

TABLE 8.3 *UK domiciled applicants and acceptances nationally by ethnic origin 2009 and 2008* [Source: UCAS]

Ethnicity	2009			2008		
	Applicants	Acceptances	Success rate (%)	Applicants	Acceptances	Success rate (%)
Black Caribbean	9,144	6,383	70	8,138	5,982	74
Black African	27,543	17,643	64	22,820	15,809	69
Black Other	1,803	1,218	68	1,699	1,223	72
Indian	18,183	14,723	81	17,217	14,256	83
Pakistani	14,575	11,033	76	13,295	10,397	78
Bangladeshi	5,249	4,040	77	4,612	3,705	80
Chinese	4,246	3,434	81	4,323	3,617	84
Asian Other	8,332	5,939	71	7,087	5,311	75
Other	23,110	17,363	75	20,614	16,017	78
Unknown	18,530	17,052	92	24,783	22,664	91
White	413,570	326,235	79	377,873	306,043	81
Totals	544,285	425,063	78	502,461	405,024	81

‘White’ includes White-British, White-Irish, White-Welsh, White-Scottish and Other White background. ‘Other’ includes other mixed backgrounds and other ethnicity. Unknown includes applicants who did not declare their ethnic origin, and also includes some applicants domiciled overseas.

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.