# Table I TYPE OF SCHOOL AND MODE OF ENTRY 

|  |  |  |  | 1992 | 1991 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Applications | Mode E | Mode $N$ | Mode P | Total | Total |
| Maintained | 2,576 | 1,686 | 222 | 4,484 | 4,339 |
| Independent | 2,658 | 571 | 368 | 3,597 | 3,907 |
| Others | 330 | 591 | 664 | 1,585 | 1,460 |
|  | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Total | 5,564 | 2,848 | 1,254 | 9,666 | 9,706 |
|  | ---- | --- | --- | --- | --- |


|  |  |  | 1992 |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Acceptances | Mode E | Mode N | Mode P | Total | $\%$ | Total | $\%$ |
| Maintained | 795 | 508 | 77 | 1,380 | 43.7 | 1,362 | 42.8 |
| Independent | 1,104 | 196 | 170 | 1,470 | 46.6 | 1,549 | 48.6 |
| Others | 77 | 92 | 138 | 307 | 9.7 | 273 | 8.6 |
|  | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Total | 1,976 | 796 | 385 | 3,157 | 100 | 3,184 | 100 |
|  | --- | --- | --- | ---- | --- | --- | --- |

Acceptance rate by school: State 30.8\%; Independent 40.9\%; Others 19.4\%; Total: 32.7\%.
Acceptance rate by Mode: Mode E 35.5\%; Mode N 27.9\%; Mode P 30.7\%; Total: 32.7\%.

Table 2 NUMBER AND PERCENTAGE OF APPLICATIONS AND ACCEPTANCES OF CANDIDATES BY REGION OF DOMICILE

|  |  |  |  | Total No. of <br> Candidates accepted |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | Applications |  | Acceptances |  | through UCCA 1991 |  |

Table 3 A-LEVEL SCORES OF MODE P AND MODE N ACCEPTANCES

| UCCA | Scores of <br> Post-A Level <br> Acceptances | Scores Required <br> by Pre-A Level <br> Mode N Acceptances |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Score | 181 | 49 |
| 30 | 53 | 485 |
| 28 | 25 | 86 |
| 26 | 10 | 10 |
| 24 | 7 | - |
| 22 | 3 | - |
| 20 | - | - |
| 18 | 1 | - |
| 16 | 3 | - |
| 14 | - | - |
| 12 | - | - |
| 10 | 1 | - |
| Below 10 | -- | -- |
| Total | 284 | 630 |
| 2(EE) | - | 47 |
|  | -- | -- |
| Two As | 384 | 677 |
|  | --- | 20 |
| Total: Post-A | 318 | --- |
| Non GCE Quals. | 67 | Pre-A |
|  | -- | 99 |
| Total | 385 | --- |
|  | --- | 796 |

Included in the 181 Post-A level Acceptances with a score of 30, are 90 who either took more than 3 A levels or a combination of A and AS Level subjects and achieved a score over 30.
(The A level scoring system is as follows:
A level grade $A=10, B=8, C=6, D=4, E=2$,
AS level grade $A=5, B=4, C=3, D=2$, and $E=1$.)

## Table 3A 1992 ENTRY BY A-LEVEL SCORE

The table below gives the A-level scores achieved by those students who entered Oxford in October 1992.

2,834 of the new entrants held qualifications in three A-level subjects. 272 had completed their A levels before they applied, the remaining 2,562 gained their places before taking A levels in the summer of 1992.
(A-level grades: $\mathrm{A}=10, \mathrm{~B}=8, \mathrm{C}=6, \mathrm{D}=4, \mathrm{E}=2$ )
(AS-level grades: $\mathrm{A}=5, \mathrm{~B}=4, \mathrm{C}=3, \mathrm{D}=2, \mathrm{E}=1$ )

| A-level Score | Post-A level |  | Pre-A level |  | Total 1992 intake |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total | \% | Total | \% | Total | \% |
| AAA 30 | 171 | 62.9 | 1,438 | 56.1 | 1,609 | 56.8 |
| 28 | 51 | 18.8 | 534 | 20.8 | 585 | 20.6 |
| 26 | 22 | 8.1 | 297 | 11.6 | 319 | 11.3 |
| 24 | 14 | 5.1 | 142 | 5.6 | 156 | 5.5 |
| 22 | 3 | 1.1 | 65 | 2.5 | 68 | 2.4 |
| 20 | 3 | 1.1 | 37 | 1.5 | 40 | 1.4 |
| 18 | 2\} |  | 23\} |  | 25\} |  |
|  | \} |  | \} |  | \} |  |
| 16 | 1\} |  | 16\} |  | 17) |  |
|  | \} |  | ) |  | \} |  |
| 14 | 3) | 2.9 | 3\} | 1.9 | 61 | 2.0 |
|  | \} |  | \} |  | \} |  |
| 12 | $0\}$ |  | 4\} |  | 4\} |  |
|  | \} |  | \} |  | \} |  |
| Below 12 | 2) |  | 3\} |  | 5\} |  |
|  | ---- | --- | ---- | -- | ---- |  |
|  | 272 | 100 | 2,562 | 100 | 2,834 | 100 |
|  | ---- | --- | ---- | --- | ---- | -- |

Table 4 NUMBER AND PERCENTAGE OF ACCEPTANCES BY GCE EXAMINATION BOARD

|  | Acceptances |  | Total A level candidates 1993 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Examination Board | No. | \% | No. | \% |
| Oxford and Cambridge | 633 | 21.7 | 24,015 | 5.0 |
| Cambridge | 443 | 15.2 | 54,539 | 11.4 |
| Oxford | 205 | 7.1 | 38,812 | 8.1 |
| London | 648 | 22.2 | 94,849 | 19.8 |
| Northern (formerly JMB) | 662 | 22.7 | 87,073 | 18.2 |
| Welsh | 73 | 2.5 | 14,472 | 3.0 |
| Associated | 251 | 8.6 | 165,668 | 34.5 |
| Total | 2,915 | 100 | 479,428 | 100 |
| Scottish |  |  |  |  |
| Northern Ireland Others | 242 |  |  |  |

In Table 4 one Board is assigned to each candidate. Where candidates have taken A levels with more than one Board, they are assigned to the Board with which they took the majority of their subjects; and if candidates took the same number of A levels with each of several Boards, they are assigned to the Board first named on their form.

Table 5 NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS AND ACCEPTANCES BY FACULTY

|  | Applications |  | Acceptances |  | \% Places to Applications |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Arts | 1992 | 1991 | 1992 | 1991 | 1992 | 1991 |
| Ancient and Modern History | 54 | 77 | 18 | 25 | 33.3 | 32.5 |
| Archaeology and Anthropology | 44 | 40 | 12 | 11 | 27.3 | 27.5 |
| Classics | 196 | 261 | 122 | 152 | 62.2 | 58.2 |
| Classics and English | 22 | 29 | 6 | 11 | 27.3 | 37.9 |
| Classics and Modern Languages | 26 | 26 | 10 | 12 | 38.5 | 46.1 |
| English | 1,113 | 1,139 | 260 | 262 | 23.4 | 23.0 |
| English and Modern Languages | 89 | 110 | 21 | 19 | 23.6 | 17.3 |
| Fine Art | 175 | 168 | 20 | 20 | 11.4 | 11.9 |
| Geography | 322 | 307 | 105 | 106 | 32.6 | 34.5 |
| Law | 972 | 1,043 | 256 | 257 | 26.3 | 24.6 |
| Law with Law Studies in Europe | 254 | - | 15 | - | 5.9 | - |
| Mathematics and Philosophy | 46 | 61 | 17 | 23 | 36.9 | 37.7 |
| Modern History | 921 | 947 | 298 | 294 | 32.3 | 31.0 |
| Modern History and Economics | 35 | 43 | 2 | 5 | 5.7 | 11.6 |
| Modern History and English | 84 | 75 | 8 | 13 | 9.5 | 17.3 |
| Modern History and Modern Languages | 69 | 77 | 23 | 22 | 33.3 | 28.6 |
| Modern Languages | 469 | 546 | 225 | 207 | 48.0 | 37.9 |
| Music | 121 | 126 | 56 | 49 | 46.3 | 38.9 |
| Oriental Studies | 98 | 69 | 51 | 51 | 52.0 | 73.9 |
| Philosophy and Modern Languages | 69 | 55 | 16 | 22 | 23.2 | 40.0 |
| Philosophy and Theology | 45 | 63 | 23 | 20 | 51.1 | 31.7 |
| Physics and Philosophy | 52 | 39 | 19 | 9 | 36.5 | 23.1 |
| PPE | 998 | 989 | 309 | 283 | 30.9 | 28.6 |
| Theology | 87 | 97 | 44 | 55 | 50.6 | 56.7 |
|  | --- | --- | - | - - | - - | --- - |
| Total Arts | 6,361 | 6,387 | 1,936 | 1,928 | 30.4 | 20.1 |
|  | -- | --- | - - | --- | - - | -- - |
| Sciences |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Biochemistry | 126 | 130 | 84 | 77 | 66.7 | 59.2 |
| Biological Sciences | 173 | 247 | 97 | 104 | 56.1 | 42.1 |
| Chemistry | 353 | 375 | 188 | 193 | 53.2 | 51.5 |
| Earth Sciences (Geology) | 49 | 60 | 32 | 37 | 65.3 | 61.7 |
| Engineering Science | 304 | 256 | 124 | 113 | 40.8 | 44.1 |
| Engineering and Computer Science | 46 | 76 | 18 | 26 | 39.1 | 34.2 |
| Engineering, Economics, and Management | 93 | 123 | 18 | 32 | 19.4 | 26.0 |
| Engineering and Materials | 7 | 14 | 6 | 8 | 85.7 | 57.1 |
| Experimental Psychology | 156 | 148 | 52 | 43 | 33.3 | 29.1 |
| Human Sciences | 93 | 89 | 33 | 30 | 35.5 | 33.7 |
| Mathematics | 495 | 459 | 195 | 183 | 39.4 | 39.9 |
| Mathematics and Computation | 85 | 84 | 32 | 35 | 37.6 | 41.7 |
| Medicine | 634 | 575 | 101 | 100 | 15.9 | 17.4 |
| Metallurgy and MEM | 16 | 38 | 14 | 29 | 87.5 | 76.3 |
| Physics | 489 | 467 | 174 | 188 | 35.6 | 40.2 |
| Physiological Sciences | 37 | 37 | 12 | 19 | 32.4 | 51.3 |
| PPP | 149 | 141 | 41 | 39 | 27.5 | 27.6 |
|  | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Total Sciences | 3,305 | 3,319 | 1,221 | 1,256 | 36.9 | 37.8 |
|  | - - | ---- | - - - | - - - | - - - | - - - |
| Total | 9,666 | 9,706 | 3,157 | 3,184 | 32.7 | 32.8 |

Table 6 ACCEPTANCES BY COLLEGE CHOICE

|  | Mode E |  | Mode N |  | Mode P |  | Total |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Accepted by | Male | Female | Male | Female | Male | Female | Male | Female |
| First choice | 1,006 | 639 | 324 | 324 | 194 | 117 | 1,524 | 1,080 |
| Second choice | 71 | 68 | 26 | 30 | 21 | 8 | 118 | 106 |
| Third choice | 28 | 31 | 15 | 20 | 10 | 6 | 53 | 57 |
| Other | 68 | 65 | 28 | 29 | 19 | 10 | 115 | 104 |
|  | 1,173 | -- | -- | -- | --- | -- | --- | --- |
| Total | 1,9 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Open applicants: candidates are given the opportunity of applying to Oxford without having to name three colleges. A total of 711 submitted completely open applications, while 1,922 named one college, and 2,192 named two colleges. The missing colleges were allocated by the Admissions Office computer which took into account the application patterns produced by the candidates who had named colleges. 100 of the 711 who submitted completely open applications gained places, which is an acceptance rate of 14.1 per cent. All but two of the 29 colleges were allocated open application candidates; 9 were allocated fewer than 10 , 11 were allocated more than 20 with one receiving 114 allocated candidates and another 87.

Table 7 NUMBER AND PERCENTAGE OF HOME APPLICATIONS AND
AVERAGE A-LEVEL SCORES AND NUMBER OF ACCEPTANCES AND PERCENTAGE SUCCESS RATES AND A-LEVEL SCORES FOR 1992 ENTRY BY ETHNIC ORIGIN

|  | Applications |  |  |  | Acceptances |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | :---: |
|  | No. | $\%$ | A-Level <br> Scores | No. | Success <br> Rate $\%$ | A-Level <br> Scores |  |
| Bangladeshi | 20 | 0.2 | 23.3 | 4 | 20.0 | 26.0 |  |
| Chinese | 78 | 0.9 | 25.0 | 21 | 27.0 | 28.4 |  |
| Indian | 206 | 2.4 | 26.0 | 62 | 30.0 | 28.2 |  |
| Pakistani | 83 | 0.9 | 24.1 | 18 | 21.6 | 27.6 |  |
| Other Asian | 130 | 1.5 | 24.7 | 30 | 23.0 | 28.1 |  |
| Black | 71 | 0.8 | 22.0 | 16 | 22.5 | 23.5 |  |
| White | 7,724 | 88.2 | 26.5 | 2,590 | 33.5 | 28.4 |  |
| Other | 149 | 1.7 | 26.1 | 53 | 35.5 | 27.1 |  |
| Unknown | 295 | 3.4 | 25.3 | 81 | 27.4 | 27.6 |  |
|  | --- | --- | --- | ---- | --- | --- |  |
| Total | 8,756 | 100 | 26.3 | 2,875 | 32.8 | 28.3 |  |
|  | ---- | --- | --- | ---- | ---- | ---- |  |

Source: UCAS.

