

TABLE 3.2. *Number of Home acceptances nationally by UCAS tariff scores and gender 2003 and 2002*

2003									
UCAS Tariff Score	3 GCE A levels			4 GCE A levels			5 or more GCE A levels		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
540 and above	237	277	514	2,437	2,718	5,155	1,809	1,686	3,495
480–539	1,183	1,549	2,732	3,932	5,053	8,985	398	381	779
420–479	4,076	6,320	10,396	4,585	6,058	10,643	261	298	559
360–419	8,567	13,282	21,849	4,715	5,638	10,353	155	141	296
300–359	11,567	16,271	27,838	4,059	4,548	8,607	65	70	135
240–299	12,417	15,608	28,025	2,455	2,396	4,851	19	12	31
180–239	8,913	9,530	18,443	684	608	1,292	1	4	5
120–179	2,338	2,096	4,434	24	19	43	0	0	0
Totals	49,298	64,933	114,231	22,891	27,038	49,929	2,708	2,592	5,300

  

2002									
UCAS Tariff Score	3 GCE A levels			4 GCE A levels			5 or more GCE A levels		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
540 and above	185	225	410	2,141	2,383	4,524	1,809	1,686	3,495
480–539	939	1,185	2,124	3,837	4,549	8,386	398	381	779
420–479	3,187	4,950	8,137	4,783	5,878	10,661	261	298	559
360–419	7,189	11,229	18,418	5,001	6,138	11,139	155	141	296
300–359	11,073	15,376	26,449	4,677	5,243	9,920	65	70	135
240–299	12,748	16,025	28,773	2,994	2,953	5,947	19	12	31
180–239	9,901	10,508	20,409	844	754	1,598	1	4	5
120–179	2,713	2,524	5,237	27	30	57	0	0	0
Totals	47,935	62,022	109,957	24,304	27,928	52,232	2,708	2,592	5,300

In Table 3.2 the data includes UCAS tariff scores for students taking 3, 4 and 5 or more A level subjects, including General Studies. Please note that other qualifications students may have taken such as AS levels, Key Skills qualifications, free standing Mathematics units, and various other qualifications are included for scoring purposes. Briefly, the UCAS tariff scoring system is as follows:

A level: A = 120, B = 100, C = 80, D = 60, E = 40

AS level: A = 60, B = 50, C = 40, D = 30, E = 20.

Key Skills qualification: Level 4 = 30, Level 3 = 20, Level 2 = 10

Free standing Mathematics units: A = 20, B = 17, C = 13, D = 10, E = 7

More information about the UCAS tariff is available on the UCAS website at [www.ucas.ac.uk](http://www.ucas.ac.uk).