the Appropriations Acts are not reflected here. Note that for Palmetto Fellows and LIFE, the General Assembly passed legislation effective FY2008-09 that provided additional stipends beginning in the sophomore year to recipients of Palmetto Fellows and LIFE who are majoring in identified math, science, engineering and health-related majors and that increased the amount of the Palmetto Fellows award beginning in the second year for all recipients.
- (2) HOPE and Lottery Tuition Assistance for two-year institutions have been funded to date with only lottery revenues.
- (3) Note for CHE Need-based Grants, a portion of the funds are allocated to independent institutions based on the undergraduate enrollment per a statutory provision that results in approximately 20 percent of the funds from this program shifting to the Tuition Grants program. See note 4 regarding Tuition Grants.
- (4) Tuition Grants is a program managed by the South Carolina Tuition Grants Commission and provides Need-based grants to qualified students at SC's Independent Colleges and Universities. Based on a provision in the lottery funding appropriation for FY 2006-07 which dedicated excess unclaimed prize funds to Tuition Grants, this program additionally received \$4,966,933 at year end in FY 2006-07 which is not reflected above as initial appropriations.
- (5) Includes \$4,966,933 from excess unclaimed prize funds received at year end due to a proviso to allocate balance of any excess funds to Tuition Grants.
- (6) Includes \$3,478,271 from excess unclaimed prize funds received at year end due to a proviso to allocate balance of any excess funds to CHE Need Based.
- (7) Need-based Grants may additionally receive in FY 2008-09 the balance of any unclaimed prize funds in excess of the first \$13.4 million.

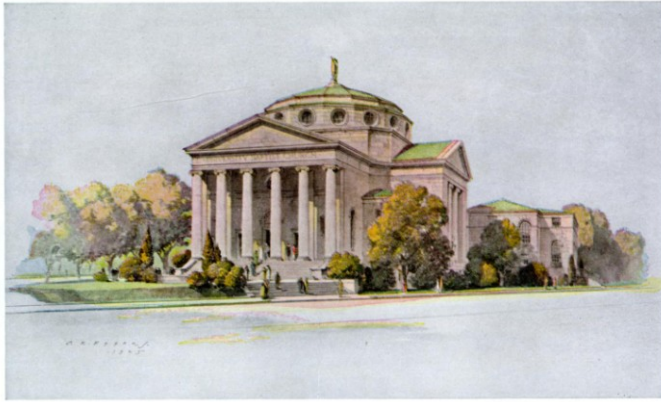
Source: Data pulled from appropriation acts for FY04 through FY09 and www.budget.sc.gov for balance of excess unclaimed prize funds.

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"Do what you can with what you've got wherever you are." Theodore Roosevelt

Facilities



Colleges and universities conduct a wide range of activities in pursuit of their missions as institutions of higher education. The facilities in which these activities take place are a vital, yet often overlooked aspect of the cost of providing postsecondary education. Institutions must have the necessary space to conduct instruction, research, student support, administration, and service activities. Likewise, facilities

must be modern, adequate, and safe. Research has shown that campus facilities play an important role in the recruitment and retention of students. In addition, modern physical resources can also provide opportunities for advancement in academic programs, research, and public service.

Institutions are responsible for the effective allocation and utilization of their campus facilities. National and state standards and guidelines have been established to assist in this area. The degree and manner in which each institution fulfills its functions depends in large measure on its campus master plan, strategic goals, size, and availability of resources. Outside factors also influence the ability of institutions to meet the demands of their facilities. These factors include the availability of capital funding; changes and increases in standards, codes, and approval requirements; and increasing costs of operation and maintenance.

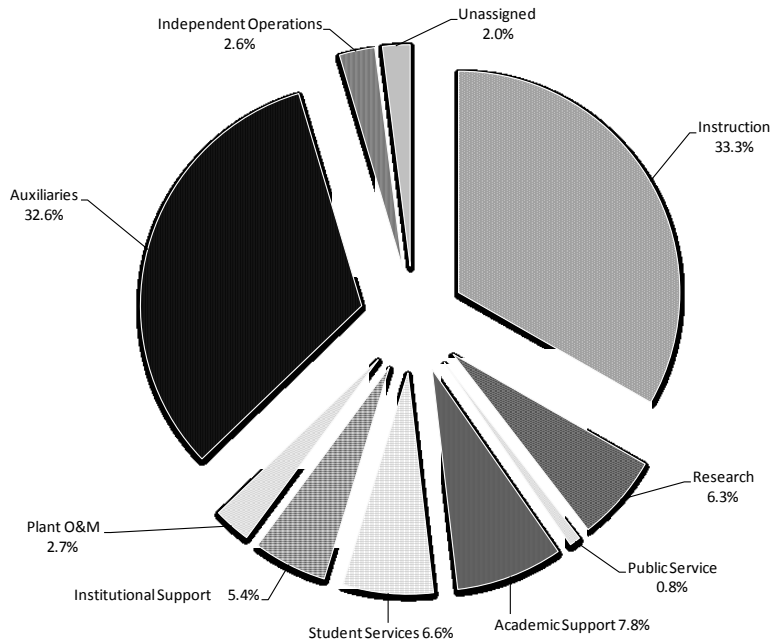
Fall 2008 Assignable Area by Function

Institution	Total Assignable Area ¹	Instruction % of Total	Research % of Total	Public Service % of Total	Academic Support % of Total	Student Services % of Total	Institutional Support % of Total	Plant O&M % of Total	Auxiliaries % of Total	Independent Operations % of Total	Unassigned % of Total
Research Institutions											
Clemson	4,008,883	24.7%	14.4%	0.9%	6.7%	6.7%	3.3%	2.0%	38.1%	3.1%	0.0%
USC Columbia (incl. SOM)	7,416,929	19.5%	7.2%	0.3%	6.9%	4.4%	4.0%	1.9%	48.6%	4.0%	3.2%
MUSC ²	1,804,132	24.4%	34.7%	0.2%	6.2%	5.8%	15.0%	3.3%	3.7%	2.1%	4.6%
Subtotal	13,229,944	21.8%	13.1%	0.4%	6.7%	5.3%	5.3%	2.1%	39.3%	3.5%	2.4%
Comprehensive Teaching											
The Citadel	1,142,316	18.7%	0.0%	0.0%	4.4%	13.1%	3.9%	3.9%	51.9%	2.8%	1.2%
Coastal Carolina	837,897	33.3%	0.0%	0.1%	7.1%	13.9%	7.1%	3.1%	34.1%	1.3%	0.0%
College of Charleston	2,055,035	25.4%	0.0%	0.0%	9.1%	3.5%	2.9%	1.2%	50.7%	7.2%	0.0%
Francis Marion	660,383	33.0%	0.0%	1.1%	10.3%	13.3%	7.1%	2.4%	30.9%	1.8%	0.2%
Lander	603,761	37.5%	0.0%	0.0%	7.7%	10.6%	5.8%	2.8%	35.5%	0.0%	0.0%
SC State	1,277,271	24.0%	0.7%	2.6%	11.2%	6.3%	6.5%	0.7%	47.1%	0.0%	0.9%
USC Aiken	570,743	45.2%	2.0%	1.2%	9.9%	5.7%	1.8%	2.0%	31.4%	0.8%	0.0%
USC Beaufort	158,607	47.6%	0.1%	0.5%	17.7%	0.4%	0.6%	6.2%	1.8%	0.3%	24.6%
USC Upstate	657,229	48.8%	0.5%	2.0%	5.5%	5.1%	3.7%	0.5%	26.7%	3.3%	4.0%
Winthrop	1,351,801	32.4%	0.7%	2.0%	8.9%	10.7%	5.2%	2.8%	37.2%	0.0%	0.0%
Subtotal	9,315,043	30.7%	0.4%	1.0%	8.6%	8.4%	4.7%	2.1%	40.8%	2.5%	1.0%
Regional Campuses of USC											
USC Lancaster	158,010	36.5%	0.0%	9.3%	16.0%	30.1%	5.3%	1.6%	1.2%	0.0%	0.0%
USC Salkehatchie	158,629	40.6%	0.5%	0.1%	16.1%	7.6%	6.5%	7.7%	2.0%	0.7%	18.2%
USC Sumter	130,919	70.5%	0.0%	0.2%	15.8%	6.2%	3.3%	0.4%	2.6%	0.2%	0.9%
USC Union	43,927	50.6%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Subtotal	491,485	48.1%	0.2%	3.2%	15.9%	15.7%	5.4%	3.3%	1.7%	0.3%	6.1%
Technical College											
Aiken	237,247	46.3%	0.0%	2.9%	9.9%	9.8%	5.2%	1.9%	4.9%	0.3%	18.8%
Central Carolina	187,248	74.2%	0.0%	0.7%	8.3%	5.4%	6.2%	2.3%	3.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Denmark	186,126	37.4%	0.0%	0.0%	18.3%	5.2%	13.7%	4.6%	18.1%	0.0%	2.6%
Florence-Darlington	391,067	69.9%	0.0%	0.0%	8.6%	3.3%	7.9%	1.2%	3.1%	0.4%	5.6%
Greenville ³	784,847	83.0%	0.0%	0.4%	4.2%	4.1%	3.1%	1.8%	1.5%	1.5%	0.4%
Horry-Georgetown	395,654	53.8%	0.0%	3.2%	11.5%	9.2%	9.0%	0.7%	5.6%	0.9%	6.1%
Midlands	606,374	54.5%	0.0%	0.1%	4.8%	7.0%	7.9%	18.8%	5.8%	0.0%	1.1%
Northeastern	111,647	58.9%	0.0%	8.8%	14.1%	7.3%	7.4%	3.2%	0.2%	0.0%	0.0%
Orangeburg-Calhoun	191,801	71.1%	0.0%	0.2%	8.0%	3.6%	5.7%	6.7%	4.1%	0.0%	0.7%
Piedmont	307,729	72.4%	0.3%	1.4%	4.0%	5.8%	10.2%	4.0%	1.7%	0.0%	0.2%
Spartanburg CC	384,439	71.8%	0.0%	1.5%	3.3%	5.9%	9.1%	3.0%	3.7%	1.7%	0.0%
TC of the Lowcountry	201,941	48.6%	0.1%	5.3%	8.8%	3.6%	8.9%	14.4%	1.3%	0.2%	8.7%
Tri-County	262,817	74.7%	0.0%	0.0%	8.6%	4.5%	6.1%	3.8%	0.0%	2.3%	0.0%
Trident	536,568	74.9%	0.0%	0.0%	10.2%	4.2%	5.9%	1.2%	3.6%	0.0%	0.0%
Williamsburg	71,267	60.9%	0.0%	2.4%	8.7%	7.2%	9.0%	7.6%	3.7%	0.0%	0.4%
York	306,584	58.9%	0.0%	0.2%	15.7%	8.6%	7.7%	4.4%	4.3%	0.0%	0.0%
Subtotal	5,163,356	66.0%	0.0%	1.1%	8.1%	5.7%	7.2%	5.0%	3.8%	0.6%	2.4%
Grand Total	28,199,828	33.3%	6.3%	0.8%	7.8%	6.6%	5.4%	2.7%	32.6%	2.6%	2.0%

¹Function category row percentages do not add to 100% due to rounding.

²Total Assignable Area at MUSC is 3,329,397 SF; of that space 45.8% is being used by the Hospital Authority. Total Assignable Area has been reduced by 1,525,265 SF to reflect space being utilized by the Hospital.

³Excludes University Center of Greenville



Fall 2008 Facilities Utilization

For Main Campuses Only

	Space Factor Standards			
	2008 Classroom Average Student Station Size (SF per Student Station)	2008 Average Weekly Classroom Hours of Instruction	2008 Classroom Station Utilization Percentage	2008 Space Factor Calculation [A/(B*C)]
	[A]	[B]	[C]	
SC Standards	22.00	30.00	60.00%	1.22
Research Institutions				
Clemson	16.32	30.33	47.43%	1.13
USC Columbia ¹	17.08	39.24	36.04%	1.21
MUSC ¹	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Average	16.70	34.79	41.74%	1.15
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions				
Citadel	19.45	15.53	54.23%	2.31
Coastal Carolina	17.88	34.43	51.11%	1.02
College of Charleston	16.52	27.29	58.57%	1.03
Francis Marion	18.81	14.45	57.23%	2.27
Lander	20.14	23.71	60.27%	1.41
SC State	18.34	21.21	42.94%	2.01
USC Aiken	21.66	34.70	53.79%	1.16
USC Beaufort (Main Campus)	17.60	14.48	35.01%	3.47
USC Beaufort (New River)	27.32	39.76	50.73%	1.35
USC Upstate	17.91	24.70	46.49%	1.56
Winthrop	19.98	26.53	59.92%	1.26
Average	19.60	25.16	51.84%	1.50
Regional Campuses of USC²				
USC Lancaster	21.11	29.36	40.39%	1.78
USC Salkehatchie (Allendale)	20.09	16.57	61.13%	1.98
USC Salkehatchie (Walterboro)	19.85	25.46	46.33%	1.68
USC Sumter	20.53	26.42	42.28%	1.84
USC Union	19.26	12.54	47.04%	3.27
Average	20.17	22.07	47.43%	1.93
Technical Colleges				
Aiken	24.36	16.01	62.67%	2.43
Central Carolina	26.62	19.10	47.50%	2.93
Denmark	25.18	11.72	69.97%	3.07
Florence-Darlington	23.59	14.03	67.46%	2.49
Greenville	24.23	19.81	57.44%	2.13
Horry-Georgetown	22.27	19.29	65.21%	1.77
Midlands (Airport)	20.69	32.05	63.89%	1.01
Midlands (Beltline)	23.36	30.73	71.43%	1.06
Northeastern	26.51	15.95	59.22%	2.81
Orangeburg-Calhoun	20.54	18.03	43.60%	2.61
Piedmont	27.77	12.89	58.58%	3.68
Spartanburg CC	27.40	21.80	65.82%	1.91
TC of the Lowcountry	22.42	8.85	70.58%	3.59
Tri-County	24.37	23.05	73.85%	1.43
Trident	19.25	25.94	52.92%	1.40
Williamsburg	24.40	17.64	85.51%	1.62
York	25.34	17.36	60.05%	2.43
Average	24.02	19.07	63.28%	1.99

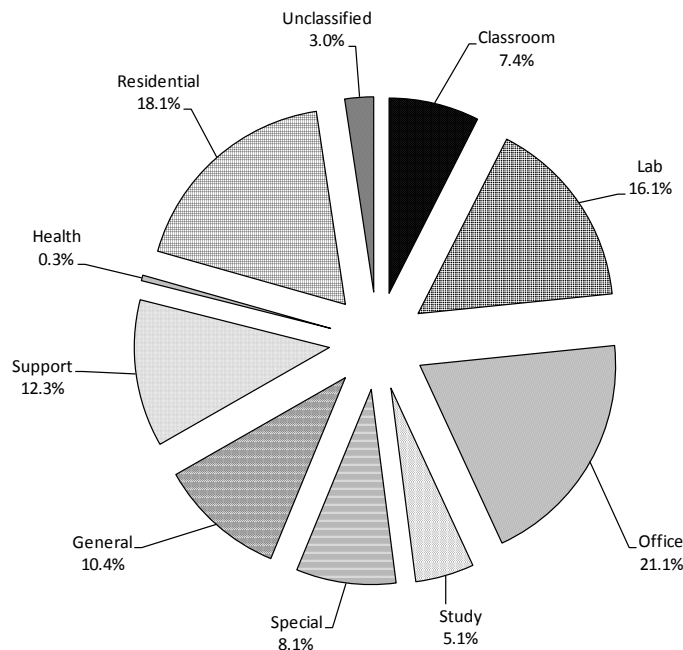
¹ Excludes station utilization space factor calculation for medical schools

² Reflects utilization for classes taught by four-year institutions

Fall 2008 Square Feet by Classification

Institution	Classroom	Lab	Office	Study	Special	General	Support	Health	Residential	Unclassified	Total
Research Institutions											
Clemson	177,823	800,001	781,400	181,271	288,330	517,069	256,583	8,926	986,048	11,432	4,008,883
USC Columbia (incl. SOM)	231,727	722,558	1,402,970	308,836	517,815	609,697	2,098,735	14,626	1,285,873	223,931	7,416,768
MUSC ¹	52,205	355,621	707,980	55,466	149,404	69,404	146,009	70,092	1,565	196,386	1,804,132
Subtotal	461,755	1,878,180	2,892,350	545,573	955,549	1,196,170	2,501,327	93,644	2,273,486	431,749	13,229,783
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions											
The Citadel	89,433	78,834	147,357	31,782	135,966	175,932	62,109	9,295	398,563	13,045	1,142,316
Coastal Carolina	82,611	66,474	204,510	33,443	93,843	81,734	37,096	2,149	230,051	5,986	837,897
College of Charleston	112,258	121,388	263,935	135,429	231,367	174,789	258,506	7,902	745,705	3,756	2,055,035
Francis Marion	58,402	92,766	111,244	67,788	63,304	70,816	31,089	0	164,974	0	660,383
Lander	38,573	66,296	77,041	42,166	94,180	68,597	15,616	0	192,953	8,339	603,761
SC State	86,333	105,779	184,185	52,651	159,075	151,587	45,868	10,051	478,042	3,700	1,277,271
USC Aiken	26,599	58,412	176,787	28,830	70,388	55,063	16,361	0	138,301	2	570,743
USC Beaufort	21,779	15,063	33,270	21,696	2,243	12,908	12,553	0	0	39,095	158,607
USC Upstate	67,550	58,403	118,963	30,530	102,489	95,813	20,351	0	137,053	26,077	657,229
Winthrop	72,080	129,554	235,513	85,987	192,172	223,988	54,212	2,443	351,108	4,744	1,351,801
Subtotal	655,618	792,969	1,552,805	530,302	1,145,027	1,111,227	553,761	31,840	2,836,750	104,744	9,315,043
Regional Campuses of USC											
USC Lancaster	22,502	21,882	29,315	19,142	44,001	15,679	5,488	0	0	1	158,010
USC Salkehatchie	12,298	13,369	18,368	22,621	24,588	22,204	15,137	184	921	28,939	158,629
USC Sumter	17,341	14,782	35,058	13,380	19,509	24,671	5,006	0	0	1,172	130,919
USC Union	8,036	4,122	12,977	4,438	8,309	3,908	1,406	0	0	731	43,927
Subtotal	60,177	54,155	95,718	59,581	96,407	66,462	27,037	184	921	30,843	491,485
Technical Colleges											
Aiken	29,869	80,631	52,721	17,175	4,698	35,252	15,333	0	0	1,568	237,247
Central Carolina	35,576	70,790	46,203	9,324	967	16,524	7,496	0	0	368	187,248
Denmark	29,282	35,762	25,944	9,658	16,828	11,939	24,047	1,161	25,619	5,886	186,126
Florence-Darlington	56,001	131,770	87,529	17,909	5,163	38,767	30,868	0	0	23,060	391,067
Greenville	212,340	301,090	133,578	11,978	20,253	66,535	11,023	0	0	28,050	784,847
Horry-Georgetown	60,999	115,363	77,201	39,922	9,322	69,122	13,419	0	656	9,650	395,654
Midlands	93,126	131,200	136,089	21,217	2,122	60,648	157,994	270	2,028	1,680	606,374
Northeastern	12,120	37,447	21,585	10,618	2,326	21,702	4,174	105	0	1,570	111,647
Orangeburg-Calhoun	31,331	55,900	56,486	11,494	1,359	26,586	7,385	0	0	1,260	191,801
Piedmont	55,063	115,654	52,825	12,976	25,640	41,195	4,376	0	0	0	307,729
Spartanburg CC	76,271	103,894	91,586	4,409	1,803	76,960	15,909	0	0	13,607	384,439
TC of the Lowcountry	30,336	58,186	28,441	7,590	31,444	15,728	12,531	104	0	17,581	201,941
Tri-County	71,402	91,019	61,163	11,914	2,894	10,674	12,995	756	0	0	262,817
Trident	78,576	265,761	95,398	36,356	7,154	33,073	18,398	1,852	0	0	536,568
Williamsburg	5,856	37,777	13,231	0	480	7,271	6,652	0	0	0	71,267
York	55,762	125,046	40,816	11,544	1,103	58,330	13,983	0	0	0	306,584
Subtotal	933,910	1,757,290	1,020,796	234,084	133,556	590,306	356,583	4,248	28,303	104,280	5,163,356
Grand Total	2,111,460	4,482,594	5,561,669	1,369,540	2,330,539	2,964,165	3,438,708	129,916	5,139,460	671,616	28,199,667

¹Total Square Feet by Classification at MUSC is 3,329,397 SF; of that space 45.8% is being used by the Hospital Authority. Total SF has been reduced by 1,525,265 SF to reflect space being utilized by the Hospital.



Fall 2008 Number of Buildings by Age

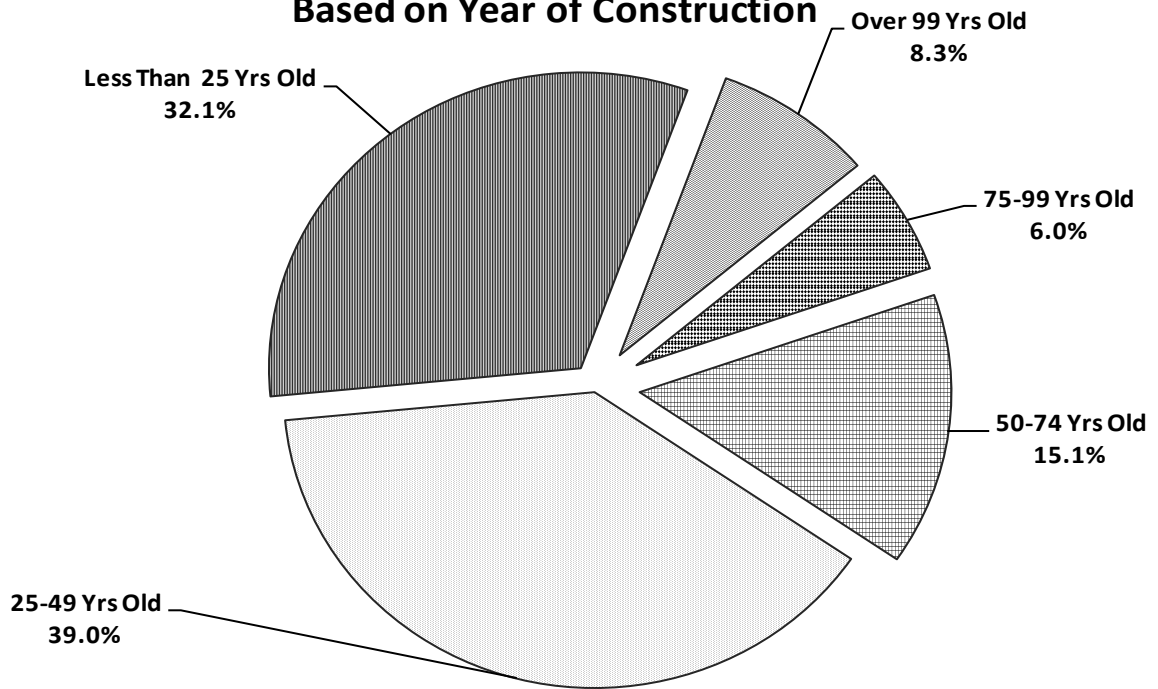
All Campus Facilities

Institution	Buildings	Based on Year of Construction				
	# of Buildings ¹	Over 99 Yrs Old	75-99 Yrs Old	50-74 Yrs Old	25-49 Yrs Old	Less Than 25 Yrs Old
Research Institutions						
Clemson	240	6	11	50	119	54
USC Columbia ²	190	17	26	35	68	44
MUSC	91	18	8	11	29	25
Subtotal	521	41	45	96	216	123
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions						
The Citadel	78		8	34	17	19
Coastal Carolina	71				21	50
College of Charleston	104	59	6	8	18	13
Francis Marion	44		1		22	21
Lander	62		1	4	16	41
SC State	93		8	39	37	9
USC Aiken	25	1			8	16
USC Beaufort	16	2		2	1	11
USC Upstate	17				8	9
Winthrop	56	15	8	7	20	6
Subtotal	566	77	32	94	168	195
Regional Campuses of USC						
USC Lancaster	7				5	2
USC Salkehatchie	19		4	5	5	5
USC Sumter	8			1	5	2
USC Union	4	1	1		1	1
Subtotal	38	1	5	6	16	10
Technical College						
Aiken	10				5	5
Central Carolina	10				6	4
Denmark	23			2	14	7
Florence-Darlington	15				6	9
Greenville	29			1	14	14
Horry-Georgetown	22			3	6	13
Midlands	34		1	7	11	15
Northeastern	15				7	8
Orangeburg-Calhoun	19				16	3
Piedmont	23			1	15	7
Spartanburg CC	16				6	10
TC of the Lowcountry	25			3	13	9
Tri-County	15				9	6
Trident	27				17	10
Williamsburg	7				5	2
York	16				7	9
Subtotal	306	0	1	17	157	131
Grand Total	1,431	119	83	213	557	459

¹ The number of buildings does not include leased facilities.

² Includes School of Medical.

Percent of Campus Buildings Based on Year of Construction



See previous page for details of the graphical information.

Faculty in Higher Education



Faculty are pivotal resources around which postsecondary education revolves. They determine curriculum content, student performance standards, and quality of students' preparation for careers. Faculty members perform research and development work which can advance this nation's technological and economic well-being. Through their public service activities, they also contribute to the public good.

Faculty may hold academic rank of professor, associate professor, assistant professor, instructor, or lecturer. Faculty may also include the chancellor/president, provost, vice provosts, deans, directors or the equivalent, as well as associate deans, assistant deans and executive officers of academic departments if their principal activity is instruction combined with research and/or public service. The designation as "faculty" is separate from the activities to which they may be

currently assigned. For example, a newly appointed president of an institution may also be appointed as a faculty member. Graduate, instruction, and research assistants are not included in this category.

Average Salaries of Full-Time Teaching Faculty 2008-09, Nine-Month Contract Basis *

	# in Rank	Professor	# in Rank	Associate Professor	# in Rank	Assistant Professor	# in Rank	Instructor	Total # in Rank	Average All
Public Institutions										
Research Institutions										
Clemson	349	\$105,954	249	\$75,613	297	\$67,717	3	\$52,632	898	\$84,716
USC Columbia*	362	115,338	371	81,666	470	72,105	162	44,726	1,365	82,920
Medical Univ. of SC*	82	116,267	78	88,572	59	84,041	23	62,856	242	94,407
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions										
The Citadel	59	\$79,907	52	\$67,693	62	\$54,035	0	\$0	173	\$66,964
Coastal Carolina	48	82,159	65	67,679	117	58,005	21	44,910	251	64,034
College of Charleston	124	80,548	150	65,407	164	59,008	63	47,792	501	64,845
Francis Marion	61	76,302	37	60,470	86	51,834	15	46,744	199	60,556
Lander	25	53,330	28	49,484	49	34,919	24	34,134	126	41,659
SC State	39	74,043	62	64,714	91	57,785	32	43,715	224	60,512
USC Aiken	30	74,435	37	59,896	42	49,249	42	42,440	151	54,968
USC Beaufort	9	69,571	15	61,916	14	51,807	15	45,592	53	55,926
USC Upstate	38	74,038	38	60,334	66	52,181	72	45,883	214	55,391
Winthrop	63	75,968	100	65,780	83	53,895	46	43,364	292	61,068
Regional Campuses of USC										
USC Lancaster	5	\$62,994	5	\$59,315	20	\$47,172	18	\$45,288	48	\$49,378
USC Salkehatchie		**	3	45,623	7	44,393	7	42,587	18	44,610
USC Sumter	9	66,980	17	57,785	10	46,381	16	33,858	52	49,821
USC Union		***		***	3	45,926	5	43,617	8	44,483
SC Average by Faculty Level	1,303	\$97,592	1,307	\$72,556	1,640	\$62,663	564	\$44,965	4,815	\$72,726

Faculty Salaries are reported according to CUPA definitions. Ranked Faculty only (Excludes lecturers/other, and graduate teaching assistants). Includes 11/12 month contracts converted to 9-month basis (.818 conversion factor). Faculty includes those members of Instruction/Research Staff who are employed full-time and whose major regular assignment is instruction including those with release time for research.

*Salaries for Clinical & Basic Medicine are reported on a 12-Month Contract basis.

**Due to privacy of individuals, this number is too small to report.

***No data reported for this faculty level at this institution.

Technical Colleges ¹	Number of Faculty	Average Salary
Aiken	61	\$48,905
Central Carolina	84	44,455
Denmark	39	39,230
Florence-Darlington	103	49,540
Greenville	335	45,493
Horry-Georgetown	138	49,291
Midlands	221	49,358
Northeastern	30	36,650
Orangeburg-Calhoun	82	43,705
Piedmont	118	42,799
Spartanburg CC	113	45,687
TC of the Lowcountry	48	49,808
Tri-County	112	44,801
Trident	296	47,413
Williamsburg	19	34,581
York	120	47,820

¹For Technical Colleges only, includes full-time Instructional Faculty and Unclassified Continuing Education Program Coordinators.



Average Salary of Full-Time Teaching Faculty by Discipline

2008-09, Nine-Month Contract Basis

Discipline	Research Institutions	Comprehensive Teaching Institutions
Agricultural Business and Management	\$82,885	\$71,151
Agricultural Sciences	79,315	
Conservation and Renewable Natural Res.	82,113	
Architecture and Related Programs	75,862	
Area, Ethnic and Cultural Studies	90,358	
Marketing and Operations	104,340	87,329
Communications	66,557	56,464
Computer and Information Sciences	99,669	72,430
Education	66,260	57,359
Engineering	96,125	76,212
Engineering Related Technologies		65,612
Foreign Language and Literature	52,033	53,130
Home Economics	95,854	55,371
Law and Legal Studies	113,532	
English Language and Literature	67,947	51,067
Liberal Arts and Science General Studies	64,076	48,563
Library Science	64,398	
Biological Sciences/Life Sciences	80,293	56,332
Mathematics	76,399	58,766
Parks, Recreation, Leisure and Fitness Studies	73,505	53,634
Philosophy and Religion	64,465	58,356
Physical Sciences	90,305	59,697
Psychology	76,089	60,800
Protective Services/Criminal Justice	69,681	59,398
Public Administration and Social Services	66,676	54,403
Social Sciences and History	83,531	61,616
Visual and Performing Arts	59,357	55,720
Health Professions and Related Sciences	94,351	52,980
Business Management and Administration	126,038	83,285

**Ten-Year Analysis
Average Salaries
of Full-Time Teaching Faculty
Nine-Month Contract Basis**

	1999-2000	2000-2001	2001-2002	2002-2003	2003-2004	2004-2005	2005-2006	2006-2007	2007-2008	2008-2009	2008-2009 Over 1999-2000	2008-2009 Over 2007-2008
Public Institutions												
Research Institutions												
Clemson	\$61,670	\$63,918	\$66,960	\$69,392	\$72,060	\$76,175	\$79,290	\$81,003	\$84,064	\$84,716	37.4%	0.8%
USC Columbia	63,259	69,509	70,948	71,301	71,860	75,461	74,365	79,386	81,506	82,920	31.1%	1.7%
Medical University of SC	53,607	79,714	72,798	79,317	80,379	86,059	89,403	91,318	95,619	94,407	76.1%	-1.3%
Comprehensive Teaching Institutions												
The Citadel	\$50,262	\$55,222	\$57,289	\$56,996	\$57,680	\$63,218	\$66,152	\$65,605	\$67,332	\$66,964	33.2%	-0.5%
Coastal Carolina	45,450	47,474	48,519	48,209	49,035	52,411	55,822	58,227	61,905	64,034	40.9%	3.4%
College of Charleston	47,434	49,481	50,535	51,795	52,795	55,323	58,192	59,827	62,380	64,845	36.7%	4.0%
Francis Marion	47,188	49,087	49,869	50,075	50,542	52,551	55,810	56,453	59,325	60,556	28.3%	2.1%
Lander	46,263	47,728	49,303	49,583	48,060	51,650	49,573	50,241	51,303	41,659	-10.0%	-18.8%
SC State	44,645	47,328	48,093	48,482	47,342	52,545	52,995	54,686	59,425	60,512	35.5%	1.8%
USC Aiken	46,407	48,247	48,247	49,872	49,595	52,961	55,311	54,998	55,741	54,968	18.4%	-1.4%
USC Beaufort	42,327	43,115	42,383	46,355	47,267	49,212	50,028	50,861	54,630	55,926	32.1%	2.4%
USC Upstate	46,131	47,239	48,480	48,781	48,645	49,921	52,206	52,905	54,164	55,391	20.1%	2.3%
Winthrop	45,527	46,957	48,217	51,246	52,120	54,383	57,677	59,447	60,987	61,068	34.1%	0.1%
Regional Campuses of USC												
USC Lancaster	\$47,064	\$48,982	\$51,730	\$49,289	\$48,548	\$51,073	\$50,822	\$39,588	\$48,474	\$49,378	4.9%	1.9%
USC Salkehatchie	41,244	41,798	43,131	43,889	43,705	46,281	49,023	40,219	44,105	44,610	8.2%	1.1%
USC Sumter	46,565	48,206	48,398	48,162	48,297	50,316	51,660	38,099	52,438	49,821	7.0%	-5.0%
USC Union	43,346	44,435	45,298	45,479	44,792	45,924	50,277	43,265	43,528	44,483	2.6%	2.2%
Technical Colleges												
Aiken	39,048	40,942	41,782	41,568	41,990	\$44,971	\$46,767	\$47,228	\$47,885	\$48,905	25.2%	2.1%
Central Carolina	35,877	37,500	38,889	38,673	39,220	40,357	42,123	43,171	43,837	44,455	23.9%	1.4%
Denmark	31,034	33,520	35,499	34,790	34,867	35,113	36,667	37,027	38,981	39,230	26.4%	0.6%
Florence-Darlington	37,045	39,343	41,224	40,739	40,642	43,395	45,737	47,425	49,201	49,540	33.7%	0.7%
Greenville	35,519	38,029	39,582	40,028	40,756	41,495	42,703	43,887	44,935	45,493	28.1%	1.2%
Horry-Georgetown	38,509	39,757	40,729	40,576	40,407	43,134	44,904	45,745	48,974	49,291	28.0%	0.6%
Midlands	37,999	39,635	40,586	40,449	41,338	43,281	45,425	46,846	48,816	49,358	29.9%	1.1%
Northeastern	31,548	33,043	33,436	34,247	34,168	35,390	35,972	36,475	37,932	36,650	16.2%	-3.4%
Orangeburg-Calhoun	32,432	34,205	36,996	37,930	37,914	39,819	40,974	41,782	43,585	43,705	34.8%	0.3%
Piedmont	33,699	34,778	36,634	38,291	38,516	40,201	41,711	42,142	43,122	42,799	27.0%	-0.7%
Spartanburg CC	35,060	36,624	38,371	39,566	40,672	41,161	42,418	43,010	44,113	45,687	30.3%	3.6%
TC of the Lowcountry	36,965	38,408	41,150	41,692	41,190	42,437	45,676	47,782	49,978	49,808	34.7%	-0.3%
Tri-County	35,486	37,842	38,691	38,634	38,827	39,587	41,512	42,637	44,450	44,801	26.2%	0.8%
Trident	39,195	40,458	41,352	41,081	40,588	42,057	43,767	44,742	47,018	47,413	21.0%	0.8%
Williamsburg	29,266	28,795	30,490	30,456	30,513	30,712	32,166	34,032	34,423	34,581	18.2%	0.5%
York	37,309	39,200	40,407	40,209	41,390	43,363	44,719	46,240	48,187	47,820	28.2%	-0.8%

Fall 2008 Full-Time Faculty*

By Race and Tenure

Public Colleges & Universities

		Non-Resident Alien		Black/African American		American Indian/Alaskan Native		Asian or Pacific Islander		Hispanic		White/Non-Hispanic		Unknown		Grand Total
		Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	
Research Institutions	Tenured															
	Clemson			2	12			7	38	4	7	123	381			574
	On-Tenure Track			8	5			13	41	3	1	82	146	2		301
	Not on Tenure Track			5	3	1		2	1	4	3	112	88			219
USC Columbia	Tenured	11	45	12	9			2	24	1	4	133	327	1		569
	On-Tenure Track	35	58	11	9			7	3	2	2	112	121	3		363
	Not on Tenure Track	15	10	10	4			2		1		128	97	2		269
Medical University of S.C.	Tenured											13	10			23
	On-Tenure Track			4				1	1	2		46	35			89
	Not on Tenure Track							1				11	9			21
Subtotal		61	113	52	42	1		35	108	17	17	760	1,214	2	6	2,428

Comprehensive Teaching Institutions		Tenured															
The Citadel	Tenured			2	2		2	1	3	1		23	62		1	97	
	On-Tenure Track		1	3			1	2	1	2	13	33			56		
	Not on Tenure Track			1							3	16			20		
Coastal Carolina	Tenured			1	1			1	1	3	32	70			109		
	On-Tenure Track			3	4			4	5	1	1	45	53			116	
	Not on Tenure Track							3	1	2	35	33			74		
College of Charleston	Tenured	1	2	6	7			1	3	3	6	83	157			269	
	On-Tenure Track	5	8	2	5				1	4	2	48	59			134	
	Not on Tenure Track		1	5				1	1	2	55	34	1		100		
Francis Marion	Tenured			2	1			1				22	66			92	
	On-Tenure Track	3		2				1	3	1		32	28	1		71	
	Not on Tenure Track			2	1			1				17	15			36	
Lander	Tenured				1			2		1		18	26			48	
	On-Tenure Track		1	2				1	1	2		24	27			58	
	Not on Tenure Track											18	11			29	
	No Academic Rank											1	1			2	
SC State	Tenured			17	30			1	9			3	17			77	
	On-Tenure Track			43	35			4	10	1	1	17	18	1		130	
	Not on Tenure Track			7	4				1	1		2	5	1		21	
USC Aiken	Tenured	2	5	1				1	2		1	19	37			68	
	On-Tenure Track	1	5	1								21	13			41	
	Not on Tenure Track	1		3						2		22	14			42	
USC Beaufort	Tenured							1				4	13			18	
	On-Tenure Track	1	2		1	1			1			6	7			19	
	Not on Tenure Track	1		1								6	8			16	
USC Upstate	Tenured	2		3	2				1			27	32	1		68	
	On-Tenure Track		7	1	2			1	1	1		33	25	1	1	73	
	Not on Tenure Track			5	1							38	23	6		73	
Winthrop	Tenured			2	3			2	3	3		58	81			152	
	On-Tenure Track			5	1			3	2	1		38	32			82	
	Not on Tenure Track			7	5			1	1	2	1	49	19			85	
Subtotal		17	32	127	106	1	2	31	52	19	28	812	1,035	9	5	2,276	

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By Race and Tenure

Public Colleges & Universities

Regional Campuses of USC	Tenured	Non-Resident Alien		Black/African American		American Indian/Alaskan Native		Asian or Pacific Islander		Hispanic		White/Non-Hispanic		Unknown		Grand Total
		Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	
USC Lancaster	Tenured											4	6			10
	On-Tenure Track	1	1		2							9	7			20
	Not on Tenure Track	2			3							5	8			18
USC Salkehatchie	Tenured							1					4			5
	On-Tenure Track	1										3	2			6
	Not on Tenure Track		2					1				3	2			8
USC Sumter	Tenured			1				1		1		5	17			25
	On-Tenure Track		3						1			2	5			11
	Not on Tenure Track				1			1	1			4	9			16
USC Union	Tenured															
	On-Tenure Track											2	1			3
	Not on Tenure Track											1	4			5
Subtotal		4	6	1	6			1	4	1	1	38	65			127

Technical Colleges	Tenured	No Academic Rank		Black/African American		American Indian/Alaskan Native		Asian or Pacific Islander		Hispanic		White/Non-Hispanic		Unknown		Grand Total
		Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	
Aiken	No Academic Rank			6	3	1		2	2			21	26			61
Central Carolina	No Academic Rank			5	3							40	36			84
Denmark	No Academic Rank			16	9			3	4			3	4			39
Florence-Darlington	No Academic Rank			10	3	1	1	1	3	1	1	39	43			103
Greenville	No Academic Rank			23	10			3	4	3		167	125			335
Horry-Georgetown	No Academic Rank			9	4			3		1	1	62	58			138
Midlands	No Academic Rank			21	7			1	1	3	1	103	84			221
Northeastern	No Academic Rank			2			1					14	13			30
Orangeburg-Calhoun	No Academic Rank			13	3			1				40	25			82
Piedmont	No Academic Rank			5	4				2		3	58	46			118
Spartanburg CC	No Academic Rank			6	7	1		3	3	1		54	38			113
TC of the Lowcountry	No Academic Rank			3	5				1			26	13			48
Tri-County	No Academic Rank			4	5			1	1	1		62	38			112
Trident	No Academic Rank			19	9	1				1	1	136	129			296
Williamsburg	No Academic Rank			4	2							6	7			19
York	No Academic Rank			7	6			1	4			53	49			120
Subtotal	No Academic Rank			153	80	4	2	19	25	11	7	884	734			1,919

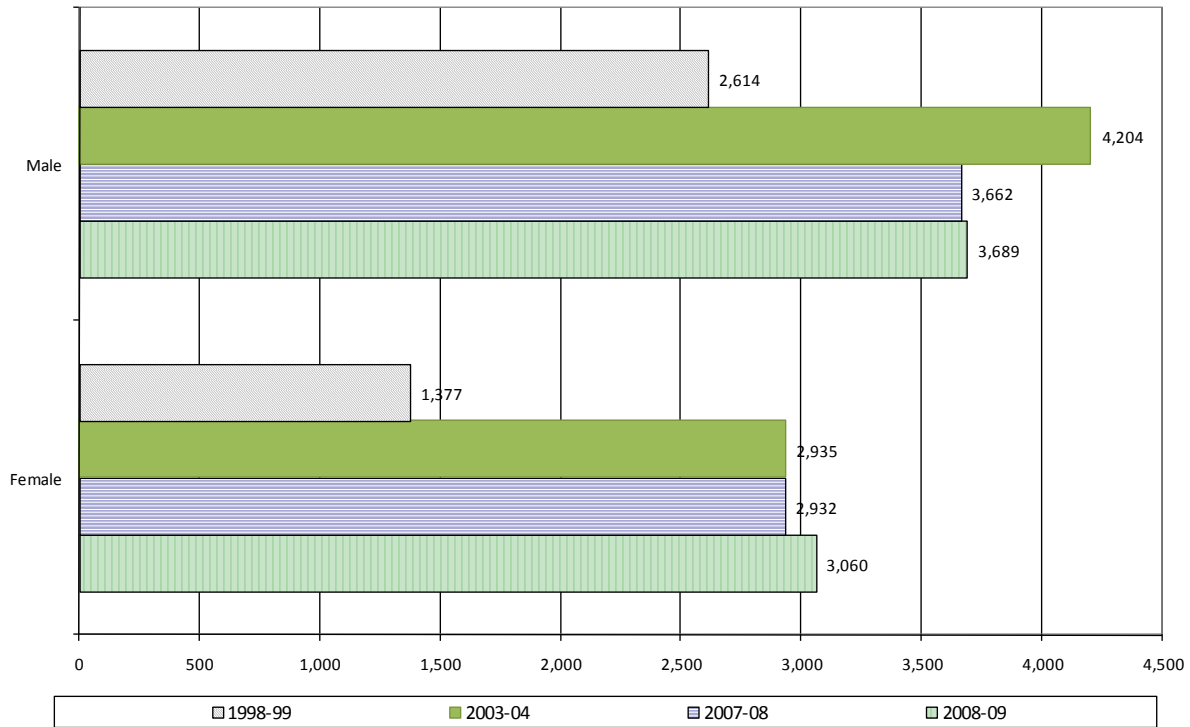
Grand Total All Institutions	82	151	333	234	6	4	86	189	48	53	2,494	3,048	11	11	6,750
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*IPEDS Human Resource Survey

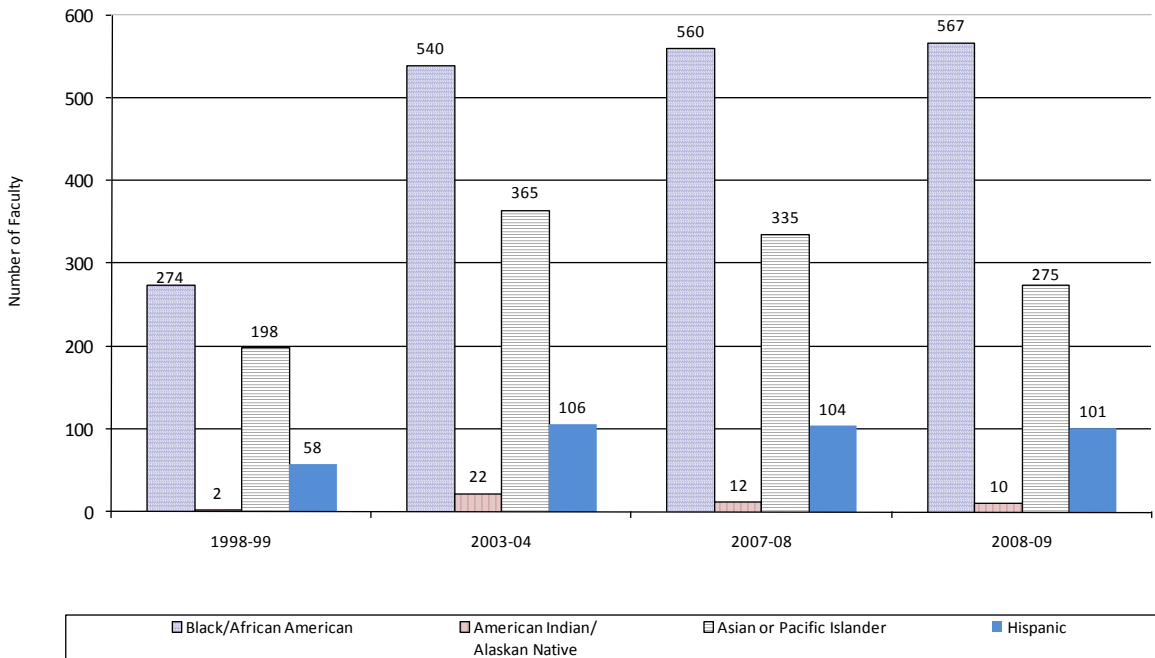
Fall 2008 Full Time Faculty Summary*
By Race and Tenure
Public Colleges & Universities
Summary

		% to Total by Tenure, Gender, & Race	On- Tenure Track	% to Total by Tenure, Gender, & Race	Not on Tenure Track	% to Total by Tenure, Gender, & Race	No Academic Rank	% to Total by Tenure, Gender, & Race	Total Tenure by Race and Gender	% to Total by Tenure, Gender, & Race
Race and Gender	Tenured									
Female Non-Resident Alien	16	23.5%	47	35.3%	19	59.4%	0		82	35.2%
Male Non-Resident Alien	52	76.5%	86	64.7%	13	40.6%	0		151	64.8%
Total Non-Resident Alien by Tenure	68		133		32		0		233	
Female Black/African American	49	41.9%	85	57.0%	46	67.6%	153	65.7%	333	58.7%
Male Black/African American	68	58.1%	64	43.0%	22	32.4%	80	34.3%	234	41.3%
Total Black/African American by Tenure	117		149		68		233		567	
Female American Indian/Alaskan Native	0	0.0%	1	100.0%	1	100.0%	4	66.7%	6	60.0%
Male American Indian/Alaskan Native	2	100.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	33.3%	4	40.0%
Total American Indian/Alaskan Native by Tenure	2		1		1		6		10	
Female Asian/Pacific Islander	20	19.0%	36	33.3%	11	61.1%	19	43.2%	86	31.3%
Male Asian/Pacific Islander	85	81.0%	72	66.7%	7	38.9%	25	56.8%	189	68.7%
Total Asian/Pacific Islander by Tenure	105		108		18		44		275	
Female Hispanic	10	27.8%	14	50.0%	13	68.4%	11	61.1%	48	47.5%
Male Hispanic	26	72.2%	14	50.0%	6	31.6%	7	38.9%	53	52.5%
Total Hispanic by Tenure	36		28		19		18		101	
Female White/Non-Hispanic	567	30.3%	533	46.6%	509	56.3%	885	54.7%	2,494	45.0%
Male White/Non-Hispanic	1,306	69.7%	612	53.4%	395	43.7%	734	45.3%	3,047	55.0%
Total White/Non-Hispanic by Tenure	1,873		1,145		904		1,619		5,541	
Female Unknown	1	33.3%	1	11.1%	9	90.0%	0	0.0%	11	50.0%
Male Unknown	2	66.7%	8	88.9%	1	10.0%	0	0.0%	11	50.0%
Total Unknown by Tenure	3		9		10		0		22	
Female Total	663		717		608		1,072		3,060	
Male Total	1,541		856		444		848		3,689	
Female & Male Grand Total	2,204		1,573		1,052		1,920		6,749	

**Full-time Faculty at S.C. Public Colleges & Universities by Gender
A Five-, Ten-, and One-Year Comparison to the Current Year**



**Full-time Faculty at S.C. Public Colleges & Universities
by Race, Minority Groups
A Five-, Ten-, and One-Year Comparison to the Current**



See previous page and previous Abstracts for details of graphical information.

Appendix 1

Performance Funding In South Carolina A Brief History and Background

Act 359 of 1996 amended sections of the South Carolina State Code relating to the Commission on Higher Education (in particular Section 59-103-5, *et seq.*) to change the mechanism for determining state funding of public higher education. The legislation mandated that the Commission, in consultation with institutions and other key stakeholders, develop and use a performance system for determining institutional funding. The law specified that the quality of higher education institutions could be measured by considering nine critical success factors with 37 indicators suggested to measure those nine areas, and provided a three-year phase-in period to develop a system that would base all funding of public higher education in South Carolina on performance.

To meet its mandate, the Commission on Higher Education developed a two-part plan: 1) a determination of financial need for the institutions – resulting in the Mission Resource Requirement (MRR) to identify the total amount of money an institution should receive based on comparable costs for institutions of similar mission, size and complexity of programs and 2) an evaluation process whereby each institution’s performance on identified measures was rated and funding was allocated contingent on the ratings. Developed in FY 1996-97 and substantially revised in 1999, the plan was phased in over time so that by the third year, the plan was fully in effect.

The Commission worked with the 33 public institutions in South Carolina as performance funding was implemented to refine and improve the system. In FY 1998-99, a change in scoring provided for ratings on each performance indicator to be on a three-point scale rather than a six-point scale. Additionally, institutions were rated by category rather than a percent score. Many of the indicator measurement definitions have changed since they were first defined in 1996 and 1997, with most changes occurring in FY 1999-2000. In FY 2000-01, the method for identifying the standards used to determine performance changed from a system where each institution negotiated its own benchmarks to one where standards were determined for sectors of institutions based on available national, state, regional, and peer data. During that same year, the Commission added a component to the three-point indicator scoring scale to provide recognition of individual institutional improvement over past years. The last significant revision occurred in FY 2001-02 and involved a reduction in the number of indicators used in determining overall institutional performance from 37 to 13 or 14 key indicators (depending on sector). The indicators retained were identified by the Commission working in consultation with institutions and other key stakeholders as those that had proven to be most informative and useful in assessing performance and were most reflective of sector and institutional missions.

In FY 2006-07, the Commission suspended the scoring system due to policy considerations regarding the state’s budget and higher education funding.. However, data continue to be monitored and collected as necessary to meet state and federal legislative mandates.

Information about performance funding and data are accessible on the Commission’s website www.che.sc.gov under “Data and Publications.”

Types of Public Institutions in South Carolina by Mission

Changes to the SC State Code of Laws, 1976, as amended, arising from Act 359 of 1996, set forth the missions of public higher education, as well as for each type of public institution in the state (Sections 59-103-15 (A) and 59-103-15(B)). These statements are excerpted and printed below.

Mission Identified for Higher Education in South Carolina:

The General Assembly determined that the mission for higher education is to be a global leader in providing a coordinated, comprehensive system of excellence in education by providing instruction, research, and life-long learning opportunities which focus on economic development and benefit the State of South Carolina.

Goals to be achieved through this mission include: high academic quality; affordable and accessible education; instructional excellence; coordination and cooperation with public education; cooperation among the General Assembly, Commission on Higher Education, Council of Presidents of State Institutions, institutions of higher learning, and the business community and economic growth.

Mission Identified for Types of Sectors of South Carolina Higher Education:

Research institutions

- To award college level baccalaureate education, master's, professional, and doctor of philosophy degrees which lead to continued education or employment;
- To conduct research through the use of government, corporate, nonprofit organization grants, or state resources;
- To provide public service to the State and the local community.

Comprehensive Teaching Institutions

- To award college level baccalaureate education and selected master's degrees which lead to employment or continued education, or both, except for doctoral degrees currently being offered;
- To conduct limited and specialized research;
- To provide public service to the State and the local community.

Two-Year Regional Campuses of the University of SC

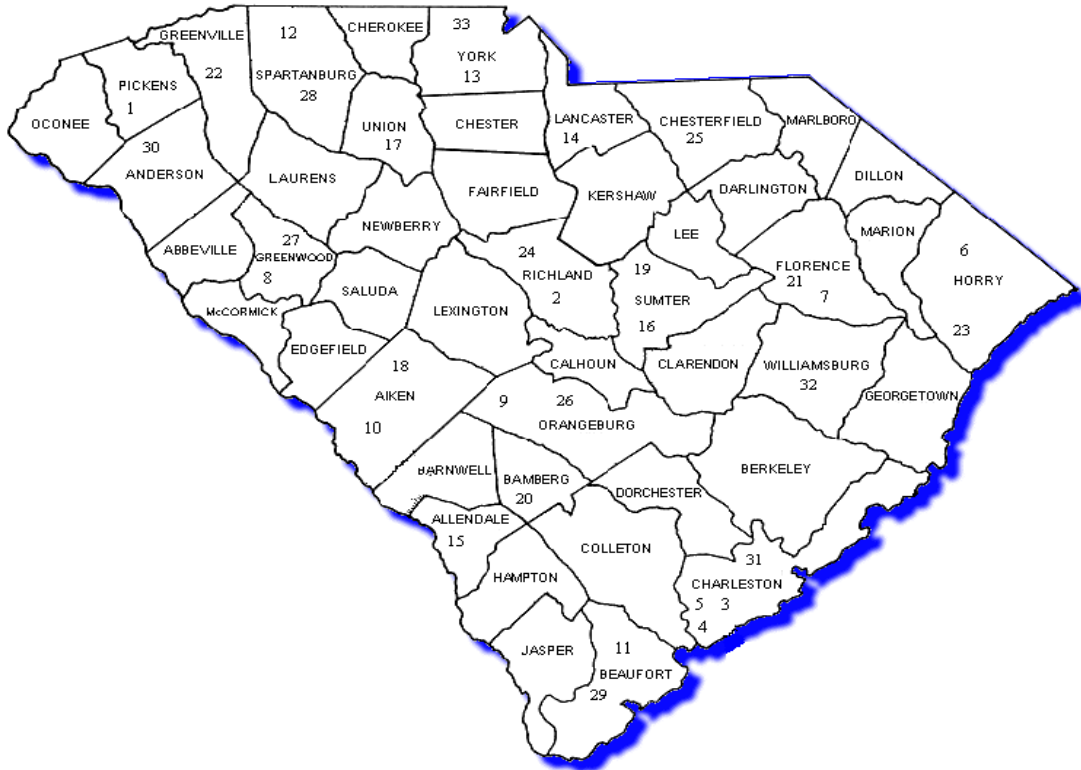
- To award college level pre-baccalaureate education necessary to confer associate's degrees which lead to continued education at a four-year or research institution;
- To provide public service to the State and the local community.

State Technical and Comprehensive Education System

- To award all post-secondary vocational, technical, and occupational diploma and associate degree programs leading directly to employment or maintenance of employment and associate degree programs which enable students to gain access to other post-secondary education;
- To provide up-to-date and appropriate occupational and technical training for adults;
- To support special school programs that provide training for prospective employees for prospective and existing industry in order to enhance the economic development of South Carolina;
- To provide public service to the State and the local community;
- To continue to remain technical, vocational, or occupational colleges with a mission as stated herein and primarily focused on technical education and the economic development of the State.

Appendix 2

Locations of South Carolina Public Colleges and Universities



Research Institutions

1. Clemson University
2. USC Columbia
3. Medical University of SC

Comprehensive Teaching Institutions

4. The Citadel
5. College of Charleston
6. Coastal Carolina University
7. Francis Marion University
8. Lander University
9. SC State University
10. USC Aiken
11. USC Beaufort
12. USC Upstate
13. Winthrop University

Regional Campuses of USC

14. USC Lancaster
15. USC Salkehatchie
16. USC Sumter
17. USC Union

Technical Colleges

18. Aiken
19. Central Carolina
20. Denmark
21. Florence-Darlington
22. Greenville
23. Horry-Georgetown
24. Midlands
25. Northeastern
26. Orangeburg-Calhoun
27. Piedmont
28. Spartanburg CC
29. TC of the Lowcountry
30. Tri-County
31. Trident
32. Williamsburg
33. York

For addresses, phone numbers, and other related information on SC colleges and universities, visit our website at http://www.che.sc.gov/InfoCntr/Coll_Univ.htm

Appendix 2

Locations of South Carolina Independent Colleges and Universities



Independent Senior Institutions

1. Allen University
2. Anderson University
3. Benedict College
4. Bob Jones University
5. Charleston Southern Univ.
6. Claffin University
7. Coker College
8. Columbia College
9. Columbia Int'l Univ.
10. Converse College
11. Erskine College
12. Furman University
13. Limestone College
14. Lutheran Theological Seminary
15. Morris College
16. Newberry College
17. North Greenville University
18. Presbyterian College
19. Sherman College of Straight Chiropractic
20. Southern Methodist
21. Southern Wesleyan University
22. Voorhees College
23. Wofford College

Two-Year Independent Institutions

24. Clinton Junior College
25. Spartanburg Methodist College

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Appendix 2

Locations of South Carolina Proprietary Colleges and Other Degree Granting Institutions Licensed to Operate in SC



Proprietary Colleges and Other Degree-Granting Institutions Licensed to Operate in SC

1. American College of Building Arts
2. Art Institute of Charleston
3. Brown Mackie College
4. Charleston School of Law – Private Professional
5. Centura College
6. ECPI College of Technology
7. Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University
8. Forrest Junior College – Private Professional
9. Gardner-Webb University
10. Golf Academy of America
11. ITT Technical Institute
12. Lehigh University
13. Lesley University
14. Miller-Motte Technical College
15. Nova Southeastern University
16. Professional Golfers Career College
17. Remington College
18. Saint Leo University
19. Savannah College of Art and Design
20. South University
21. Springfield College
22. Strayer University
23. Troy State University
24. University of Phoenix
25. Virginia College
26. Webster University

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Appendix 3

South Carolina Commission on Higher Education Publications, Reports, and Brochures by Division

Academic Affairs and Licensing

Contact: Dr. Gail M. Morrison, (803) 737-2243

- *A Closer Look at Public Higher Education in SC, January 2000 through January 2009*
- *Academic Programs Available at S. C. Institutions* (Searchable online database)
- *Annual Evaluation of Associate Degree Programs FY 2008-09*
- *Annual Report on the Academic Common Market Program AY 2007-08*
- *Annual Report on Admissions Standards for First-time Entering Freshmen as Mandated by Acts 137 and 359 Fall 2007*
- *Annual Report on Advanced Placement Course Acceptance Policies AY 2008-09*
- *Annual Report on Compliance with English Fluency in Higher Education Act 2007-08*
- *CoEE Comprehensive Program Evaluation 2003-2008. The Washington Group*
- *CoEE Program Annual Report, 2007-2008*
- *CoEE Program Guidelines*
- *CoEE Research Stars - Brochure*
- *College Preparatory Course Prerequisites Requirements for College Admission*
- *Directory of Occupational Training and Recruiting Institutions*
- *Dual Enrollment Policy*
- *Employers Guide to College Degrees*
- *Guidelines for CHE's Center of Excellence in Teaching Program*
- *Guidelines for Professor of the Year Award*
- *Guiding Principles for Distance Education in South Carolina*
- *Is This a Good School? Brochure*
- *Massage Therapy Training in South Carolina – What You Should Know Before You Enroll*
- *Policies and Procedures for New Academic Program Approval and Program Termination*
- *Policies on Advanced Placement Credit Awards and International Baccalaureate Credit Awards 2008-09*
- *Report on New Program Approvals and Program Terminations 2007-08*
- *Research Universities Infrastructure Act Guidelines*
- *South Carolina Course Alignment Project Newsletter Volume 1; Volume 2; Volume 3*
- *State Policy on Transfer*
- *Transfer Guide for Dual Enrollment Students*

Access & Equity

Contact: Mr. Michael L. Brown, (803) 737-2144

- *Guidelines for Access & Equity Undergraduate Scholars Program*
- *Guidelines for Graduate Incentive Scholarship Program*
- *The South Carolina Higher Education Access & Equity Statewide Program Publication*
- *The South Carolina National Guard College Assistance Program Regulations and Guidelines*

Appendix 3

South Carolina Commission on Higher Education Publications, Reports, and Brochures by Division

Administration

Contact: Ms. Julie Carullo, (803) 737-2292

- *CHE Annual Accountability Report*
- *Frequently Asked Questions about Higher Education in South Carolina*
- *Leveraging Higher Education for a Stronger South Carolina: Action Plan Framework (Sept. 2008) and Action Plan Implementation (Mar. 2009)*
- *Special Report - Retaining Graduates of S.C. Public Colleges and Universities, Nov. 2007*

Finance, Facilities, & MIS

Contact: Mr. Gary Glenn, (803) 737-2155

- *Facilities Policies and Procedures Manual*
- *S.C. Mission Resource Requirements (MRR) Booklet*
- *S.C. Higher Education Statistical Abstract*
- *S.C. Higher Education Facilities Statistical Abstract*

Student Services

Contact: Dr. Karen A. Woodfaulk, (803) 737-2244

- 2008 College Goal Sunday Evaluation Report*
- 2008 Early Graduation Policy
- Disbursement & Enrollment Procedures for Scholarships and Grants*
- Guidelines for Appeal (LIFE, HOPE, & Palmetto Fellows Scholarships)
- Scholarships and Grants Program Regulations & Legislation
- Residency Regulation and Law
- S.C. GEAR UP Annual Performance Report 2009 *
- S.C. GEAR UP Policy and Procedures *
- S.C. HOPE Scholarship Brochure
- S.C. LIFE Scholarship Brochure
- S.C. Need-based Grant Foster Care Youth Policy

All reports are available on the web at www.che.sc.gov unless otherwise noted. Reports denoted with * are available upon request.

Appendix 4

ACRONYMS AND TERMS PERTAINING TO HIGHER EDUCATION

A & E	Architectural and Engineering
AACJC	American Association of Community Colleges
AACSB	American Assembly of Collegiate Schools of Business
AACU	Association of American Colleges and Universities
AASCU	American Association of State Colleges and Universities
ABCTE	American Board for the Certification of Teacher Excellence
ACE	American Council of Education
ACG	Academic Competitiveness Grant
ACHE	Association of Continuing Higher Education
ACIR	Advisory Committee on Information Resources
ACM	Academic Common Market
AHEC	Area Health Education Consortium
ACCSCCT	Accrediting Commission of Career Schools/Colleges of Technology
ACICS	Accrediting Council for Independent Colleges and Schools
AGB	Association of Governing Boards of Colleges and Universities
AIR	Association of Institutional Research
AP	Advanced Placement
APPA	Association of Physical Plant Administrators
B&CB	(SC) Budget and Control Board
CAPE	Council for American Private Education
CERRA	Center for the Recruitment, Retention and Advancement of Educators
CHE	Commission on Higher Education
CHEA	Council on Higher Education Accreditation
CHEMIS	Commission on Higher Education Management Information System
CIB	Capital Improvement Bonds
CIP	Classification of Instruction Program
COEE	(SC) Centers of Economic Excellence
CPIP	Comprehensive Permanent Improvement Plan
CUPA	College and University Personnel Association
E & G	Education and General
ECS	Education Commission of the States
EDUCAUSE	Consolidation of EDUCUM (Interuniversity Communications Council) and CAUSE (College and University Systems Exchange)
EEDA	Education and Economic Development Act of 2005
EIA	(SC) Education Improvement Act of 1984
FIPSE	Fund for the Improvement of Postsecondary Education
FTE	Full-Time Equivalent
GASB	Governmental Accounting Standards Board
GEAR-UP	Gaining Early Awareness and Readiness for Undergraduate Programs
GIF	(SC) Graduate Incentive Fellowship

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ACRONYMS AND TERMS PERTAINING TO HIGHER EDUCATION

HEAP	(SC) Higher Education Awareness Program
HEEEP	Higher Education Excellence Enhancement Program
HEPI	Higher Education Price Index
IIIR	Independent Institutions' Information Resources
IPEDS	Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System
ITQ	Improving Teacher Quality
JBRC	(SC) Joint Bond Review Committee
LAC	(SC) Legislative Audit Council
LCG	Lowcountry Graduate Center
LIFE	(Scholarship) Legislative Incentives for Future Excellence
LTAP	Lottery Tuition Assistance Program
MLAP	Master Land Acquisition Plan
MRR	Mission Resource Requirements
MUSC	Medical University of South Carolina
NACUBO	National Association of College and University Business Officers
NASULGC	National Association of State Universities and Land Grant Colleges
NCATE	National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education
NCES	National Center for Education Statistics
NCHEMS	National Center for Higher Education Management Systems
NSF	National Science Foundation
PIP	Permanent Improvement Plan
RFP	Request for Proposals
RUIA	(SC) Research University Infrastructure Act
SAA	State Approving Agency (Veterans Education and Training)
SACS	Southern Association of Colleges and Schools
SAIR	Southern Association of Institutional Research
SACUBO	Southern Association of College and University Business Officers
SBTCE	State Board for Technical and Comprehensive Education
SCAIR	South Carolina Association of Institutional Research
SCITDA	South Carolina Information Technology Director's Association
SCH	Student Credit Hour
SCUP	Society for College and University Planning
SCDOE	(SC) State Department of Education
SHEAO	State Higher Education Academic Officers - (SHEEO Association)
SHEEO	State Higher Education Executive Officers
SHEFO	State Higher Education Finance Officers - (SHEEO Association)
SHGRCO	Government Relations and Communications Officers - (SHEEO Association)
SREB	Southern Regional Education Board
UCG	University Center of Greenville
UGP	(SC) Uniform Grading Policy

Appendix 5

Public Colleges and Universities Board of Trustees

Research Institutions

Clemson University

Phone: 864-656-5615

<http://www.clemson.edu/administration/bot/board.html>

University of South Carolina

Phone: 803-777-4743

<http://trustees.sc.edu/biographies.html>

Medical University of S.C.

Phone: 843-792-2211

<http://www.musc.edu/admin/board/>

Comprehensive Teaching Institutions

The Citadel

Phone: 843-953-5092

<http://www.citadel.edu/r3/bov/membership/index.shtml>

Coastal Carolina University

Phone: 843-349-2005

<http://www.coastal.edu/board/trustees.html>

College of Charleston

Phone: 843-953-5500

<http://www.cofc.edu/trustee/members.html>

Francis Marion University

Phone: 843-661-1210

<http://www.fmarion.edu/about/members>

Lander University

Phone: 864-388-8300

<http://www.lander.edu/administration/trustees/members.html>

South Carolina State University

Phone: 803-536-7013

<http://www.scsu.edu/aboutscstate/boardoftrustees/trusteebios.aspx>

Winthrop University

Phone: 803-323-2225

<http://www.winthrop.edu/trustees/>

USC Aiken - See University of SC

USC - Beaufort - See University of SC

USC - Upstate - See University of SC

USC Regional Campuses (USC Lancaster, USC Salkehatchie, USC Sumter, USC Union) - See University of SC

Technical Colleges

State Board for Technical & Comprehensive Education

Phone: 803-896-5320

<http://www.sctechsystem.com/brdmemb.htm>

Aiken Technical College

Phone: 803-593-9231

<http://www.atc.edu/p1.aspx>

Central Carolina Technical College

Phone: 803-778-1961 ext. 354

<http://www.cctech.edu/about/195.htm>

Denmark Technical College

Phone: 803-793-5100

<http://www.denmarktech.edu/index.html>

Florence-Darlington Technical College

Phone: 843-661-8002

<http://www.fdtc.edu/AboutUs/people/commission.asp>

Greenville Technical College

Phone: 864-250-8175

<http://www.gvltec.edu/display.aspx?id=276&terms=area+commission>

Horry-Georgetown Technical College

Phone: 843-347-3186

http://www.hgtc.edu/int_y.php?pageid=17

Midlands Technical College

Phone: 803-738-7602

<http://www.midlandstech.com/>

Northeastern Technical College

Phone: 843-921-6902

<http://www.netc.edu/index.html>

Orangeburg-Calhoun Technical College

Phone: 803-535-1201

<http://www.octech.edu/octech/aboutus/commission.asp>

Appendix 5

Public Colleges and Universities Board of Trustees

Technical Colleges (Continued)

Piedmont Technical College

Phone: 864-941-8302

<http://www.ptc.edu/catalog/595-catalog-administration-faculty-a-staff#AreaCommission>

Spartanburg Community College

Phone: 864-592-4611

<http://www.sccsc.edu/AboutSCC.htm>

Technical College of the Lowcountry

Phone: 843-525-8247

http://www.tcl.edu/About_Us/TCLCommission.asp

Tri-County Technical College

Phone: 864-646-3636

http://www.tctc.edu/visitors_media/college_information/commission2.html

Trident Technical College

Phone: 843-574-6338

http://www.tridenttech.edu/abouttcc_areacommission.htm

Williamsburg Technical College

Phone: 843-355-4110

<http://www.wiltech.edu/>

York Technical College

Phone: 803-325-2874

<http://www.yorktech.com/collegeinfo.asp>

Appendix 6

Glossary

Academic Support – Funds to provide support services for an institution's primary missions – instruction, research, and public service.

Accessible Area – An indication that a room can be approached, entered, and used without assistance by a mobility-impaired person. The United States Department of Education Section 504 Subpart C regulation states “no qualified individual with a disability shall be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or otherwise be subjected to discrimination under any program or activity because a recipient’s facilities are inaccessible to, or unusable by, persons with disabilities.”

American Indian or Alaskan Native – A person having origins in any of the original peoples of North America and who maintains cultural identification through tribal affiliation or community recognition.

Application Fee – The amount of money that an institution charges for processing a student’s application for admittance to the institution. This amount is not creditable toward tuition or required fees, nor is it refundable if the student is not admitted to the institution.

Asian or Pacific Islander – A person having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, the Indian Subcontinent, or Pacific Islands. This includes people from China, Japan, Korea, the Philippine Islands, American Samoa, India, and Vietnam.

Assignable Area – The sum of all areas on all floors of a building assigned to, or available for assignment to, an occupant or use, excluding spaces defined as building service, circulation, mechanical, and structural areas.

Associate’s Degree – An award that normally requires at least two, but less than four, years of full-time equivalent college work.

Auxiliary Enterprises – Activities that exist to furnish goods or services to students, faculty, or staff, and that charge a fee directly related to, although not necessarily equal to, the cost of the goods or services are included in auxiliary enterprises. These entities are classified as self-supporting.

Bachelor’s Degree – An award (baccalaureate or equivalent degree, as determined by the Secretary, U.S. Department of Education) that normally requires at least four, but NOT more than five, years of full-time equivalent college-level work. This definition includes bachelor’s degrees conferred in a five-year cooperative (work-study plan) program.

Black/African American – A person having origins in any of the black racial groups of Africa (except those of Hispanic origin).

Board Charges – Charges assessed students for an academic year for meals.

Books and Supplies – The average cost of books and supplies for a typical student for an entire academic year (or program). Does not include unusual costs for special groups of students (e.g., engineering or art majors), unless they constitute the majority of students at an institution.

Certificate – A formal award certifying the satisfactory completion of a postsecondary education program.

Appendix 6

Classification of Instructional Programs (CIP) – A numerical classification and standard terminology for secondary and postsecondary instructional programs provided by National Center of Education Statistics (NCES).

Cohort – A specific group of students established for tracking purposes.

Credit Course – A course that, if successfully completed, can be applied toward the number of courses required for achieving a degree, diploma, certificate, or other formal award.

Credit Hour – A unit of measure that represents the equivalent of an hour (50 minutes) of instruction that can be applied to the total number of hours needed for completing the requirements of a degree, diploma, certificate or other formal award.

Degree – An award conferred by a college, university, or other postsecondary education institution as official recognition for the successful completion of a program of study.

Degree/Certificate-Seeking Students – Students enrolled in courses for credit who are recognized by the institution as seeking a degree or other formal award. At the undergraduate level, this classification is intended to include students enrolled in vocational or occupational programs.

Diploma – A formal document certifying the successful completion of a prescribed program of study.

Doctor's Degree – The highest award a student can earn for graduate study. The doctor's degree classification includes such degrees as Doctor of Education, Doctor of Juridical Science, Doctor of Public Health, and the Doctor of Philosophy degree in any field such as agronomy, food technology, education, engineering, public administration, ophthalmology, or radiology.

Doctor's degree - other – A doctor's degree that does not meet the definition of a doctor's degree - research/scholarship or a doctor's degree - professional practice.

Doctor's degree - professional practice – A doctor's degree that is conferred upon completion of a program providing the knowledge and skills for the recognition, credential, or license required for professional practice. The degree is awarded after a period of study such that the total time to the degree, including both pre-professional and professional preparation, equals at least six full-time equivalent academic years. Some of these degrees were formerly classified as *“first-professional”* and may include: Chiropractic (D.C. or D.C.M.); Dentistry (D.D.S. or D.M.D.); Law (L.L.B. or J.D.); Medicine (M.D.); Optometry (O.D.); Osteopathic Medicine (D.O); Pharmacy (Pharm.D.); Podiatry (D.P.M., Pod.D., D.P.); or, Veterinary Medicine (D.V.M.), and others, as designated by the awarding institution.

Doctor's degree - research/scholarship – A Ph.D. or other doctor's degree that requires advanced work beyond the master's level, including the preparation and defense of a dissertation based on original research, or the planning and execution of an original project demonstrating substantial artistic or scholarly achievement. Some examples of this type of degree may include Ed.D., D.M.A., D.B.A., D.Sc., D.A., or D.M., and others, as designated by the awarding institution.

Dormitory Capacity – The maximum number of students for which the institution can provide dormitory housing facilities, whether on or off campus.

Educational and General (E&G) – The educational and general operations of an institution, including instruction, research, public service, academic support, student services, institutional support, operation and maintenance of physical plant, etc.

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First-Professional Degree – An award that requires completion of a program that meets all of the following criteria: (1) completion of the academic requirements to begin practice in the profession; (2) at least two years of college work prior to entering the program; and (3) a total of a least six academic years of college work to complete the degree program, including prior required college work plus the length of the professional program itself. First-professional degrees may be awarded in the following ten fields: Chiropractic, Dentistry, Law, Medicine, Optometry, Osteopathic Medicine, Pharmacy, Podiatry, Theology, and Veterinary Medicine. **NOTE: The National Center for Education Statistics (NCES) has eliminated this degree category and required all institutions to reclassify the above first-professional degrees into the Doctor's degree classification. See Doctor's degree for additional information.**

First-Time Freshman – An entering freshman who has never attended a college (or other postsecondary institution). Includes students enrolled in the fall term who attended college for the first time in the prior summer term. Also includes students who entered with advanced standing (college credits earned before graduation from high school).

Full-Time Equivalent (FTE) Student Enrollment – Calculated as fifteen (15) credit hours per semester for an undergraduate student, twelve (12) credit hours per semester for a graduate level 1 (master's) student, and nine (9) credit hours per semester for graduate level 2 (doctoral) students. First professional pharmacy hours are fifteen (15) credit hours per semester and first professional law are fourteen (14) credit hours per semester. Medicine and Dentistry use the headcount rather than credit hours.

Graduate Student – A student taking courses offered for credit toward a master's or doctoral degree.

Graduation Rate – The rate required for disclosure and/or reporting purposes under Student Right-to-Know. This rate is calculated as the total number of completers within 150% of normal time divided by the revised cohort minus any allowable exclusions.

Hispanic – A person of Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban, Central or South American, or other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race.

Hospitals – Activities associated with the patient care operations of a hospital. This category does not include instructional activities which may take place in the hospital but which are more appropriately categorized in the instruction program.

In-District Student – A student who is a legal resident of the locality in which he/she attends school and thus is entitled to reduced tuition charges if offered by the institution.

In-State Student – A student who is a legal resident of the state in which he/she attends school.

Independent Operations – Institutional activities that are owned by or controlled by the institution but that are independent of or unrelated to the institution's mission.

Institutional Support – Activities carried out to provide for both the day-to-day functioning and the long-range viability of the institution as an operating organization. The ultimate goal of the institutional support program is to provide for the institution's organizational effectiveness and continuity.

Instruction – Activities carried out for the express purpose of eliciting a measure of educational change in a learner or group of learners.

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Lower Division – Courses at the freshman and sophomore levels of college work, available at the two-year institutions as well as the four-year institutions.

Master's Degree – An award that requires the successful completion of a program of study of at least the full-time equivalent of one, but not more than two, academic years of work beyond the bachelor's degree.

Nonresident Alien – A person who is not a citizen or national of the United States and who is in this country on a visa or temporary basis and does not have the right to remain indefinitely.

Out-of-State Student – A student who is not a legal resident of the state in which he/she attends school.

Physical Plant Operations – Activities related to maintaining existing facilities and grounds, providing utility services, and planning and designing future plant expansions and modifications.

Public Service – Activities established to make available to the public the various resources and capabilities of the institution for the specific purpose of responding to a community need or solving a community problem.

Race/ethnicity Unknown – This category is used ONLY if the student did not select a racial/ethnic designation, and the postsecondary institution finds it impossible to place the student in one of the aforementioned racial/ethnic categories during established enrollment procedures or in any post-enrollment identification or verification process.

Required Fees – Fixed sum charged to students for items not covered by tuition and required of such a large proportion of all students that the student who does NOT pay is an exception.

Research – Any activity intended to produce one or more research outcomes – including the creation of knowledge, the organization of knowledge, and the application of knowledge. A research activity may be conducted with institutional funds or under the terms of an agreement with an agency external to the institution.

Room Charges – The charges for an academic year for rooming accommodations for a typical student sharing a room with one other student.

Room Hours of Instruction – The number of hours each week that a classroom is used for regularly scheduled classes.

Space Factor Calculation – A very useful calculation for facilities planners, in that it combines into a single factor the concepts of weekly room hours, percent student station utilization, and assignable square feet per student station. The lower the space factor, the more effectively the space is being utilized for instructional purposes. The calculation is: average student station size (SF per student station) divided by average week room hours of instruction multiplied by station utilization percentage.

Specialist Degree – An award that requires the completion of an organized program of study that awards the specialist degree (beyond Master's), but does not meet the requirements of academic degree at the doctor's level.

Student Services – Activities that contribute to the emotional and physical well-being of the students, as well as to their intellectual, cultural, and social development outside of the context of the institution's formal instruction program.

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Student Station – A desk, table/chair, theatre seating, etc., used by a student in a classroom or class laboratory.

Success Rate - The Graduation Rate Survey (GRS) defines the cohort of students to be included each year as the first-time, full-time, degree-seeking students entering an institution each fall. The GRS rate is calculated on the percentage of a cohort graduating within 150% of normal program time. The Success Rate, in addition to the graduates, includes those students who as of 150% of program time have transferred to another institution or those students who have continued to be enrolled the term following 150% of program time. This is often referred to as the “GRS Rate Plus.”

Transfer Student – A student entering the reporting institution for the first time but known to have previously attended a postsecondary institution at the same level (e.g., undergraduate, graduate). The student may transfer with or without credit.

Tuition – The amount of money charged to students for instructional services. Tuition may be charged per term, per course, or per credit.

Undergraduate Student – A student enrolled in a four- or five-year bachelor’s degree program, an associate’s degree program, or a vocational or technical program below the baccalaureate.

Upper Division – The courses students are generally expected to complete during the junior and senior years of a typical baccalaureate degree program and often require completion of prerequisite courses.

White/Non-Hispanic – A person having origins in any of the original peoples of Europe, North Africa, or the Middle East (except those of Hispanic origin).

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