

TABLE 7.2 UK domiciled applicants and acceptances nationally by socio-economic classification 2008 and 2007
[Source: UCAS]

Socio-economic category	2008			2007		
	Applicants	Acceptances	Success rate (%)	Applicants	Acceptances	Success rate (%)
Higher managerial and professional occupations	70,019	60,222	86	69,275	59,888	86
Intermediate occupations	52,784	43,542	82	46,894	38,366	82
Lower managerial and professional occupations	105,030	87,415	83	99,272	82,787	83
Lower supervisory and technical occupations	15,778	12,956	82	15,232	12,474	82
Routine occupations	23,569	19,083	81	19,935	15,727	79
Semi-routine occupations	63,345	50,383	80	47,682	37,205	78
Small employers and own account workers	26,660	22,009	83	25,103	20,402	81
Unknown	101,624	101,020	99	94,079	89,723	95
Totals	458,809	396,630	86	417,472	356,572	85

This data relates to applicants (who may apply for up to five courses in their UCAS application) rather than the total number of applications made by applicants.