

2006 CIRP FRESHMAN SURVEY COMPARISON GROUP REPORT

Georgia Institute of Technology  
First-time Full-time

|   | # Res-<br>pondents | Your Institution |       |       | Public Univ-hi |        |        | Private Univ-v hi |        |        |
|---|--------------------|------------------|-------|-------|----------------|--------|--------|-------------------|--------|--------|
|   |                    | Men              | Women | Total | Men            | Women  | Total  | Men               | Women  | Total  |
| <b>Number of Respondents</b>                                    |                    | 646              | 404   | 1,050 | 18,720         | 23,773 | 42,493 | 10,554            | 10,715 | 21,269 |
| <b>In what year did you graduate from high school?</b>          | 1,037              |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| 2006  |                    | 99.2             | 99.7  | 99.4  | 99.2           | 99.5   | 99.3   | 97.2              | 98.3   | 97.8   |
| 2005  |                    | 0.5              | 0.0   | 0.3   | 0.6            | 0.4    | 0.5    | 1.9               | 1.5    | 1.7    |
| 2004  |                    | 0.0              | 0.3   | 0.1   | 0.1            | 0.1    | 0.1    | 0.2               | 0.1    | 0.1    |
| 2003 or earlier   |                    | 0.2              | 0.0   | 0.1   | 0.2            | 0.0    | 0.1    | 0.6               | 0.0    | 0.3    |
| Did not graduate but passed G.E.D. test                         |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0            | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.0               | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| Never completed high school                                     |                    | 0.2              | 0.0   | 0.1   | 0.0            | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.0               | 0.1    | 0.0    |
| <b>How old will you be on December 31 of this year?</b>         | 1,035              |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| 16 or younger   |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0            | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.1               | 0.1    | 0.1    |
| 17  |                    | 1.7              | 2.5   | 2.0   | 1.4            | 2.1    | 1.8    | 2.3               | 3.5    | 2.9    |
| 18  |                    | 67.0             | 69.2  | 67.8  | 65.4           | 73.2   | 69.5   | 66.1              | 73.4   | 69.7   |
| 19  |                    | 31.0             | 27.7  | 29.8  | 32.4           | 24.2   | 28.1   | 29.6              | 22.2   | 26.0   |
| 20  |                    | 0.3              | 0.5   | 0.4   | 0.5            | 0.3    | 0.4    | 1.1               | 0.7    | 0.9    |
| 21 to 24  |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.2            | 0.1    | 0.1    | 0.8               | 0.1    | 0.5    |
| 25 to 29  |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0            | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.0               | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| 30 to 39  |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0            | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.0               | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| 40 to 54  |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0            | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.0               | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| 55 or older   |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0            | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.0               | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| <b>Are you: [1]</b>   | 992                |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| White/Caucasian   |                    | 72.4             | 76.4  | 74.0  | 73.5           | 69.6   | 71.5   | 68.2              | 65.0   | 66.6   |
| African American/Black  |                    | 5.8              | 5.7   | 5.7   | 4.9            | 7.2    | 6.1    | 6.0               | 8.0    | 7.0    |
| American Indian/Alaska Native                                   |                    | 1.2              | 2.3   | 1.6   | 1.9            | 2.2    | 2.1    | 1.3               | 1.7    | 1.5    |
| Asian American/Asian  |                    | 20.5             | 17.6  | 19.4  | 16.4           | 16.3   | 16.3   | 22.7              | 23.6   | 23.1   |
| Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander                                |                    | 1.2              | 1.3   | 1.2   | 1.3            | 1.4    | 1.4    | 0.7               | 0.6    | 0.7    |
| Mexican American/Chicano  |                    | 0.7              | 1.0   | 0.8   | 2.5            | 3.6    | 3.1    | 2.8               | 2.9    | 2.8    |
| Puerto Rican  |                    | 1.7              | 1.3   | 1.5   | 1.2            | 1.3    | 1.3    | 1.2               | 1.5    | 1.4    |
| Other Latino  |                    | 3.8              | 1.6   | 2.9   | 4.4            | 5.2    | 4.8    | 4.5               | 5.4    | 4.9    |
| Other   |                    | 2.6              | 5.2   | 3.6   | 3.4            | 3.8    | 3.6    | 3.9               | 3.6    | 3.8    |
| <b>What was your average grade in high school?</b>              | 1,034              |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| A or A+   |                    | 44.0             | 60.1  | 50.1  | 28.1           | 34.6   | 31.5   | 58.8              | 62.7   | 60.7   |
| A-  |                    | 31.7             | 28.2  | 30.4  | 30.5           | 33.3   | 32.0   | 29.9              | 28.9   | 29.4   |
| B+  |                    | 17.6             | 8.4   | 14.1  | 22.1           | 19.7   | 20.9   | 8.8               | 6.9    | 7.9    |
| B   |                    | 5.8              | 3.3   | 4.8   | 15.1           | 10.7   | 12.8   | 2.2               | 1.2    | 1.7    |
| B-  |                    | 0.6              | 0.0   | 0.4   | 3.2            | 1.4    | 2.3    | 0.3               | 0.1    | 0.2    |
| C+  |                    | 0.2              | 0.0   | 0.1   | 0.8            | 0.3    | 0.5    | 0.0               | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| C   |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.2            | 0.1    | 0.2    | 0.0               | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| D   |                    | 0.2              | 0.0   | 0.1   | 0.0            | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.0               | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| <b>How many miles is this college from your permanent home?</b> | 1,026              |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |

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|   |                    | Men              | Women | Total | Men            | Women  | Total  | Men               | Women  | Total  |
| <b>Number of Respondents</b>                            |                    | 646              | 404   | 1,050 | 18,720         | 23,773 | 42,493 | 10,554            | 10,715 | 21,269 |
| 5 or less   |                    | 0.8              | 0.8   | 0.8   | 2.3            | 2.3    | 2.3    | 1.7               | 1.9    | 1.8    |
| 6 to 10   |                    | 1.1              | 3.6   | 2.0   | 2.7            | 2.7    | 2.7    | 2.1               | 2.1    | 2.1    |
| 11 to 50  |                    | 39.2             | 54.0  | 44.8  | 18.9           | 17.4   | 18.1   | 8.0               | 8.3    | 8.2    |
| 51 to 100   |                    | 10.5             | 9.0   | 9.9   | 18.5           | 18.1   | 18.3   | 4.7               | 5.4    | 5.1    |
| 101 to 500  |                    | 19.0             | 15.4  | 17.6  | 48.5           | 48.5   | 48.5   | 33.8              | 31.9   | 32.9   |
| Over 500  |                    | 29.4             | 17.2  | 24.8  | 9.0            | 10.9   | 10.0   | 49.7              | 50.4   | 50.0   |
| <b>Is English your native language?</b>                 | 1,030              |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Yes   |                    | 86.1             | 90.6  | 87.8  | 88.6           | 87.2   | 87.9   | 84.1              | 84.2   | 84.1   |
| No  |                    | 13.9             | 9.4   | 12.2  | 11.4           | 12.8   | 12.1   | 15.9              | 15.8   | 15.9   |

[1] Percentages will add to more than 100.0 if any student marked more than one category.

|  |       |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
|--|-------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| <b>Citizenship status</b>  | 1,049 |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
| U.S. citizen   |       | 90.7 | 92.1 | 91.2 | 95.4 | 95.7 | 95.6 | 88.7 | 89.9 | 89.3 |
| Permanent resident (green card)  |       | 4.3  | 5.4  | 4.8  | 3.5  | 3.3  | 3.4  | 3.8  | 4.2  | 4.0  |
| Neither  |       | 5.0  | 2.5  | 4.0  | 1.0  | 1.0  | 1.0  | 7.4  | 5.9  | 6.7  |
| <b>What is your <u>best estimate</u> of your parents' total income last year? Consider income from all sources before taxes</b>        | 923   |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
| Less than \$10,000   |       | 1.9  | 1.7  | 1.8  | 1.9  | 2.8  | 2.3  | 1.8  | 2.1  | 1.9  |
| \$10,000 to \$14,999   |       | 1.4  | 0.8  | 1.2  | 1.9  | 2.6  | 2.2  | 1.4  | 1.6  | 1.5  |
| \$15,000 to \$19,999   |       | 1.4  | 0.8  | 1.2  | 1.8  | 2.4  | 2.1  | 1.3  | 1.6  | 1.4  |
| \$20,000 to \$24,999   |       | 1.6  | 1.4  | 1.5  | 2.6  | 3.1  | 2.9  | 1.6  | 1.7  | 1.6  |
| \$25,000 to \$29,999   |       | 1.9  | 2.5  | 2.2  | 2.4  | 3.0  | 2.7  | 1.8  | 1.9  | 1.9  |
| \$30,000 to \$39,999   |       | 2.6  | 5.9  | 3.9  | 4.3  | 6.3  | 5.3  | 3.1  | 3.9  | 3.5  |
| \$40,000 to \$49,999   |       | 5.3  | 5.7  | 5.4  | 5.5  | 6.8  | 6.2  | 3.7  | 4.3  | 4.0  |
| \$50,000 to \$59,999   |       | 8.9  | 9.1  | 9.0  | 7.4  | 7.4  | 7.4  | 4.7  | 5.1  | 4.9  |
| \$60,000 to \$74,999   |       | 8.4  | 9.6  | 8.9  | 10.4 | 10.9 | 10.6 | 6.8  | 7.4  | 7.1  |
| \$75,000 to \$99,999   |       | 15.6 | 13.0 | 14.6 | 15.5 | 14.4 | 14.9 | 12.1 | 11.7 | 11.9 |
| \$100,000 to \$149,999   |       | 23.3 | 21.5 | 22.6 | 22.2 | 19.0 | 20.5 | 20.7 | 18.5 | 19.6 |
| \$150,000 to \$199,999   |       | 10.9 | 11.0 | 10.9 | 9.8  | 8.5  | 9.1  | 11.1 | 10.6 | 10.9 |
| \$200,000 to \$249,999   |       | 5.3  | 8.2  | 6.4  | 5.2  | 4.7  | 4.9  | 8.3  | 8.0  | 8.2  |
| \$250,000 or more  |       | 11.4 | 8.5  | 10.3 | 9.3  | 8.2  | 8.8  | 21.5 | 21.6 | 21.5 |
| <b>How many individuals in your household are dependent on your parents for financial support? (include yourself and your parents)</b> | 1,023 |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
| One  |       | 9.6  | 7.3  | 8.7  | 8.5  | 6.1  | 7.2  | 5.3  | 3.8  | 4.6  |
| Two  |       | 16.6 | 12.9 | 15.2 | 19.0 | 15.9 | 17.4 | 13.9 | 11.4 | 12.7 |
| Three  |       | 21.2 | 22.5 | 21.7 | 22.3 | 22.1 | 22.2 | 20.6 | 21.1 | 20.8 |
| Four   |       | 32.1 | 33.8 | 32.7 | 30.3 | 33.0 | 31.8 | 35.9 | 37.6 | 36.7 |
| Five   |       | 14.2 | 17.2 | 15.3 | 14.1 | 15.7 | 14.9 | 16.5 | 17.9 | 17.2 |

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| <b>Number of Respondents</b>   |                    | 646              | 404   | 1,050 | 18,720         | 23,773 | 42,493 | 10,554            | 10,715 | 21,269 |
| Six or more  |                    | 6.4              | 6.3   | 6.4   | 5.8            | 7.2    | 6.5    | 7.9               | 8.3    | 8.1    |
| <b>WHAT IS THE HIGHEST LEVEL OF FORMAL<br/>EDUCATION OBTAINED BY YOUR PARENTS?</b> |                    |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| <b>Father</b>  | 1,010              |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Grammar school or less   |                    | 1.5              | 1.0   | 1.3   | 2.4            | 3.6    | 3.0    | 1.1               | 1.1    | 1.1    |
| Some high school   |                    | 1.9              | 1.3   | 1.7   | 3.0            | 3.8    | 3.4    | 1.5               | 1.6    | 1.6    |
| High school graduate   |                    | 7.9              | 9.2   | 8.4   | 13.8           | 15.0   | 14.4   | 5.8               | 5.5    | 5.6    |
| Postsecondary school other than college  |                    | 2.4              | 3.3   | 2.8   | 2.9            | 3.1    | 3.0    | 1.4               | 1.5    | 1.4    |
| Some college   |                    | 9.7              | 9.9   | 9.8   | 12.2           | 13.2   | 12.7   | 6.3               | 6.5    | 6.4    |
| College degree   |                    | 38.7             | 32.4  | 36.2  | 32.0           | 30.2   | 31.0   | 26.0              | 24.0   | 25.0   |
| Some graduate school   |                    | 3.1              | 5.9   | 4.2   | 2.6            | 2.9    | 2.7    | 3.8               | 3.8    | 3.8    |
| Graduate degree  |                    | 34.8             | 37.0  | 35.6  | 31.2           | 28.3   | 29.7   | 54.1              | 56.0   | 55.0   |
| <b>Mother</b>  | 1,007              |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Grammar school or less   |                    | 1.1              | 0.5   | 0.9   | 2.3            | 3.4    | 2.8    | 1.0               | 0.9    | 1.0    |
| Some high school   |                    | 1.8              | 1.0   | 1.5   | 2.5            | 3.0    | 2.8    | 1.2               | 1.4    | 1.3    |
| High school graduate   |                    | 10.3             | 12.2  | 11.0  | 14.7           | 14.5   | 14.6   | 6.8               | 6.5    | 6.6    |
| Postsecondary school other than college  |                    | 2.8              | 2.5   | 2.7   | 3.5            | 3.8    | 3.7    | 2.2               | 2.4    | 2.3    |
| Some college   |                    | 14.2             | 14.0  | 14.1  | 14.3           | 15.1   | 14.7   | 7.7               | 8.0    | 7.9    |
| College degree   |                    | 44.6             | 41.7  | 43.5  | 37.4           | 35.5   | 36.4   | 37.7              | 34.6   | 36.2   |
| Some graduate school   |                    | 2.1              | 4.8   | 3.2   | 3.6            | 3.6    | 3.6    | 4.9               | 5.0    | 5.0    |
| Graduate degree  |                    | 23.1             | 23.2  | 23.1  | 21.6           | 21.1   | 21.3   | 38.5              | 41.2   | 39.8   |
| <b>Are your parents?</b>   | 1,045              |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Both alive and living with each other  |                    | 81.1             | 80.0  | 80.7  | 76.5           | 72.7   | 74.5   | 84.1              | 81.5   | 82.8   |
| Both alive, divorced or living apart   |                    | 16.8             | 18.2  | 17.3  | 20.4           | 23.8   | 22.2   | 13.4              | 15.8   | 14.6   |
| One or both deceased   |                    | 2.2              | 1.7   | 2.0   | 3.0            | 3.5    | 3.3    | 2.5               | 2.7    | 2.6    |
| <b>Father's occupation [2]</b>   | 990                |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Artist   |                    | 0.8              | 1.3   | 1.0   | 1.1            | 1.2    | 1.1    | 1.6               | 1.8    | 1.7    |
| Business   |                    | 33.3             | 34.2  | 33.6  | 32.1           | 30.1   | 31.0   | 33.3              | 29.9   | 31.6   |
| Business (clerical)  |                    | 0.3              | 0.8   | 0.5   | 1.2            | 1.0    | 1.1    | 1.0               | 0.7    | 0.8    |
| Clergy   |                    | 0.8              | 1.0   | 0.9   | 0.7            | 0.7    | 0.7    | 0.6               | 0.5    | 0.6    |
| College teacher  |                    | 1.7              | 2.3   | 1.9   | 1.0            | 0.9    | 0.9    | 3.0               | 3.1    | 3.1    |
| Doctor (MD or DDS)   |                    | 5.0              | 5.2   | 5.1   | 4.5            | 4.1    | 4.3    | 10.4              | 10.9   | 10.6   |
| Education (secondary)  |                    | 1.5              | 1.0   | 1.3   | 2.2            | 2.1    | 2.2    | 2.4               | 2.2    | 2.3    |
| Education (elementary)   |                    | 0.5              | 0.3   | 0.4   | 0.8            | 0.6    | 0.7    | 0.5               | 0.4    | 0.5    |
| Engineer   |                    | 18.2             | 19.9  | 18.9  | 9.9            | 9.7    | 9.8    | 9.8               | 10.8   | 10.3   |
| Farmer or forester   |                    | 0.8              | 0.3   | 0.6   | 2.0            | 1.4    | 1.7    | 0.6               | 0.6    | 0.6    |
| Health professional  |                    | 0.2              | 1.3   | 0.6   | 1.9            | 1.7    | 1.8    | 1.3               | 1.3    | 1.3    |
| Homemaker (full-time)  |                    | 0.5              | 0.0   | 0.3   | 0.3            | 0.2    | 0.2    | 0.2               | 0.2    | 0.2    |
| Lawyer   |                    | 2.0              | 2.3   | 2.1   | 3.5            | 3.3    | 3.4    | 7.2               | 8.0    | 7.6    |
| Military (career)  |                    | 2.5              | 3.4   | 2.8   | 1.1            | 1.4    | 1.3    | 0.8               | 0.6    | 0.7    |
| Nurse  |                    | 0.3              | 0.0   | 0.2   | 0.5            | 0.5    | 0.5    | 0.3               | 0.3    | 0.3    |
| Research scientist   |                    | 2.3              | 1.0   | 1.8   | 1.1            | 1.1    | 1.1    | 2.8               | 2.8    | 2.8    |

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| <b>Number of Respondents</b>                            |                    | 646              | 404   | 1,050 | 18,720         | 23,773 | 42,493 | 10,554            | 10,715 | 21,269 |
| Social, welfare, or recreation worker                   |                    | 0.2              | 0.3   | 0.2   | 0.6            | 0.5    | 0.6    | 0.6               | 0.6    | 0.6    |
| Skilled worker  |                    | 4.8              | 3.1   | 4.1   | 6.1            | 5.8    | 5.9    | 2.8               | 2.9    | 2.8    |
| Semi-skilled worker                                     |                    | 1.7              | 1.3   | 1.5   | 2.5            | 2.4    | 2.5    | 1.5               | 1.7    | 1.6    |
| Unskilled worker  |                    | 1.0              | 0.5   | 0.8   | 2.1            | 2.4    | 2.2    | 1.2               | 0.9    | 1.0    |
| Unemployed  |                    | 1.0              | 0.0   | 0.6   | 1.9            | 2.6    | 2.2    | 1.4               | 1.7    | 1.6    |
| Other   |                    | 20.7             | 20.5  | 20.6  | 22.9           | 26.3   | 24.7   | 16.8              | 18.2   | 17.5   |
| <b>Mother's occupation [2]</b>                          | 995                |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Artist  |                    | 3.3              | 1.6   | 2.6   | 2.2            | 2.1    | 2.2    | 3.2               | 3.4    | 3.3    |
| Business  |                    | 19.4             | 22.3  | 20.5  | 17.6           | 17.7   | 17.7   | 14.9              | 15.9   | 15.4   |
| Business (clerical)                                     |                    | 3.8              | 3.6   | 3.7   | 4.5            | 4.5    | 4.5    | 3.0               | 3.1    | 3.0    |
| Clergy  |                    | 0.2              | 0.0   | 0.1   | 0.2            | 0.2    | 0.2    | 0.3               | 0.2    | 0.3    |
| College teacher   |                    | 0.0              | 0.8   | 0.3   | 0.6            | 0.6    | 0.6    | 1.6               | 1.8    | 1.7    |
| Doctor (MD or DDS)                                      |                    | 2.8              | 0.8   | 2.0   | 1.9            | 1.5    | 1.7    | 4.7               | 4.8    | 4.7    |
| Education (secondary)                                   |                    | 4.6              | 3.9   | 4.3   | 5.3            | 5.0    | 5.2    | 5.7               | 5.2    | 5.5    |
| Education (elementary)                                  |                    | 8.2              | 8.3   | 8.2   | 9.1            | 8.1    | 8.6    | 6.8               | 6.2    | 6.5    |
| Engineer  |                    | 2.6              | 3.6   | 3.0   | 1.1            | 1.2    | 1.2    | 1.6               | 2.0    | 1.8    |
| Farmer or forester                                      |                    | 0.2              | 0.0   | 0.1   | 0.3            | 0.2    | 0.3    | 0.2               | 0.2    | 0.2    |
| Health professional                                     |                    | 3.6              | 2.8   | 3.3   | 3.6            | 4.0    | 3.8    | 3.5               | 3.7    | 3.6    |
| Homemaker (full-time)                                   |                    | 15.1             | 14.8  | 15.0  | 9.3            | 10.3   | 9.8    | 15.5              | 15.2   | 15.4   |
| Lawyer  |                    | 1.3              | 0.8   | 1.1   | 1.2            | 1.2    | 1.2    | 3.4               | 4.0    | 3.7    |
| Military (career)                                       |                    | 0.0              | 0.8   | 0.3   | 0.1            | 0.1    | 0.1    | 0.1               | 0.1    | 0.1    |
| Nurse   |                    | 7.4              | 5.4   | 6.6   | 8.6            | 8.3    | 8.4    | 5.8               | 5.3    | 5.6    |
| Research scientist                                      |                    | 0.7              | 0.5   | 0.6   | 0.6            | 0.6    | 0.6    | 1.6               | 1.8    | 1.7    |
| Social, welfare, or recreation worker                   |                    | 1.3              | 1.0   | 1.2   | 1.9            | 1.8    | 1.8    | 1.7               | 1.9    | 1.8    |
| Skilled worker  |                    | 1.3              | 0.8   | 1.1   | 1.6            | 1.4    | 1.5    | 0.9               | 0.8    | 0.8    |
| Semi-skilled worker                                     |                    | 1.3              | 0.8   | 1.1   | 2.0            | 1.6    | 1.8    | 1.1               | 1.1    | 1.1    |
| Unskilled worker  |                    | 0.5              | 0.3   | 0.4   | 1.5            | 1.5    | 1.5    | 0.8               | 0.9    | 0.9    |
| Unemployed  |                    | 7.2              | 3.9   | 5.9   | 5.5            | 4.9    | 5.2    | 6.0               | 4.8    | 5.4    |
| Other   |                    | 15.3             | 23.3  | 18.4  | 21.2           | 23.1   | 22.2   | 17.3              | 17.4   | 17.4   |

[2] Reorganization of this item from a longer list is shown in Appendix C of "The American Freshman: National Norms for Fall 2006."

| <b>PARENTS' CURRENT RELIGIOUS PREFERENCE</b> | 977 |      |      |      |     |     |     |      |      |      |
|--|-----|------|------|------|-----|-----|-----|------|------|------|
| <b>Father</b>                                |     |      |      |      |     |     |     |      |      |      |
| Baptist                                      |     | 16.0 | 13.9 | 15.1 | 7.3 | 7.9 | 7.6 | 4.0  | 4.2  | 4.1  |
| Buddhist                                     |     | 2.9  | 2.1  | 2.6  | 3.1 | 3.5 | 3.3 | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.6  |
| Church of Christ                             |     | 1.8  | 0.5  | 1.3  | 2.8 | 2.1 | 2.4 | 1.3  | 1.0  | 1.1  |
| Eastern Orthodox                             |     | 1.2  | 0.8  | 1.0  | 0.9 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1.2  | 1.3  | 1.2  |
| Episcopalian                                 |     | 3.2  | 3.1  | 3.2  | 2.0 | 2.3 | 2.1 | 2.7  | 3.3  | 3.0  |
| Hindu  |     | 4.2  | 3.7  | 4.0  | 2.1 | 1.8 | 2.0 | 4.0  | 3.1  | 3.6  |
| Islamic                                      |     | 1.8  | 2.1  | 1.9  | 1.4 | 1.3 | 1.4 | 1.9  | 1.8  | 1.8  |
| Jewish                                       |     | 2.2  | 2.4  | 2.3  | 6.6 | 5.8 | 6.2 | 14.2 | 13.8 | 14.0 |
| LDS (Mormon)                                 |     | 0.2  | 0.3  | 0.2  | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.3  | 0.3  | 0.3  |

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| Georgia Institute of Technology<br>First-time Full-time      | # Res-<br>pondents | Your Institution |       |       | Public Univ-hi |        |        | Private Univ-v hi |        |        |
|--|--------------------|------------------|-------|-------|----------------|--------|--------|-------------------|--------|--------|
|  |                    | Men              | Women | Total | Men            | Women  | Total  | Men               | Women  | Total  |
| <b>Number of Respondents</b>                                 |                    | 646              | 404   | 1,050 | 18,720         | 23,773 | 42,493 | 10,554            | 10,715 | 21,269 |
| Lutheran   |                    | 3.0              | 1.8   | 2.6   | 4.4            | 3.8    | 4.1    | 2.5               | 2.4    | 2.5    |
| Methodist  |                    | 9.7              | 13.6  | 11.3  | 6.1            | 6.1    | 6.1    | 4.0               | 3.9    | 3.9    |
| Presbyterian   |                    | 6.9              | 6.3   | 6.7   | 4.8            | 5.1    | 4.9    | 5.3               | 5.2    | 5.3    |
| Quaker   |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.2            | 0.2    | 0.2    | 0.2               | 0.3    | 0.2    |
| Roman Catholic   |                    | 19.7             | 21.5  | 20.4  | 27.5           | 27.7   | 27.6   | 26.6              | 25.2   | 25.9   |
| Seventh Day Adventist  |                    | 0.2              | 0.3   | 0.2   | 0.2            | 0.3    | 0.2    | 0.2               | 0.2    | 0.2    |
| United Church of Christ/Congregational                       |                    | 0.5              | 0.0   | 0.3   | 0.9            | 0.9    | 0.9    | 0.8               | 0.8    | 0.8    |
| Other Christian  |                    | 9.6              | 10.7  | 10.0  | 10.2           | 9.8    | 10.0   | 6.9               | 7.0    | 6.9    |
| Other Religion   |                    | 0.8              | 1.3   | 1.0   | 2.1            | 2.0    | 2.0    | 1.9               | 1.9    | 1.9    |
| None   |                    | 16.1             | 15.7  | 16.0  | 17.5           | 18.0   | 17.7   | 19.5              | 21.9   | 20.7   |
| <b>Mother</b>  | 977                |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Baptist  |                    | 16.6             | 14.7  | 15.9  | 7.6            | 8.3    | 7.9    | 3.9               | 4.8    | 4.3    |
| Buddhist   |                    | 2.5              | 1.8   | 2.3   | 3.3            | 3.9    | 3.6    | 3.0               | 2.8    | 2.9    |
| Church of Christ   |                    | 1.8              | 0.8   | 1.4   | 3.1            | 2.4    | 2.7    | 1.6               | 1.2    | 1.4    |
| Eastern Orthodox   |                    | 1.0              | 0.8   | 0.9   | 1.0            | 1.1    | 1.0    | 1.3               | 1.4    | 1.3    |
| Episcopalian   |                    | 3.5              | 3.1   | 3.4   | 2.1            | 2.5    | 2.3    | 2.9               | 3.9    | 3.4    |
| Hindu  |                    | 4.5              | 3.7   | 4.2   | 2.1            | 1.7    | 1.9    | 4.0               | 3.1    | 3.5    |
| Islamic  |                    | 1.5              | 1.6   | 1.5   | 1.2            | 1.1    | 1.1    | 1.7               | 1.6    | 1.6    |
| Jewish   |                    | 2.5              | 2.4   | 2.5   | 6.4            | 5.4    | 5.9    | 14.0              | 12.9   | 13.5   |
| LDS (Mormon)   |                    | 0.5              | 0.0   | 0.3   | 0.3            | 0.3    | 0.3    | 0.3               | 0.2    | 0.3    |
| Lutheran   |                    | 3.7              | 3.1   | 3.5   | 4.6            | 3.8    | 4.2    | 2.8               | 2.5    | 2.7    |
| Methodist  |                    | 9.9              | 16.0  | 12.3  | 6.5            | 7.2    | 6.9    | 4.3               | 4.4    | 4.3    |
| Presbyterian   |                    | 7.4              | 6.3   | 7.0   | 5.3            | 5.3    | 5.3    | 5.9               | 5.6    | 5.8    |
| Quaker   |                    | 0.2              | 0.3   | 0.2   | 0.2            | 0.2    | 0.2    | 0.2               | 0.4    | 0.3    |
| Roman Catholic   |                    | 23.2             | 21.5  | 22.5  | 29.8           | 30.1   | 30.0   | 28.7              | 27.6   | 28.2   |
| Seventh Day Adventist  |                    | 0.3              | 0.0   | 0.2   | 0.3            | 0.4    | 0.3    | 0.2               | 0.3    | 0.3    |
| United Church of Christ/Congregational                       |                    | 0.3              | 0.3   | 0.3   | 1.0            | 1.1    | 1.0    | 1.0               | 1.0    | 1.0    |
| Other Christian  |                    | 10.3             | 11.8  | 10.8  | 10.8           | 10.9   | 10.9   | 7.5               | 8.4    | 8.0    |
| Other Religion   |                    | 0.5              | 2.1   | 1.1   | 1.9            | 2.2    | 2.1    | 2.2               | 1.9    | 2.1    |
| None   |                    | 9.6              | 9.9   | 9.7   | 12.5           | 12.2   | 12.3   | 14.5              | 16.0   | 15.2   |
| <b>HOW WOULD YOU DESCRIBE THE RACIAL COMPOSITION OF THE:</b> |                    |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| <b>High school you last attended</b>                         | 1,033              |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Completely non-White   |                    | 1.4              | 1.0   | 1.3   | 2.0            | 2.5    | 2.2    | 3.1               | 2.5    | 2.8    |
| Mostly non-White   |                    | 10.1             | 6.0   | 8.5   | 12.8           | 14.6   | 13.7   | 8.8               | 9.6    | 9.2    |
| Roughly half non-White                                       |                    | 28.7             | 29.4  | 28.9  | 24.9           | 26.7   | 25.8   | 20.5              | 21.8   | 21.1   |
| Mostly White   |                    | 54.6             | 57.5  | 55.8  | 52.3           | 49.0   | 50.6   | 58.9              | 58.7   | 58.8   |
| Completely White   |                    | 5.2              | 6.0   | 5.5   | 8.1            | 7.2    | 7.7    | 8.7               | 7.4    | 8.0    |
| <b>Neighborhood where you grew up</b>                        | 992                |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Completely non-White   |                    | 3.9              | 2.9   | 3.5   | 3.6            | 4.2    | 3.9    | 5.8               | 5.3    | 5.5    |
| Mostly non-White   |                    | 8.2              | 5.3   | 7.1   | 9.9            | 10.8   | 10.4   | 7.9               | 8.6    | 8.2    |
| Roughly half non-White                                       |                    | 13.9             | 10.5  | 12.6  | 13.5           | 13.9   | 13.7   | 10.9              | 12.0   | 11.4   |

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|---|--------------------|------------------|-------|-------|----------------|--------|--------|-------------------|--------|--------|
|   |                    | Men              | Women | Total | Men            | Women  | Total  | Men               | Women  | Total  |
| <b>Number of Respondents</b>  |                    | 646              | 404   | 1,050 | 18,720         | 23,773 | 42,493 | 10,554            | 10,715 | 21,269 |
| Mostly White  |                    | 57.7             | 66.1  | 60.9  | 52.1           | 50.7   | 51.3   | 55.3              | 56.2   | 55.7   |
| Completely White  |                    | 16.3             | 15.3  | 15.9  | 20.9           | 20.4   | 20.6   | 20.1              | 18.0   | 19.1   |
| <b>Your current religious preference</b>  | 1,007              |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Baptist   |                    | 12.3             | 13.9  | 12.9  | 6.8            | 8.1    | 7.5    | 3.2               | 3.9    | 3.6    |
| Buddhist  |                    | 1.1              | 0.8   | 1.0   | 2.0            | 2.3    | 2.2    | 1.6               | 1.4    | 1.5    |
| Church of Christ  |                    | 1.8              | 0.8   | 1.4   | 2.5            | 2.2    | 2.4    | 1.1               | 0.9    | 1.0    |
| Eastern Orthodox  |                    | 0.6              | 0.8   | 0.7   | 0.7            | 0.8    | 0.8    | 0.9               | 1.1    | 1.0    |
| Episcopalian  |                    | 2.4              | 2.6   | 2.5   | 1.5            | 1.9    | 1.7    | 2.1               | 2.9    | 2.5    |
| Hindu   |                    | 4.0              | 3.4   | 3.8   | 1.7            | 1.5    | 1.6    | 3.4               | 2.7    | 3.0    |
| Islamic   |                    | 1.5              | 1.0   | 1.3   | 1.1            | 1.0    | 1.0    | 1.5               | 1.3    | 1.4    |
| Jewish  |                    | 2.3              | 2.3   | 2.3   | 5.4            | 4.8    | 5.1    | 12.4              | 12.4   | 12.4   |
| LDS (Mormon)  |                    | 0.2              | 0.0   | 0.1   | 0.2            | 0.2    | 0.2    | 0.3               | 0.2    | 0.3    |
| Lutheran  |                    | 2.3              | 1.5   | 2.0   | 3.7            | 3.1    | 3.4    | 1.9               | 1.7    | 1.8    |
| Methodist   |                    | 7.6              | 13.1  | 9.7   | 5.2            | 5.9    | 5.6    | 3.4               | 3.4    | 3.4    |
| Presbyterian  |                    | 5.8              | 5.9   | 5.9   | 4.2            | 4.7    | 4.5    | 4.6               | 4.6    | 4.6    |
| Quaker  |                    | 0.2              | 0.0   | 0.1   | 0.2            | 0.2    | 0.2    | 0.3               | 0.3    | 0.3    |
| Roman Catholic  |                    | 17.1             | 16.0  | 16.7  | 24.3           | 25.5   | 24.9   | 24.1              | 23.7   | 23.9   |
| Seventh Day Adventist   |                    | 0.3              | 0.0   | 0.2   | 0.2            | 0.3    | 0.3    | 0.2               | 0.2    | 0.2    |
| United Church of Christ/Congregational  |                    | 0.3              | 0.0   | 0.2   | 0.7            | 0.9    | 0.8    | 0.7               | 0.8    | 0.8    |
| Other Christian   |                    | 12.1             | 13.9  | 12.8  | 10.2           | 11.3   | 10.8   | 6.8               | 7.8    | 7.3    |
| Other Religion  |                    | 2.6              | 4.1   | 3.2   | 2.6            | 2.8    | 2.7    | 2.8               | 2.5    | 2.7    |
| None  |                    | 25.5             | 19.8  | 23.3  | 26.6           | 22.5   | 24.4   | 28.6              | 28.2   | 28.4   |
| <b>Student rated self "above average" or "highest 10%" as compared with the average person of his/her age in:</b> |                    |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Academic ability  | 1,007              | 91.5             | 91.3  | 91.5  | 85.8           | 80.0   | 82.8   | 95.8              | 93.8   | 94.8   |
| Artistic ability  | 1,009              | 33.0             | 36.9  | 34.5  | 28.4           | 32.1   | 30.3   | 33.3              | 41.3   | 37.2   |
| Computer skills   | 1,007              | 58.0             | 24.2  | 44.8  | 52.9           | 28.7   | 40.2   | 57.6              | 28.4   | 43.2   |
| Cooperativeness   | 1,008              | 71.6             | 68.1  | 70.2  | 74.2           | 76.1   | 75.2   | 75.8              | 76.3   | 76.0   |
| Creativity  | 1,008              | 56.6             | 56.2  | 56.4  | 57.7           | 56.3   | 57.0   | 64.7              | 63.8   | 64.2   |
| Drive to achieve  | 1,007              | 73.7             | 83.7  | 77.6  | 73.4           | 81.5   | 77.6   | 86.5              | 91.0   | 88.7   |
| Emotional health  | 1,006              | 63.2             | 54.3  | 59.7  | 65.3           | 53.7   | 59.2   | 67.8              | 57.3   | 62.6   |
| Leadership ability  | 1,004              | 62.6             | 61.7  | 62.3  | 64.6           | 61.7   | 63.1   | 73.4              | 71.0   | 72.2   |
| Mathematical ability  | 1,005              | 84.7             | 69.1  | 78.6  | 65.9           | 46.4   | 55.7   | 81.6              | 65.9   | 73.9   |
| Physical health   | 1,002              | 62.0             | 49.4  | 57.1  | 67.5           | 50.1   | 58.4   | 68.4              | 55.8   | 62.2   |
| Public speaking ability   | 1,002              | 37.9             | 36.9  | 37.5  | 42.6           | 38.4   | 40.4   | 56.5              | 51.7   | 54.1   |
| Religiousness   | 1,003              | 30.6             | 35.0  | 32.3  | 25.6           | 28.9   | 27.4   | 28.2              | 28.2   | 28.2   |
| Self-confidence (intellectual)  | 1,003              | 73.3             | 60.4  | 68.3  | 73.3           | 57.7   | 65.1   | 82.8              | 68.5   | 75.7   |
| Self-confidence (social)  | 1,005              | 45.0             | 44.1  | 44.7  | 57.2           | 51.0   | 53.9   | 55.1              | 50.4   | 52.8   |
| Self-understanding  | 1,002              | 58.7             | 57.7  | 58.3  | 64.7           | 57.7   | 61.0   | 69.3              | 64.1   | 66.8   |
| Spirituality  | 1,005              | 36.7             | 39.3  | 37.7  | 34.7           | 37.1   | 36.0   | 38.3              | 38.7   | 38.5   |
| Understanding of others   | 1,006              | 60.5             | 60.3  | 60.4  | 66.3           | 71.0   | 68.7   | 69.6              | 73.5   | 71.5   |

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|--|--------------------|------------------|-------|-------|----------------|--------|--------|-------------------|--------|--------|
|  |                    | Men              | Women | Total | Men            | Women  | Total  | Men               | Women  | Total  |
| <b>Number of Respondents</b>   |                    | 646              | 404   | 1,050 | 18,720         | 23,773 | 42,493 | 10,554            | 10,715 | 21,269 |
| Writing ability  | 1,004              | 48.0             | 57.4  | 51.7  | 51.0           | 53.8   | 52.5   | 65.7              | 68.6   | 67.1   |
| <b>During high school (grades 9-12) how many years did you study each of the following subjects? [3]</b> |                    |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| English (4 years)  | 1,044              | 97.7             | 98.8  | 98.1  | 98.5           | 99.0   | 98.8   | 98.1              | 98.7   | 98.4   |
| Mathematics (3 years)  | 1,038              | 99.5             | 99.2  | 99.4  | 99.3           | 99.2   | 99.3   | 99.5              | 99.5   | 99.5   |
| Foreign Language (2 years)   | 1,036              | 95.3             | 97.5  | 96.1  | 95.7           | 96.7   | 96.2   | 97.6              | 98.5   | 98.0   |
| Physical Science (2 years)   | 1,014              | 69.8             | 54.5  | 63.9  | 70.9           | 63.1   | 66.9   | 80.8              | 73.1   | 77.0   |
| Biological Science (2 years)   | 1,024              | 33.6             | 44.2  | 37.7  | 50.0           | 55.7   | 53.0   | 51.0              | 58.3   | 54.6   |
| History/Am. Govt. (1 year)   | 1,026              | 97.8             | 100.0 | 98.6  | 99.1           | 99.1   | 99.1   | 98.9              | 99.1   | 99.0   |
| Computer Science (1/2 year)  | 1,017              | 58.4             | 36.8  | 50.1  | 60.8           | 48.4   | 54.4   | 53.6              | 42.0   | 47.9   |
| Arts and/or Music (1 year)   | 1,014              | 69.1             | 80.0  | 73.3  | 75.5           | 84.7   | 80.3   | 80.8              | 88.6   | 84.6   |

[3] Based on the recommendations of the National Commission on Excellence in Education.

| <b>Indicate which activities you did during the past year</b> |       |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
|---|-------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Attended a religious service                                  | 1,023 | 73.5 | 80.3 | 76.1 | 71.1 | 75.6 | 73.5 | 71.7 | 73.4 | 72.5 |
| Was bored in class [4]  | 1,021 | 48.1 | 48.1 | 48.1 | 45.8 | 41.4 | 43.5 | 41.9 | 37.0 | 39.5 |
| Participated in organized demonstrations                      | 1,013 | 32.1 | 35.6 | 33.5 | 41.9 | 47.3 | 44.8 | 33.3 | 36.0 | 34.7 |
| Tutored another student                                       | 1,022 | 69.5 | 78.5 | 73.0 | 59.0 | 64.9 | 62.1 | 75.8 | 78.0 | 76.9 |
| Studied with other students                                   | 1,023 | 85.5 | 90.4 | 87.4 | 84.7 | 91.6 | 88.3 | 88.5 | 93.5 | 90.9 |
| Was a guest in a teacher's home                               | 1,022 | 22.4 | 22.9 | 22.6 | 21.1 | 21.4 | 21.3 | 30.8 | 32.8 | 31.8 |
| Smoked cigarettes [4]   | 1,024 | 1.8  | 2.0  | 1.9  | 4.0  | 3.1  | 3.5  | 2.0  | 1.8  | 1.9  |
| Drank beer  | 1,021 | 36.5 | 33.5 | 35.4 | 47.4 | 37.5 | 42.2 | 49.0 | 38.4 | 43.8 |
| Drank wine or liquor  | 1,020 | 42.2 | 43.8 | 42.8 | 49.0 | 47.8 | 48.4 | 52.4 | 51.3 | 51.9 |
| Felt overwhelmed by all I had to do [4]                       | 1,024 | 10.7 | 36.8 | 20.8 | 16.0 | 38.0 | 27.5 | 17.3 | 37.9 | 27.5 |
| Felt depressed [4]  | 1,022 | 4.3  | 6.6  | 5.2  | 4.5  | 6.9  | 5.8  | 5.2  | 7.5  | 6.3  |
| Performed volunteer work                                      | 1,022 | 83.6 | 92.9 | 87.2 | 83.3 | 91.2 | 87.4 | 89.1 | 94.5 | 91.8 |
| Played a musical instrument                                   | 1,023 | 56.5 | 54.8 | 55.8 | 48.9 | 41.4 | 44.9 | 56.4 | 55.8 | 56.1 |
| Asked teacher for advice after class [4]                      | 1,021 | 22.2 | 27.8 | 24.4 | 21.4 | 29.3 | 25.6 | 28.2 | 37.4 | 32.8 |
| Voted in a student election [4]                               | 1,019 | 15.6 | 24.0 | 18.8 | 19.9 | 25.3 | 22.7 | 23.4 | 29.8 | 26.6 |
| Socialized with someone of another racial/ethnic group [4]    | 1,020 | 75.1 | 77.6 | 76.1 | 69.7 | 72.8 | 71.3 | 73.5 | 77.6 | 75.6 |
| Came late to class  | 1,020 | 54.7 | 50.4 | 53.0 | 63.1 | 61.0 | 62.0 | 63.9 | 61.7 | 62.8 |
| Used the Internet:  |       |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
| For research or homework [4,5]                                | 1,022 | 75.8 | 83.6 | 78.9 | 72.5 | 83.5 | 78.3 | 82.2 | 89.7 | 85.9 |
| To read news sites [4]  | 1,022 | 49.8 | 43.8 | 47.5 | 51.1 | 42.6 | 46.6 | 62.7 | 52.7 | 57.8 |
| To read blogs [4]   | 1,023 | 31.3 | 41.3 | 35.2 | 32.1 | 40.5 | 36.5 | 32.9 | 37.0 | 34.9 |
| Performed community service as part of a class                | 1,015 | 43.9 | 48.5 | 45.7 | 50.2 | 57.0 | 53.8 | 50.9 | 54.1 | 52.5 |
| Discussed religion [4]  | 1,019 | 33.6 | 37.8 | 35.2 | 29.8 | 32.7 | 31.3 | 37.8 | 39.2 | 38.5 |
| Discussed politics [4]  | 1,018 | 40.1 | 36.3 | 38.6 | 39.8 | 35.4 | 37.4 | 49.6 | 46.4 | 48.0 |

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|--|--------------------|------------------|-------|-------|----------------|--------|--------|-------------------|--------|--------|
|  |                    | Men              | Women | Total | Men            | Women  | Total  | Men               | Women  | Total  |
| <b>Number of Respondents</b>   |                    | 646              | 404   | 1,050 | 18,720         | 23,773 | 42,493 | 10,554            | 10,715 | 21,269 |
| Read a newspaper for:  |                    |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| National and global news   | 1,018              | 79.1             | 78.3  | 78.8  | 82.8           | 79.8   | 81.3   | 90.1              | 90.1   | 90.1   |
| Local news and information   | 1,018              | 80.5             | 80.9  | 80.6  | 87.2           | 88.1   | 87.6   | 89.6              | 90.0   | 89.8   |
| Schoolwork   | 1,016              | 53.8             | 61.2  | 56.7  | 63.8           | 72.1   | 68.2   | 60.5              | 69.1   | 64.7   |
| <b>HOW MANY ADVANCED PLACEMENT COURSES<br/>OR EXAMS DID YOU TAKE IN HIGH SCHOOL?</b> |                    |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| <b>AP Courses</b>  | 1,036              |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| None offered at my high school   |                    | 3.5              | 2.0   | 2.9   | 3.4            | 3.2    | 3.3    | 8.0               | 7.0    | 7.5    |
| None   |                    | 5.7              | 3.5   | 4.8   | 16.2           | 13.6   | 14.8   | 2.3               | 1.9    | 2.1    |
| 1 to 4   |                    | 44.4             | 43.1  | 43.9  | 48.7           | 50.2   | 49.5   | 29.5              | 31.4   | 30.4   |
| 5 to 9   |                    | 38.1             | 46.9  | 41.5  | 28.1           | 30.1   | 29.1   | 49.4              | 51.3   | 50.4   |
| 10 to 14   |                    | 7.5              | 4.0   | 6.2   | 3.4            | 2.6    | 3.0    | 9.8               | 7.8    | 8.8    |
| 15 +   |                    | 0.8              | 0.5   | 0.7   | 0.3            | 0.2    | 0.2    | 1.0               | 0.7    | 0.8    |
| <b>AP Exams</b>  | 1,002              |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| None offered at my high school   |                    | 3.2              | 2.4   | 2.9   | 3.6            | 3.6    | 3.6    | 6.6               | 5.6    | 6.1    |
| None   |                    | 8.2              | 5.0   | 7.0   | 23.5           | 20.2   | 21.8   | 4.3               | 3.7    | 4.0    |
| 1 to 4   |                    | 48.8             | 51.7  | 49.9  | 45.3           | 48.2   | 46.8   | 33.8              | 37.0   | 35.4   |
| 5 to 9   |                    | 33.3             | 39.1  | 35.5  | 24.5           | 26.0   | 25.3   | 45.1              | 46.7   | 45.9   |
| 10 to 14   |                    | 5.8              | 1.3   | 4.1   | 2.9            | 1.9    | 2.4    | 9.4               | 6.5    | 8.0    |
| 15 +   |                    | 0.6              | 0.5   | 0.6   | 0.1            | 0.1    | 0.1    | 0.9               | 0.4    | 0.7    |

[4] Percentage responding "frequently" only. Results for other items in this group represent the percentage responding "frequently" or "occasionally."

[5] Comparisons with results from previous years should be made with caution due to changes in the structure of this item.

| <b>DURING YOUR LAST YEAR IN HIGH SCHOOL,<br/>HOW MUCH TIME DID YOU SPEND DURING<br/>A TYPICAL WEEK DOING THE FOLLOWING?</b> |     |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
|---|-----|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| <b>Studying/homework</b>  | 995 |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
| None  |     | 5.1  | 1.3  | 3.6  | 3.3  | 0.7  | 2.0  | 1.4  | 0.3  | 0.9  |
| Less than one hour  |     | 12.6 | 4.4  | 9.4  | 13.8 | 6.8  | 10.1 | 4.7  | 1.5  | 3.1  |
| 1 to 2 hours  |     | 20.8 | 15.7 | 18.8 | 23.3 | 16.6 | 19.8 | 10.8 | 5.0  | 8.0  |
| 3 to 5 hours  |     | 26.0 | 25.8 | 25.9 | 28.3 | 30.3 | 29.4 | 21.8 | 16.0 | 19.0 |
| 6 to 10 hours   |     | 18.8 | 25.1 | 21.2 | 18.4 | 23.8 | 21.2 | 24.9 | 24.3 | 24.6 |
| 11 to 15 hours  |     | 7.7  | 15.7 | 10.8 | 7.1  | 11.8 | 9.6  | 17.0 | 21.6 | 19.2 |
| 16 to 20 hours  |     | 4.9  | 6.8  | 5.6  | 3.2  | 5.8  | 4.6  | 10.5 | 16.3 | 13.4 |
| Over 20 hours   |     | 4.2  | 5.2  | 4.6  | 2.6  | 4.1  | 3.4  | 8.8  | 15.0 | 11.9 |
| <b>Socializing with friends</b>   | 994 |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
| None  |     | 1.0  | 0.0  | 0.6  | 0.4  | 0.2  | 0.3  | 0.4  | 0.1  | 0.3  |
| Less than one hour  |     | 1.1  | 1.6  | 1.3  | 1.2  | 1.1  | 1.2  | 1.0  | 1.0  | 1.0  |
| 1 to 2 hours  |     | 7.0  | 7.3  | 7.1  | 5.7  | 6.0  | 5.8  | 5.1  | 5.2  | 5.1  |
| 3 to 5 hours  |     | 21.9 | 24.0 | 22.7 | 18.1 | 20.7 | 19.4 | 19.5 | 20.6 | 20.0 |
| 6 to 10 hours   |     | 27.7 | 33.7 | 30.0 | 27.3 | 29.2 | 28.3 | 30.2 | 31.8 | 31.0 |
| 11 to 15 hours  |     | 20.6 | 17.2 | 19.3 | 18.9 | 19.0 | 19.0 | 20.6 | 20.5 | 20.5 |

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|   | # Res-<br>pondents | Your Institution |       |       | Public Univ-hi |        |        | Private Univ-v hi |        |        |
|---|--------------------|------------------|-------|-------|----------------|--------|--------|-------------------|--------|--------|
|   |                    | Men              | Women | Total | Men            | Women  | Total  | Men               | Women  | Total  |
| <b>Number of Respondents</b>  |                    | 646              | 404   | 1,050 | 18,720         | 23,773 | 42,493 | 10,554            | 10,715 | 21,269 |
| 16 to 20 hours  |                    | 7.9              | 9.4   | 8.5   | 11.4           | 10.9   | 11.2   | 10.0              | 11.4   | 10.7   |
| Over 20 hours   |                    | 12.8             | 6.8   | 10.5  | 17.0           | 12.9   | 14.8   | 13.2              | 9.5    | 11.4   |
| <b>Talking with teachers outside of class</b>   | 990                |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| None  |                    | 13.4             | 8.7   | 11.6  | 13.0           | 7.6    | 10.2   | 7.5               | 3.3    | 5.4    |
| Less than one hour  |                    | 40.1             | 39.6  | 39.9  | 46.5           | 42.0   | 44.2   | 36.2              | 32.4   | 34.3   |
| 1 to 2 hours  |                    | 32.6             | 35.9  | 33.8  | 28.6           | 34.4   | 31.6   | 37.5              | 40.2   | 38.8   |
| 3 to 5 hours  |                    | 10.6             | 13.5  | 11.7  | 8.6            | 12.0   | 10.4   | 14.4              | 18.1   | 16.2   |
| 6 to 10 hours   |                    | 1.8              | 0.8   | 1.4   | 2.3            | 2.7    | 2.5    | 3.1               | 4.5    | 3.8    |
| 11 to 15 hours  |                    | 0.7              | 1.3   | 0.9   | 0.6            | 0.8    | 0.7    | 0.8               | 0.9    | 0.8    |
| 16 to 20 hours  |                    | 0.3              | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.2            | 0.3    | 0.2    | 0.2               | 0.3    | 0.2    |
| Over 20 hours   |                    | 0.5              | 0.0   | 0.3   | 0.3            | 0.2    | 0.3    | 0.3               | 0.3    | 0.3    |
| <b>Exercise or sports</b>   | 988                |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| None  |                    | 3.4              | 5.3   | 4.1   | 2.8            | 5.1    | 4.0    | 2.5               | 4.1    | 3.3    |
| Less than one hour  |                    | 9.3              | 12.7  | 10.6  | 6.9            | 11.6   | 9.4    | 6.1               | 9.0    | 7.5    |
| 1 to 2 hours  |                    | 14.1             | 18.5  | 15.8  | 14.5           | 18.0   | 16.3   | 13.5              | 15.7   | 14.6   |
| 3 to 5 hours  |                    | 26.7             | 23.5  | 25.5  | 20.7           | 21.8   | 21.3   | 21.4              | 22.0   | 21.7   |
| 6 to 10 hours   |                    | 22.3             | 20.9  | 21.8  | 21.5           | 19.7   | 20.6   | 21.9              | 20.9   | 21.4   |
| 11 to 15 hours  |                    | 11.3             | 9.8   | 10.7  | 14.8           | 12.2   | 13.4   | 16.8              | 15.1   | 15.9   |
| 16 to 20 hours  |                    | 6.1              | 4.5   | 5.5   | 8.5            | 5.9    | 7.2    | 7.9               | 6.9    | 7.4    |
| Over 20 hours   |                    | 6.7              | 4.8   | 6.0   | 10.3           | 5.6    | 7.9    | 9.9               | 6.5    | 8.2    |
| <b>Partying</b>   | 989                |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| None  |                    | 26.9             | 30.0  | 28.1  | 22.1           | 27.5   | 24.9   | 25.4              | 31.8   | 28.5   |
| Less than one hour  |                    | 21.5             | 23.4  | 22.2  | 15.6           | 16.2   | 15.9   | 17.3              | 16.8   | 17.0   |
| 1 to 2 hours  |                    | 20.4             | 21.8  | 20.9  | 19.4           | 18.6   | 19.0   | 19.4              | 19.1   | 19.2   |
| 3 to 5 hours  |                    | 17.9             | 16.3  | 17.3  | 20.4           | 20.4   | 20.4   | 20.8              | 19.3   | 20.0   |
| 6 to 10 hours   |                    | 9.0              | 6.3   | 8.0   | 12.8           | 10.9   | 11.8   | 11.2              | 9.5    | 10.3   |
| 11 to 15 hours  |                    | 1.6              | 1.3   | 1.5   | 5.0            | 3.8    | 4.4    | 3.4               | 2.2    | 2.8    |
| 16 to 20 hours  |                    | 0.8              | 0.3   | 0.6   | 2.2            | 1.5    | 1.8    | 1.2               | 0.9    | 1.0    |
| Over 20 hours   |                    | 1.8              | 0.5   | 1.3   | 2.5            | 1.1    | 1.8    | 1.5               | 0.5    | 1.0    |
| <b>DURING YOUR LAST YEAR IN HIGH SCHOOL,<br/>HOW MUCH TIME DID YOU SPEND DURING<br/>A TYPICAL WEEK DOING THE FOLLOWING?</b> |                    |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| <b>Working (for pay)</b>  | 986                |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| None  |                    | 46.4             | 43.4  | 45.2  | 36.6           | 33.7   | 35.0   | 56.7              | 53.1   | 54.9   |
| Less than one hour  |                    | 2.8              | 4.8   | 3.5   | 3.7            | 2.5    | 3.1    | 4.7               | 3.6    | 4.1    |
| 1 to 2 hours  |                    | 5.9              | 7.4   | 6.5   | 5.2            | 4.3    | 4.7    | 6.9               | 7.4    | 7.1    |
| 3 to 5 hours  |                    | 9.2              | 7.4   | 8.5   | 7.5            | 8.3    | 7.9    | 8.6               | 10.0   | 9.3    |
| 6 to 10 hours   |                    | 8.9              | 8.5   | 8.7   | 11.2           | 13.9   | 12.6   | 8.6               | 10.7   | 9.7    |
| 11 to 15 hours  |                    | 7.2              | 12.4  | 9.2   | 11.8           | 14.0   | 13.0   | 6.4               | 7.2    | 6.8    |
| 16 to 20 hours  |                    | 10.4             | 9.8   | 10.1  | 11.8           | 12.9   | 12.4   | 4.3               | 4.7    | 4.5    |
| Over 20 hours   |                    | 9.2              | 6.3   | 8.1   | 12.3           | 10.4   | 11.3   | 3.9               | 3.1    | 3.5    |
| <b>Volunteer work</b>   | 989                |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |

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|   | # Res-<br>pondents | Your Institution |       |       | Public Univ-hi |        |        | Private Univ-v hi |        |        |
|---|--------------------|------------------|-------|-------|----------------|--------|--------|-------------------|--------|--------|
|   |                    | Men              | Women | Total | Men            | Women  | Total  | Men               | Women  | Total  |
| <b>Number of Respondents</b>  |                    | 646              | 404   | 1,050 | 18,720         | 23,773 | 42,493 | 10,554            | 10,715 | 21,269 |
| None  |                    | 31.6             | 17.3  | 26.1  | 30.3           | 18.2   | 24.0   | 23.7              | 14.8   | 19.3   |
| Less than one hour  |                    | 25.0             | 25.5  | 25.2  | 24.6           | 21.4   | 22.9   | 22.8              | 17.9   | 20.4   |
| 1 to 2 hours  |                    | 22.5             | 29.7  | 25.3  | 24.7           | 29.3   | 27.1   | 29.1              | 32.5   | 30.8   |
| 3 to 5 hours  |                    | 13.0             | 19.2  | 15.4  | 12.7           | 19.1   | 16.1   | 16.3              | 22.6   | 19.4   |
| 6 to 10 hours   |                    | 5.1              | 4.2   | 4.8   | 4.3            | 6.8    | 5.6    | 4.9               | 8.0    | 6.5    |
| 11 to 15 hours  |                    | 1.3              | 2.6   | 1.8   | 1.5            | 2.3    | 1.9    | 1.6               | 2.1    | 1.8    |
| 16 to 20 hours  |                    | 0.2              | 0.5   | 0.3   | 0.6            | 1.2    | 0.9    | 0.7               | 0.9    | 0.8    |
| Over 20 hours   |                    | 1.3              | 1.0   | 1.2   | 1.3            | 1.6    | 1.4    | 0.9               | 1.2    | 1.1    |
| <b>Student clubs/groups</b>   | 978                |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| None  |                    | 19.5             | 6.4   | 14.4  | 27.6           | 13.7   | 20.3   | 12.4              | 6.6    | 9.5    |
| Less than one hour  |                    | 13.1             | 11.1  | 12.4  | 17.2           | 14.2   | 15.6   | 10.3              | 8.4    | 9.4    |
| 1 to 2 hours  |                    | 31.9             | 34.0  | 32.7  | 27.4           | 30.6   | 29.1   | 28.6              | 27.3   | 28.0   |
| 3 to 5 hours  |                    | 21.0             | 30.5  | 24.6  | 16.3           | 23.3   | 20.0   | 25.6              | 29.7   | 27.6   |
| 6 to 10 hours   |                    | 8.3              | 9.3   | 8.7   | 6.3            | 10.3   | 8.4    | 13.1              | 16.2   | 14.6   |
| 11 to 15 hours  |                    | 2.8              | 5.3   | 3.8   | 2.5            | 3.9    | 3.2    | 5.0               | 6.3    | 5.6    |
| 16 to 20 hours  |                    | 1.2              | 2.7   | 1.7   | 1.1            | 1.9    | 1.5    | 2.1               | 2.8    | 2.5    |
| Over 20 hours   |                    | 2.2              | 0.8   | 1.6   | 1.6            | 2.0    | 1.8    | 2.8               | 2.7    | 2.7    |
| <b>Watching TV</b>  | 990                |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| None  |                    | 8.3              | 5.8   | 7.4   | 6.8            | 6.8    | 6.8    | 10.4              | 10.7   | 10.6   |
| Less than one hour  |                    | 14.4             | 12.4  | 13.6  | 12.9           | 15.7   | 14.4   | 12.6              | 15.1   | 13.8   |
| 1 to 2 hours  |                    | 22.7             | 25.1  | 23.6  | 23.3           | 26.8   | 25.1   | 22.9              | 25.6   | 24.2   |
| 3 to 5 hours  |                    | 27.7             | 29.6  | 28.4  | 28.2           | 29.2   | 28.7   | 26.6              | 27.4   | 27.0   |
| 6 to 10 hours   |                    | 15.4             | 19.0  | 16.8  | 16.8           | 13.8   | 15.2   | 16.6              | 14.4   | 15.5   |
| 11 to 15 hours  |                    | 5.7              | 5.3   | 5.6   | 6.3            | 4.4    | 5.3    | 6.2               | 4.2    | 5.2    |
| 16 to 20 hours  |                    | 2.5              | 1.3   | 2.0   | 2.6            | 1.7    | 2.1    | 2.4               | 1.3    | 1.8    |
| Over 20 hours   |                    | 3.3              | 1.6   | 2.6   | 3.1            | 1.8    | 2.4    | 2.4               | 1.3    | 1.8    |
| <b>Household/childcare duties</b>   | 991                |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| None  |                    | 24.6             | 18.1  | 22.1  | 25.3           | 14.4   | 19.5   | 27.8              | 19.9   | 23.9   |
| Less than one hour  |                    | 20.3             | 22.6  | 21.2  | 22.2           | 22.7   | 22.5   | 22.2              | 25.4   | 23.8   |
| 1 to 2 hours  |                    | 31.6             | 32.8  | 32.1  | 30.9           | 33.9   | 32.5   | 30.5              | 32.4   | 31.4   |
| 3 to 5 hours  |                    | 15.7             | 17.8  | 16.5  | 15.4           | 19.7   | 17.6   | 13.8              | 15.7   | 14.7   |
| 6 to 10 hours   |                    | 4.6              | 5.2   | 4.8   | 4.2            | 5.7    | 5.0    | 3.8               | 4.4    | 4.1    |
| 11 to 15 hours  |                    | 1.5              | 1.8   | 1.6   | 1.0            | 1.9    | 1.5    | 1.0               | 1.2    | 1.1    |
| 16 to 20 hours  |                    | 0.5              | 1.3   | 0.8   | 0.4            | 0.7    | 0.6    | 0.4               | 0.5    | 0.4    |
| Over 20 hours   |                    | 1.1              | 0.3   | 0.8   | 0.6            | 1.0    | 0.8    | 0.5               | 0.6    | 0.5    |
| <b>DURING YOUR LAST YEAR IN HIGH SCHOOL,<br/>HOW MUCH TIME DID YOU SPEND DURING<br/>A TYPICAL WEEK DOING THE FOLLOWING?</b> |                    |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| <b>Reading for pleasure</b>   | 990                |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| None  |                    | 24.9             | 13.2  | 20.4  | 26.1           | 16.2   | 20.9   | 16.3              | 11.4   | 13.9   |
| Less than one hour  |                    | 26.1             | 23.7  | 25.2  | 26.9           | 26.0   | 26.4   | 23.0              | 23.6   | 23.3   |
| 1 to 2 hours  |                    | 25.6             | 25.3  | 25.5  | 24.2           | 28.7   | 26.6   | 29.3              | 30.6   | 29.9   |

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| Georgia Institute of Technology<br>First-time Full-time                   | # Res-<br>pondents | Your Institution |       |       | Public Univ-hi |        |        | Private Univ-v hi |        |        |
|---|--------------------|------------------|-------|-------|----------------|--------|--------|-------------------|--------|--------|
|   |                    | Men              | Women | Total | Men            | Women  | Total  | Men               | Women  | Total  |
| <b>Number of Respondents</b>  |                    | 646              | 404   | 1,050 | 18,720         | 23,773 | 42,493 | 10,554            | 10,715 | 21,269 |
| 3 to 5 hours  |                    | 14.4             | 26.1  | 18.9  | 14.5           | 18.5   | 16.6   | 19.9              | 22.1   | 21.0   |
| 6 to 10 hours   |                    | 5.2              | 7.6   | 6.2   | 5.2            | 6.6    | 6.0    | 7.8               | 8.4    | 8.1    |
| 11 to 15 hours  |                    | 2.1              | 1.6   | 1.9   | 1.8            | 2.2    | 2.0    | 2.1               | 2.3    | 2.2    |
| 16 to 20 hours  |                    | 0.8              | 1.6   | 1.1   | 0.6            | 0.9    | 0.7    | 0.9               | 0.8    | 0.9    |
| Over 20 hours   |                    | 0.8              | 1.1   | 0.9   | 0.7            | 0.9    | 0.8    | 0.7               | 0.7    | 0.7    |
| <b>Playing video/computer games</b>                                       | 989                |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| None  |                    | 12.0             | 57.1  | 29.3  | 18.2           | 63.6   | 42.0   | 24.1              | 69.6   | 46.5   |
| Less than one hour  |                    | 15.1             | 24.2  | 18.6  | 19.8           | 19.4   | 19.6   | 19.3              | 16.4   | 17.8   |
| 1 to 2 hours  |                    | 19.7             | 8.9   | 15.6  | 21.5           | 9.4    | 15.1   | 22.0              | 8.0    | 15.1   |
| 3 to 5 hours  |                    | 22.8             | 5.8   | 16.3  | 19.7           | 4.7    | 11.9   | 18.0              | 3.7    | 11.0   |
| 6 to 10 hours   |                    | 14.8             | 1.8   | 9.8   | 10.8           | 1.6    | 6.0    | 9.5               | 1.5    | 5.5    |
| 11 to 15 hours  |                    | 7.1              | 0.8   | 4.7   | 4.5            | 0.7    | 2.5    | 3.7               | 0.5    | 2.1    |
| 16 to 20 hours  |                    | 3.6              | 0.5   | 2.4   | 2.1            | 0.2    | 1.1    | 1.4               | 0.2    | 0.8    |
| Over 20 hours   |                    | 4.9              | 0.8   | 3.3   | 3.4            | 0.4    | 1.8    | 2.0               | 0.3    | 1.2    |
| <b>WHAT IS THE HIGHEST ACADEMIC DEGREE<br/>THAT YOU INTEND TO OBTAIN:</b> |                    |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| <b>At any college</b>   | 971                |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| None  |                    | 0.2              | 0.3   | 0.2   | 0.6            | 0.5    | 0.5    | 0.4               | 0.3    | 0.3    |
| Vocational certificate  |                    | 0.0              | 0.3   | 0.1   | 0.1            | 0.1    | 0.1    | 0.0               | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| Associate (A.A. or equivalent)  |                    | 0.0              | 0.3   | 0.1   | 0.2            | 0.2    | 0.2    | 0.0               | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| Bachelor's degree (B.A., B.S., etc.)                                      |                    | 15.8             | 10.0  | 13.6  | 18.0           | 14.4   | 16.1   | 7.9               | 6.3    | 7.1    |
| Master's degree (M.A., M.S., etc.)  |                    | 53.8             | 45.6  | 50.7  | 39.1           | 39.8   | 39.5   | 35.2              | 33.2   | 34.2   |
| Ph.D. or Ed.D.  |                    | 22.7             | 21.0  | 22.0  | 19.9           | 20.4   | 20.2   | 30.1              | 26.6   | 28.4   |
| M.D., D.O., D.D.S., D.V.M.  |                    | 4.8              | 18.1  | 9.9   | 14.0           | 17.0   | 15.5   | 16.0              | 21.7   | 18.8   |
| J.D. (Law)  |                    | 1.5              | 4.3   | 2.6   | 6.5            | 6.4    | 6.4    | 9.0               | 10.8   | 9.9    |
| B.D. or M.DIV. (Divinity)   |                    | 0.2              | 0.0   | 0.1   | 0.4            | 0.2    | 0.3    | 0.2               | 0.1    | 0.2    |
| Other   |                    | 1.0              | 0.3   | 0.7   | 1.3            | 1.2    | 1.3    | 1.2               | 0.9    | 1.1    |
| <b>At this college</b>  | 821                |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| None  |                    | 0.4              | 0.0   | 0.2   | 0.9            | 0.7    | 0.8    | 0.6               | 0.2    | 0.4    |
| Vocational certificate  |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.1            | 0.1    | 0.1    | 0.1               | 0.1    | 0.1    |
| Associate (A.A. or equivalent)  |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.5            | 0.5    | 0.5    | 0.1               | 0.1    | 0.1    |
| Bachelor's degree (B.A., B.S., etc.)                                      |                    | 45.7             | 66.6  | 54.1  | 61.3           | 62.2   | 61.8   | 67.9              | 74.9   | 71.3   |
| Master's degree (M.A., M.S., etc.)  |                    | 45.5             | 29.2  | 39.0  | 23.1           | 22.3   | 22.6   | 18.4              | 13.7   | 16.1   |
| Ph.D. or Ed.D.  |                    | 6.7              | 3.0   | 5.2   | 6.0            | 5.9    | 6.0    | 6.4               | 4.2    | 5.3    |
| M.D., D.O., D.D.S., D.V.M.  |                    | 1.0              | 0.9   | 1.0   | 5.3            | 6.0    | 5.7    | 3.9               | 4.3    | 4.1    |
| J.D. (Law)  |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 1.6            | 1.3    | 1.4    | 1.8               | 1.9    | 1.9    |
| B.D. or M.DIV. (Divinity)   |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.1            | 0.1    | 0.1    | 0.1               | 0.0    | 0.1    |
| Other   |                    | 0.6              | 0.3   | 0.5   | 1.1            | 1.0    | 1.0    | 0.9               | 0.5    | 0.7    |
| <b>Reasons noted as "very important"<br/>in deciding to go to college</b> |                    |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| My parents wanted me to go  | 1,009              | 41.5             | 42.6  | 41.9  | 41.1           | 47.0   | 44.2   | 35.8              | 42.3   | 39.0   |
| I could not find a job  | 1,006              | 3.7              | 3.8   | 3.8   | 4.1            | 4.6    | 4.4    | 2.8               | 2.8    | 2.8    |

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| Georgia Institute of Technology<br>First-time Full-time   | # Res-<br>pondents | Your Institution |       |       | Public Univ-hi |        |        | Private Univ-v hi |        |        |
|---|--------------------|------------------|-------|-------|----------------|--------|--------|-------------------|--------|--------|
|   |                    | Men              | Women | Total | Men            | Women  | Total  | Men               | Women  | Total  |
| <b>Number of Respondents</b>  |                    | 646              | 404   | 1,050 | 18,720         | 23,773 | 42,493 | 10,554            | 10,715 | 21,269 |
| Wanted to get away from home  | 1,006              | 19.5             | 17.9  | 18.9  | 21.8           | 21.5   | 21.6   | 17.8              | 17.8   | 17.8   |
| To be able to get a better job  | 1,005              | 79.3             | 75.3  | 77.7  | 69.8           | 69.1   | 69.4   | 64.9              | 64.6   | 64.7   |
| To gain a general education and appreciation of ideas   | 1,006              | 61.2             | 72.7  | 65.7  | 61.6           | 73.9   | 68.1   | 75.1              | 85.2   | 80.1   |
| There was nothing better to do  | 999                | 6.1              | 3.6   | 5.1   | 5.8            | 3.2    | 4.4    | 6.0               | 3.6    | 4.8    |
| To make me a more cultured person   | 1,006              | 30.1             | 42.9  | 35.1  | 38.7           | 54.5   | 47.0   | 50.1              | 66.9   | 58.4   |
| To be able to make more money   | 1,008              | 74.2             | 65.6  | 70.8  | 71.7           | 65.7   | 68.6   | 61.4              | 54.8   | 58.1   |
| To learn more about things that interest me   | 1,006              | 77.0             | 79.3  | 77.9  | 75.4           | 83.2   | 79.5   | 83.8              | 90.2   | 87.0   |
| To prepare myself for graduate or professional school   | 1,006              | 52.6             | 66.7  | 58.1  | 59.9           | 71.2   | 65.8   | 67.8              | 74.7   | 71.2   |
| A mentor/role model encouraged me to go   | 1,003              | 10.0             | 12.3  | 10.9  | 13.4           | 14.5   | 14.0   | 12.8              | 14.6   | 13.7   |
| To get training for a specific career   | 1,008              | 61.5             | 66.6  | 63.5  | 61.1           | 67.1   | 64.2   | 45.7              | 48.5   | 47.1   |
| <b>Is this college your:</b>  | 1,043              |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| First choice  |                    | 70.2             | 70.4  | 70.3  | 67.6           | 66.1   | 66.8   | 68.7              | 67.6   | 68.2   |
| Second choice   |                    | 21.1             | 20.4  | 20.8  | 21.6           | 22.6   | 22.1   | 18.3              | 19.7   | 19.0   |
| Third choice  |                    | 5.3              | 5.7   | 5.5   | 6.6            | 7.0    | 6.8    | 7.6               | 7.6    | 7.6    |
| Less than third choice  |                    | 3.4              | 3.5   | 3.5   | 4.2            | 4.3    | 4.3    | 5.4               | 5.1    | 5.3    |
| <b>To how many colleges other than this one did you apply for admission this year?</b>                  | 1,042              |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| None  |                    | 12.6             | 7.0   | 10.5  | 17.2           | 14.3   | 15.7   | 15.1              | 14.4   | 14.8   |
| One   |                    | 13.9             | 16.0  | 14.7  | 10.4           | 9.9    | 10.1   | 5.7               | 5.2    | 5.5    |
| Two   |                    | 17.4             | 20.3  | 18.5  | 13.4           | 12.6   | 13.0   | 6.1               | 5.3    | 5.7    |
| Three   |                    | 17.9             | 16.0  | 17.2  | 14.6           | 14.2   | 14.4   | 8.0               | 6.7    | 7.4    |
| Four  |                    | 13.9             | 15.0  | 14.3  | 12.4           | 12.5   | 12.5   | 9.2               | 8.1    | 8.7    |
| Five  |                    | 7.8              | 10.8  | 8.9   | 10.0           | 10.3   | 10.1   | 9.4               | 9.4    | 9.4    |
| Six   |                    | 5.6              | 5.8   | 5.7   | 7.5            | 8.3    | 7.9    | 10.6              | 10.7   | 10.7   |
| Seven to ten  |                    | 9.5              | 7.3   | 8.6   | 12.0           | 14.6   | 13.4   | 25.9              | 29.0   | 27.4   |
| Eleven or more  |                    | 1.4              | 2.0   | 1.6   | 2.6            | 3.3    | 3.0    | 10.0              | 10.9   | 10.5   |
| <b>If this college was not your first choice, were you accepted by your first choice college?</b>       | 411                |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| No  |                    | 60.9             | 48.7  | 56.2  | 60.3           | 53.5   | 56.8   | 73.5              | 67.9   | 70.8   |
| Yes   |                    | 39.1             | 51.3  | 43.8  | 39.7           | 46.5   | 43.2   | 26.5              | 32.1   | 29.2   |
| <b>Did either of your parents or legal guardians attend the institution that you are now attending?</b> | 1,046              |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Neither   |                    | 90.5             | 89.6  | 90.2  | 85.8           | 86.8   | 86.3   | 89.0              | 89.3   | 89.2   |
| Mother or female legal guardian only  |                    | 1.1              | 1.0   | 1.1   | 3.6            | 3.9    | 3.8    | 2.0               | 2.1    | 2.1    |
| Father or male legal guardian only  |                    | 6.8              | 6.7   | 6.8   | 5.8            | 5.1    | 5.5    | 6.1               | 5.5    | 5.8    |
| Both  |                    | 1.6              | 2.7   | 2.0   | 4.8            | 4.2    | 4.5    | 2.9               | 3.0    | 3.0    |

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|---|--------------------|------------------|-------|-------|----------------|--------|--------|-------------------|--------|--------|
|   |                    | Men              | Women | Total | Men            | Women  | Total  | Men               | Women  | Total  |
| <b>Number of Respondents</b>  |                    | 646              | 404   | 1,050 | 18,720         | 23,773 | 42,493 | 10,554            | 10,715 | 21,269 |
| <b>Reasons noted as "very important" in influencing student's decision to attend this particular college</b>  |                    |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| My relatives wanted me to come here   | 999                | 10.3             | 9.5   | 10.0  | 9.7            | 11.4   | 10.6   | 9.2               | 10.9   | 10.0   |
| My teacher advised me   | 997                | 5.8              | 3.1   | 4.7   | 4.6            | 4.7    | 4.7    | 6.1               | 6.5    | 6.3    |
| This college has a very good academic reputation  | 1,002              | 86.1             | 84.3  | 85.4  | 61.0           | 69.1   | 65.3   | 88.0              | 89.0   | 88.5   |
| This college has a good reputation for its social activities  | 995                | 13.3             | 14.4  | 13.8  | 40.5           | 41.2   | 40.8   | 32.7              | 31.9   | 32.3   |
| I was offered financial assistance  | 991                | 21.0             | 27.8  | 23.6  | 25.4           | 31.0   | 28.4   | 28.9              | 32.6   | 30.7   |
| The cost of attending this college  | 995                | 29.5             | 38.3  | 33.0  | 30.2           | 34.4   | 32.4   | 14.1              | 17.9   | 16.0   |
| High school counselor advised me  | 996                | 5.9              | 2.8   | 4.7   | 6.7            | 7.0    | 6.8    | 8.4               | 8.3    | 8.4    |
| Private college counselor advised me  | 991                | 1.2              | 1.0   | 1.1   | 2.2            | 1.6    | 1.9    | 3.3               | 3.1    | 3.2    |
| I wanted to live near home  | 993                | 7.0              | 13.1  | 9.4   | 9.4            | 13.4   | 11.5   | 3.8               | 5.1    | 4.5    |
| Not offered aid by first choice   | 988                | 5.3              | 8.5   | 6.6   | 6.5            | 7.7    | 7.1    | 2.9               | 3.6    | 3.2    |
| Could not afford first choice   | 988                | 7.8              | 11.4  | 9.2   | 8.8            | 11.3   | 10.1   | 2.3               | 3.5    | 2.9    |
| This college's graduates gain admission to top graduate/professional schools  | 992                | 43.3             | 53.5  | 47.3  | 31.7           | 41.3   | 36.7   | 54.9              | 58.5   | 56.7   |
| This college's graduates get good jobs  | 992                | 74.2             | 78.0  | 75.7  | 47.7           | 54.7   | 51.3   | 65.3              | 66.4   | 65.8   |
| I was attracted by the religious affiliation/orientation of the college   | 987                | 2.0              | 2.1   | 2.0   | 2.4            | 2.7    | 2.5    | 5.5               | 5.8    | 5.6    |
| I wanted to go to a school about the size of this college   | 988                | 16.1             | 28.2  | 20.9  | 23.8           | 31.0   | 27.6   | 31.6              | 41.3   | 36.4   |
| Rankings in national magazines  | 988                | 44.7             | 44.3  | 44.5  | 22.9           | 25.8   | 24.4   | 41.3              | 43.9   | 42.6   |
| Information from a website  | 980                | 17.2             | 18.6  | 17.8  | 13.3           | 18.8   | 16.2   | 23.5              | 29.1   | 26.2   |
| I was admitted through an Early Action or Early Decision program  | 983                | 6.4              | 11.4  | 8.3   | 10.6           | 14.1   | 12.4   | 26.4              | 29.5   | 27.9   |
| The athletic department recruited me  | 985                | 1.0              | 1.3   | 1.1   | 3.2            | 2.4    | 2.8    | 7.7               | 6.4    | 7.0    |
| A visit to campus   | 989                | 20.1             | 33.2  | 25.3  | 28.4           | 38.8   | 33.9   | 44.7              | 54.2   | 49.3   |
| <b>Prior to this term, have you ever taken courses for credit at <u>this</u> institution?</b>   | 1,045              |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| No  |                    | 91.1             | 93.0  | 91.9  | 96.2           | 97.1   | 96.7   | 96.1              | 96.8   | 96.5   |
| Yes   |                    | 8.9              | 7.0   | 8.1   | 3.8            | 2.9    | 3.3    | 3.9               | 3.2    | 3.5    |
| <b>Since leaving high school, have you ever taken courses, whether for credit or not for credit, at <u>any other</u> institution (university, 4- or 2-year college, technical, vocational, or business school)?</b> | 1,033              |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| No  |                    | 91.2             | 89.9  | 90.7  | 89.4           | 87.9   | 88.6   | 89.3              | 88.8   | 89.0   |
| Yes   |                    | 8.8              | 10.1  | 9.3   | 10.6           | 12.1   | 11.4   | 10.7              | 11.2   | 11.0   |

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|---|--------------------|------------------|-------|-------|----------------|--------|--------|-------------------|--------|--------|
|   |                    | Men              | Women | Total | Men            | Women  | Total  | Men               | Women  | Total  |
| <b>Number of Respondents</b>                            |                    | 646              | 404   | 1,050 | 18,720         | 23,773 | 42,493 | 10,554            | 10,715 | 21,269 |
| <b>Where do you plan to live during the fall term?</b>  | 1,046              |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| With my family or other relatives                       |                    | 0.5              | 0.0   | 0.3   | 3.3            | 3.1    | 3.2    | 0.7               | 0.5    | 0.6    |
| Other private home, apartment, or room                  |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 5.8            | 6.0    | 5.9    | 0.3               | 0.1    | 0.2    |
| College residence hall                                  |                    | 98.3             | 99.3  | 98.7  | 85.5           | 86.6   | 86.1   | 97.3              | 98.0   | 97.7   |
| Fraternity or sorority house                            |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 2.3            | 0.2    | 1.2    | 0.1               | 0.0    | 0.1    |
| Other campus student housing                            |                    | 1.1              | 0.5   | 0.9   | 2.8            | 3.7    | 3.3    | 1.5               | 1.2    | 1.4    |
| Other   |                    | 0.2              | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.3            | 0.4    | 0.3    | 0.1               | 0.1    | 0.1    |
| <b>Your probable career occupation</b>                  | 987                |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Accountant or actuary                                   |                    | 1.0              | 0.5   | 0.8   | 2.6            | 1.7    | 2.1    | 0.9               | 0.8    | 0.8    |
| Actor or entertainer                                    |                    | 0.0              | 0.3   | 0.1   | 0.8            | 1.0    | 0.9    | 0.7               | 1.3    | 1.0    |
| Architect or urban planner                              |                    | 3.6              | 7.8   | 5.3   | 1.5            | 1.0    | 1.2    | 1.3               | 1.7    | 1.5    |
| Artist  |                    | 0.5              | 0.8   | 0.6   | 1.0            | 1.7    | 1.4    | 0.6               | 1.2    | 0.9    |
| Business (clerical)                                     |                    | 0.5              | 0.0   | 0.3   | 0.7            | 0.5    | 0.6    | 0.2               | 0.2    | 0.2    |
| Business executive (management, administrator)          |                    | 5.0              | 5.2   | 5.1   | 10.7           | 6.6    | 8.6    | 14.6              | 8.2    | 11.4   |
| Business owner or proprietor                            |                    | 1.3              | 0.8   | 1.1   | 4.3            | 1.8    | 3.0    | 3.8               | 1.6    | 2.7    |
| Business salesperson or buyer                           |                    | 0.5              | 0.3   | 0.4   | 1.0            | 1.1    | 1.1    | 0.3               | 0.2    | 0.3    |
| Clergy (minister, priest)                               |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.1            | 0.0    | 0.1    | 0.1               | 0.1    | 0.1    |
| Clergy (other religious)                                |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.1            | 0.0    | 0.1    | 0.1               | 0.1    | 0.1    |
| Clinical psychologist                                   |                    | 0.0              | 0.8   | 0.3   | 0.5            | 2.0    | 1.3    | 0.4               | 1.5    | 0.9    |
| College administrator/staff                             |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0            | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.1               | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| College teacher   |                    | 0.2              | 0.3   | 0.2   | 0.7            | 0.5    | 0.6    | 2.0               | 1.4    | 1.7    |
| Computer programmer or analyst                          |                    | 9.8              | 2.1   | 6.8   | 3.0            | 0.3    | 1.6    | 2.8               | 0.5    | 1.7    |
| Conservationist or forester                             |                    | 0.0              | 0.3   | 0.1   | 0.3            | 0.3    | 0.3    | 0.1               | 0.1    | 0.1    |
| Dentist (including orthodontist)                        |                    | 0.7              | 0.8   | 0.7   | 1.5            | 1.9    | 1.7    | 0.5               | 0.6    | 0.6    |
| Dietitian or nutritionist                               |                    | 0.0              | 0.3   | 0.1   | 0.1            | 1.0    | 0.6    | 0.1               | 0.3    | 0.2    |
| Engineer  |                    | 53.2             | 37.5  | 47.1  | 16.2           | 3.1    | 9.4    | 16.7              | 7.3    | 12.1   |
| Farmer or rancher                                       |                    | 0.2              | 0.0   | 0.1   | 0.5            | 0.1    | 0.3    | 0.2               | 0.1    | 0.1    |
| Foreign service worker (including diplomat)             |                    | 0.3              | 2.9   | 1.3   | 0.7            | 1.5    | 1.1    | 1.0               | 3.1    | 2.0    |
| Homemaker (full-time)                                   |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0            | 0.1    | 0.1    | 0.0               | 0.1    | 0.1    |
| Interior decorator (including designer)                 |                    | 0.2              | 0.0   | 0.1   | 0.0            | 1.0    | 0.5    | 0.0               | 0.2    | 0.1    |
| Lab technician or hygienist                             |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.1            | 0.1    | 0.1    | 0.1               | 0.0    | 0.1    |
| Law enforcement officer                                 |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.6            | 0.2    | 0.4    | 0.1               | 0.0    | 0.1    |
| Lawyer (attorney) or judge                              |                    | 1.2              | 3.6   | 2.1   | 5.1            | 5.4    | 5.3    | 6.2               | 8.4    | 7.2    |
| Military service (career)                               |                    | 1.3              | 0.8   | 1.1   | 0.8            | 0.1    | 0.4    | 0.4               | 0.1    | 0.2    |
| Musician (performer, composer)                          |                    | 0.3              | 0.0   | 0.2   | 1.5            | 0.7    | 1.0    | 1.4               | 1.3    | 1.4    |
| Nurse   |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.3            | 3.4    | 1.9    | 0.0               | 0.8    | 0.4    |
| Optometrist   |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.4            | 0.5    | 0.5    | 0.2               | 0.2    | 0.2    |
| Pharmacist  |                    | 0.0              | 1.0   | 0.4   | 2.5            | 3.6    | 3.1    | 0.2               | 0.4    | 0.3    |
| Physician   |                    | 3.6              | 10.9  | 6.5   | 10.0           | 11.3   | 10.7   | 12.8              | 17.9   | 15.3   |

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|   |                    | Men              | Women | Total | Men            | Women  | Total  | Men               | Women  | Total  |
| <b>Number of Respondents</b>                            |                    | 646              | 404   | 1,050 | 18,720         | 23,773 | 42,493 | 10,554            | 10,715 | 21,269 |
| Policymaker/Government                                  |                    | 0.2              | 0.8   | 0.4   | 1.6            | 1.3    | 1.4    | 2.6               | 2.6    | 2.6    |
| School counselor  |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0            | 0.3    | 0.2    | 0.0               | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| School principal or superintendent                      |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0            | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.0               | 0.1    | 0.0    |
| Scientific researcher                                   |                    | 3.8              | 4.2   | 4.0   | 3.1            | 2.6    | 2.8    | 6.1               | 5.1    | 5.6    |
| Social, welfare, or recreation worker                   |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.1            | 1.0    | 0.6    | 0.1               | 0.5    | 0.3    |
| Therapist (physical, occupational,<br>speech)           |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 1.1            | 3.0    | 2.1    | 0.1               | 0.7    | 0.4    |
| Teacher or administrator (elementary)                   |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.2            | 2.9    | 1.6    | 0.1               | 0.7    | 0.4    |
| Teacher or administrator (secondary)                    |                    | 0.2              | 0.0   | 0.1   | 1.8            | 2.5    | 2.2    | 0.8               | 1.1    | 1.0    |
| Veterinarian  |                    | 0.0              | 0.8   | 0.3   | 0.8            | 2.8    | 1.9    | 0.3               | 1.2    | 0.7    |
| Writer or journalist                                    |                    | 0.2              | 0.8   | 0.4   | 2.0            | 4.2    | 3.2    | 2.3               | 4.8    | 3.5    |
| Skilled trades  |                    | 0.3              | 0.0   | 0.2   | 0.4            | 0.1    | 0.2    | 0.1               | 0.1    | 0.1    |
| Laborer (unskilled)                                     |                    | 0.2              | 0.0   | 0.1   | 0.5            | 0.1    | 0.3    | 0.2               | 0.1    | 0.1    |
| Semi-skilled worker                                     |                    | 0.3              | 0.0   | 0.2   | 0.4            | 0.1    | 0.3    | 0.1               | 0.1    | 0.1    |
| Unemployed  |                    | 1.2              | 1.8   | 1.4   | 1.0            | 0.9    | 1.0    | 0.7               | 0.5    | 0.6    |
| Other   |                    | 3.8              | 5.2   | 4.4   | 5.6            | 8.6    | 7.2    | 3.1               | 4.2    | 3.7    |
| Undecided   |                    | 6.5              | 9.6   | 7.7   | 13.7           | 17.0   | 15.4   | 15.4              | 18.8   | 17.1   |
| <b>YOUR PROBABLE MAJOR</b>                              | 1,004              |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| <b>Arts and Humanities</b>                              |                    |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Art, fine and applied                                   |                    | 0.5              | 0.3   | 0.4   | 1.3            | 2.6    | 2.0    | 0.6               | 1.5    | 1.0    |
| English (language & literature)                         |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 1.4            | 2.6    | 2.0    | 2.0               | 4.1    | 3.1    |
| History   |                    | 0.2              | 0.8   | 0.4   | 1.8            | 1.3    | 1.5    | 2.4               | 2.3    | 2.3    |
| Journalism  |                    | 0.2              | 0.8   | 0.4   | 1.6            | 3.4    | 2.5    | 0.9               | 1.9    | 1.4    |
| Language and Literature (except English)                |                    | 0.0              | 0.5   | 0.2   | 0.6            | 1.1    | 0.8    | 0.8               | 1.9    | 1.4    |
| Music   |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 1.1            | 0.8    | 0.9    | 1.5               | 1.4    | 1.5    |
| Philosophy  |                    | 0.0              | 0.3   | 0.1   | 0.6            | 0.3    | 0.4    | 1.0               | 0.5    | 0.8    |
| Speech  |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0            | 0.1    | 0.1    | 0.1               | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| Theater or Drama  |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.7            | 0.9    | 0.8    | 0.7               | 1.3    | 1.0    |
| Theology or Religion                                    |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0            | 0.1    | 0.1    | 0.2               | 0.2    | 0.2    |
| Other Arts and Humanities                               |                    | 0.2              | 0.0   | 0.1   | 0.7            | 1.4    | 1.1    | 0.7               | 1.3    | 1.0    |
| <b>Biological Science</b>                               |                    |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Biology (general)                                       |                    | 1.3              | 7.7   | 3.8   | 5.5            | 7.1    | 6.4    | 6.0               | 9.1    | 7.5    |
| Biochemistry or Biophysics                              |                    | 0.7              | 1.3   | 0.9   | 2.1            | 2.2    | 2.2    | 2.7               | 2.8    | 2.8    |
| Botany  |                    | 0.0              | 0.3   | 0.1   | 0.1            | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.1               | 0.1    | 0.1    |
| Environmental Science                                   |                    | 0.0              | 0.3   | 0.1   | 0.8            | 0.8    | 0.8    | 0.5               | 0.8    | 0.6    |
| Marine (Life) Science                                   |                    | 0.0              | 0.3   | 0.1   | 0.4            | 0.5    | 0.5    | 0.0               | 0.2    | 0.1    |
| Microbiology or Bacteriology                            |                    | 0.2              | 0.3   | 0.2   | 1.0            | 1.1    | 1.0    | 0.2               | 0.4    | 0.3    |
| Zoology   |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.8            | 0.9    | 0.9    | 0.1               | 0.2    | 0.1    |
| Other Biological Science                                |                    | 0.0              | 0.5   | 0.2   | 1.3            | 1.7    | 1.5    | 1.4               | 2.3    | 1.8    |
| <b>Business</b>   |                    |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Accounting  |                    | 0.0              | 0.5   | 0.2   | 2.8            | 1.8    | 2.2    | 0.4               | 0.3    | 0.4    |
| Business Admin. (general)                               |                    | 0.3              | 0.0   | 0.2   | 4.6            | 2.5    | 3.5    | 3.0               | 1.9    | 2.4    |

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|  | # Res-<br>pondents | Your Institution |       |       | Public Univ-hi |        |        | Private Univ-v hi |        |        |
|--|--------------------|------------------|-------|-------|----------------|--------|--------|-------------------|--------|--------|
|  |                    | Men              | Women | Total | Men            | Women  | Total  | Men               | Women  | Total  |
| <b>Number of Respondents</b>                       |                    | 646              | 404   | 1,050 | 18,720         | 23,773 | 42,493 | 10,554            | 10,715 | 21,269 |
| Finance  |                    | 0.3              | 0.3   | 0.3   | 3.7            | 1.4    | 2.5    | 3.6               | 1.5    | 2.6    |
| International Business                             |                    | 0.5              | 1.8   | 1.0   | 1.4            | 1.7    | 1.5    | 1.5               | 2.2    | 1.9    |
| Marketing  |                    | 0.2              | 1.0   | 0.5   | 2.2            | 3.1    | 2.7    | 0.6               | 1.1    | 0.9    |
| Management   |                    | 2.1              | 4.9   | 3.2   | 4.3            | 1.9    | 3.0    | 1.7               | 1.0    | 1.3    |
| Secretarial Studies                                |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0            | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.0               | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| Other Business                                     |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 1.5            | 0.9    | 1.2    | 0.7               | 0.5    | 0.6    |
| <b>Education</b>                                   |                    |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Business Education                                 |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.2            | 0.1    | 0.1    | 0.4               | 0.3    | 0.3    |
| Elementary Education                               |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.1            | 2.4    | 1.3    | 0.0               | 0.4    | 0.2    |
| Music or Art Education                             |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.2            | 0.3    | 0.3    | 0.1               | 0.1    | 0.1    |
| Physical Education or Recreation                   |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.2            | 0.1    | 0.2    | 0.0               | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| Secondary Education                                |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.7            | 1.2    | 1.0    | 0.1               | 0.3    | 0.2    |
| Special Education                                  |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0            | 0.2    | 0.1    | 0.0               | 0.1    | 0.1    |
| Other Education                                    |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.3            | 0.4    | 0.3    | 0.0               | 0.1    | 0.1    |
| <b>Engineering</b>                                 |                    |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Aeronautical or Astronautical<br>Engineering       |                    | 10.6             | 4.3   | 8.2   | 1.9            | 0.2    | 1.0    | 1.2               | 0.4    | 0.8    |
| Civil Engineering                                  |                    | 5.7              | 3.6   | 4.9   | 2.3            | 0.6    | 1.4    | 1.4               | 1.0    | 1.2    |
| Chemical Engineering                               |                    | 4.2              | 4.9   | 4.5   | 1.9            | 0.7    | 1.3    | 3.4               | 2.2    | 2.8    |
| Computer Engineering                               |                    | 5.5              | 0.8   | 3.7   | 3.2            | 0.2    | 1.6    | 2.5               | 0.3    | 1.4    |
| Electrical or Electronic Engineering               |                    | 5.5              | 1.3   | 3.9   | 2.3            | 0.2    | 1.2    | 3.4               | 0.7    | 2.1    |
| Industrial Engineering                             |                    | 5.7              | 7.4   | 6.4   | 0.4            | 0.2    | 0.3    | 0.5               | 0.3    | 0.4    |
| Mechanical Engineering                             |                    | 16.2             | 4.1   | 11.5  | 4.6            | 0.5    | 2.4    | 5.4               | 1.4    | 3.4    |
| Other Engineering                                  |                    | 14.7             | 22.8  | 17.8  | 3.5            | 1.1    | 2.2    | 5.9               | 3.6    | 4.8    |
| <b>YOUR PROBABLE MAJOR</b>                         |                    |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| <b>Physical Science</b>                            |                    |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Astronomy  |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.2            | 0.2    | 0.2    | 0.2               | 0.2    | 0.2    |
| Atmospheric Science (incl. Meteorology)            |                    | 0.3              | 0.5   | 0.4   | 0.3            | 0.1    | 0.2    | 0.1               | 0.1    | 0.1    |
| Chemistry  |                    | 0.5              | 1.8   | 1.0   | 1.6            | 1.6    | 1.6    | 2.2               | 2.1    | 2.2    |
| Earth Science                                      |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.1            | 0.1    | 0.1    | 0.1               | 0.2    | 0.2    |
| Marine Science (incl. Oceanography)                |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.1            | 0.2    | 0.1    | 0.0               | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| Mathematics  |                    | 1.6              | 1.3   | 1.5   | 1.2            | 0.9    | 1.0    | 3.1               | 1.9    | 2.5    |
| Physics  |                    | 1.8              | 0.8   | 1.4   | 1.1            | 0.2    | 0.6    | 3.1               | 1.0    | 2.1    |
| Statistics   |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.1            | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.1               | 0.1    | 0.1    |
| Other Physical Science                             |                    | 0.0              | 0.3   | 0.1   | 0.2            | 0.2    | 0.2    | 0.1               | 0.2    | 0.1    |
| <b>Professional</b>                                |                    |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Architecture or Urban Planning                     |                    | 3.4              | 6.9   | 4.8   | 1.3            | 0.9    | 1.1    | 1.3               | 1.5    | 1.4    |
| Family & Consumer Sciences                         |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0            | 0.3    | 0.2    | 0.0               | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| Health Technology (medical, dental,<br>laboratory) |                    | 0.2              | 0.3   | 0.2   | 0.5            | 0.6    | 0.6    | 0.3               | 0.3    | 0.3    |
| Library or Archival Science                        |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0            | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.0               | 0.0    | 0.0    |

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|  | # Res-<br>pondents | Your Institution |       |       | Public Univ-hi |        |        | Private Univ-v hi |        |        |
|--|--------------------|------------------|-------|-------|----------------|--------|--------|-------------------|--------|--------|
|  |                    | Men              | Women | Total | Men            | Women  | Total  | Men               | Women  | Total  |
| <b>Number of Respondents</b>   |                    | 646              | 404   | 1,050 | 18,720         | 23,773 | 42,493 | 10,554            | 10,715 | 21,269 |
| Medicine, Dentistry, Veterinary Medicine   |                    | 1.1              | 2.0   | 1.5   | 4.5            | 7.0    | 5.8    | 4.3               | 6.4    | 5.3    |
| Nursing  |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.3            | 3.1    | 1.8    | 0.0               | 0.8    | 0.4    |
| Pharmacy   |                    | 0.0              | 0.3   | 0.1   | 1.8            | 2.6    | 2.2    | 0.0               | 0.1    | 0.1    |
| Therapy (occupational, physical, speech)   |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.8            | 1.9    | 1.4    | 0.0               | 0.3    | 0.2    |
| Other Professional   |                    | 0.0              | 0.5   | 0.2   | 0.4            | 0.7    | 0.5    | 0.1               | 0.3    | 0.2    |
| <b>Social Science</b>  |                    |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Anthropology   |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.3            | 0.7    | 0.5    | 0.4               | 1.0    | 0.7    |
| Economics  |                    | 0.5              | 1.0   | 0.7   | 1.6            | 0.8    | 1.1    | 7.5               | 3.9    | 5.7    |
| Ethnic Studies   |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.1            | 0.1    | 0.1    | 0.1               | 0.1    | 0.1    |
| Geography  |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0            | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.0               | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| Political Science (gov't.,<br>international relations)   |                    | 0.5              | 4.3   | 2.0   | 4.4            | 4.9    | 4.7    | 5.7               | 7.7    | 6.7    |
| Psychology   |                    | 0.3              | 2.3   | 1.1   | 2.5            | 6.7    | 4.7    | 1.4               | 4.4    | 2.9    |
| Social Work  |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.1            | 0.5    | 0.3    | 0.0               | 0.2    | 0.1    |
| Sociology  |                    | 0.2              | 0.0   | 0.1   | 0.5            | 0.8    | 0.6    | 0.3               | 0.9    | 0.6    |
| Women's Studies  |                    | 0.2              | 0.0   | 0.1   | 0.0            | 0.1    | 0.0    | 0.0               | 0.1    | 0.0    |
| Other Social Science   |                    | 0.2              | 0.3   | 0.2   | 0.3            | 0.5    | 0.4    | 0.3               | 0.6    | 0.5    |
| <b>Technical</b>   |                    |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Building Trades  |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.1            | 0.0    | 0.1    | 0.0               | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| Data Processing or Computer Programming  |                    | 2.4              | 0.5   | 1.7   | 0.7            | 0.0    | 0.3    | 0.5               | 0.1    | 0.3    |
| Drafting or Design   |                    | 0.5              | 0.8   | 0.6   | 0.1            | 0.3    | 0.2    | 0.1               | 0.2    | 0.1    |
| Electronics  |                    | 0.5              | 0.0   | 0.3   | 0.1            | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.0               | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| Mechanics  |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0            | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.1               | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| Other Technical  |                    | 0.3              | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.1            | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.0               | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| <b>Other Fields</b>  |                    |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Agriculture  |                    | 0.0              | 0.3   | 0.1   | 1.0            | 0.7    | 0.8    | 0.2               | 0.3    | 0.3    |
| Communications   |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 1.0            | 2.8    | 2.0    | 0.3               | 1.1    | 0.7    |
| Computer Science   |                    | 9.1              | 2.0   | 6.4   | 1.5            | 0.2    | 0.8    | 2.2               | 0.5    | 1.4    |
| Forestry   |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.1            | 0.0    | 0.1    | 0.0               | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| Kinesiology  |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.3            | 0.3    | 0.3    | 0.1               | 0.1    | 0.1    |
| Law Enforcement  |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.5            | 0.2    | 0.3    | 0.0               | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| Military Science   |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0            | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.0               | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| Other Field  |                    | 0.8              | 0.0   | 0.5   | 0.7            | 1.4    | 1.1    | 0.9               | 1.1    | 1.0    |
| Undecided  |                    | 0.8              | 3.1   | 1.7   | 5.6            | 8.0    | 6.9    | 6.4               | 9.9    | 8.1    |
| <b>HOW MUCH OF YOUR FIRST YEAR'S<br/>EDUCATIONAL EXPENSES (ROOM, BOARD,<br/>TUITION AND FEES) DO YOU EXPECT TO<br/>COVER FROM:</b> |                    |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| <b>Parents, other relatives or friends</b>   | 1,050              |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| None   |                    | 12.2             | 9.4   | 11.1  | 14.7           | 14.5   | 14.6   | 10.8              | 9.2    | 10.0   |
| Less than \$1,000  |                    | 6.8              | 10.1  | 8.1   | 7.1            | 8.2    | 7.7    | 3.1               | 4.0    | 3.5    |

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|---|--------------------|------------------|-------|-------|----------------|--------|--------|-------------------|--------|--------|
|   |                    | Men              | Women | Total | Men            | Women  | Total  | Men               | Women  | Total  |
| <b>Number of Respondents</b>                            |                    | 646              | 404   | 1,050 | 18,720         | 23,773 | 42,493 | 10,554            | 10,715 | 21,269 |
| \$1,000 to \$2,999                                      |                    | 15.9             | 20.8  | 17.8  | 11.4           | 11.5   | 11.5   | 4.9               | 5.1    | 5.0    |
| \$3,000 to \$5,999                                      |                    | 20.0             | 20.8  | 20.3  | 12.5           | 12.7   | 12.6   | 5.9               | 6.2    | 6.1    |
| \$6,000 to \$9,999                                      |                    | 13.9             | 13.6  | 13.8  | 12.3           | 12.2   | 12.3   | 6.9               | 6.7    | 6.8    |
| Over \$10,000   |                    | 31.1             | 25.2  | 28.9  | 42.0           | 40.9   | 41.4   | 68.4              | 68.8   | 68.6   |
| <b>Spouse</b>   | 1,050              |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| None  |                    | 99.1             | 99.8  | 99.3  | 99.2           | 99.6   | 99.4   | 99.4              | 99.9   | 99.6   |
| Less than \$1,000                                       |                    | 0.2              | 0.0   | 0.1   | 0.3            | 0.2    | 0.2    | 0.2               | 0.0    | 0.1    |
| \$1,000 to \$2,999                                      |                    | 0.0              | 0.2   | 0.1   | 0.2            | 0.1    | 0.1    | 0.1               | 0.0    | 0.1    |
| \$3,000 to \$5,999                                      |                    | 0.2              | 0.0   | 0.1   | 0.2            | 0.1    | 0.1    | 0.1               | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| \$6,000 to \$9,999                                      |                    | 0.2              | 0.0   | 0.1   | 0.1            | 0.0    | 0.1    | 0.1               | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| Over \$10,000   |                    | 0.5              | 0.0   | 0.3   | 0.1            | 0.0    | 0.1    | 0.1               | 0.0    | 0.1    |
| <b>Savings from summer work</b>                         | 1,050              |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| None  |                    | 64.1             | 68.6  | 65.8  | 52.8           | 54.2   | 53.5   | 56.4              | 56.0   | 56.2   |
| Less than \$1,000                                       |                    | 20.0             | 20.0  | 20.0  | 23.7           | 28.5   | 26.2   | 19.1              | 23.7   | 21.4   |
| \$1,000 to \$2,999                                      |                    | 13.5             | 9.9   | 12.1  | 18.0           | 14.1   | 16.0   | 19.3              | 17.0   | 18.2   |
| \$3,000 to \$5,999                                      |                    | 2.0              | 1.5   | 1.8   | 4.4            | 2.5    | 3.4    | 4.0               | 2.7    | 3.4    |
| \$6,000 to \$9,999                                      |                    | 0.3              | 0.0   | 0.2   | 0.7            | 0.4    | 0.6    | 0.6               | 0.4    | 0.5    |
| Over \$10,000   |                    | 0.2              | 0.0   | 0.1   | 0.3            | 0.1    | 0.2    | 0.5               | 0.3    | 0.4    |
| <b>Other savings</b>                                    | 1,050              |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| None  |                    | 75.4             | 74.3  | 75.0  | 63.6           | 62.6   | 63.1   | 65.7              | 65.4   | 65.6   |
| Less than \$1,000                                       |                    | 14.9             | 14.9  | 14.9  | 19.5           | 21.1   | 20.3   | 15.4              | 16.5   | 15.9   |
| \$1,000 to \$2,999                                      |                    | 4.6              | 7.9   | 5.9   | 10.0           | 10.0   | 10.0   | 10.1              | 9.0    | 9.5    |
| \$3,000 to \$5,999                                      |                    | 2.6              | 0.7   | 1.9   | 3.8            | 3.4    | 3.6    | 3.1               | 3.1    | 3.1    |
| \$6,000 to \$9,999                                      |                    | 1.4              | 1.2   | 1.3   | 1.2            | 1.3    | 1.3    | 1.4               | 1.7    | 1.5    |
| Over \$10,000   |                    | 1.1              | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.9            | 1.5    | 1.7    | 4.4               | 4.3    | 4.4    |
| <b>Part-time job on campus</b>                          | 1,050              |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| None  |                    | 89.5             | 93.1  | 90.9  | 72.0           | 68.8   | 70.3   | 68.0              | 65.2   | 66.6   |
| Less than \$1,000                                       |                    | 6.0              | 3.7   | 5.1   | 13.5           | 16.0   | 14.8   | 12.6              | 15.1   | 13.9   |
| \$1,000 to \$2,999                                      |                    | 4.0              | 2.5   | 3.4   | 12.4           | 13.1   | 12.8   | 16.8              | 17.6   | 17.2   |
| \$3,000 to \$5,999                                      |                    | 0.0              | 0.7   | 0.3   | 1.7            | 1.8    | 1.8    | 2.2               | 1.7    | 2.0    |
| \$6,000 to \$9,999                                      |                    | 0.3              | 0.0   | 0.2   | 0.3            | 0.2    | 0.3    | 0.2               | 0.3    | 0.2    |
| Over \$10,000   |                    | 0.2              | 0.0   | 0.1   | 0.1            | 0.1    | 0.1    | 0.1               | 0.1    | 0.1    |
| <b>Part-time job off campus</b>                         | 1,050              |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| None  |                    | 93.7             | 94.1  | 93.8  | 82.2           | 80.8   | 81.5   | 90.9              | 90.2   | 90.6   |
| Less than \$1,000                                       |                    | 4.2              | 4.0   | 4.1   | 9.9            | 11.4   | 10.7   | 4.8               | 5.9    | 5.3    |
| \$1,000 to \$2,999                                      |                    | 1.7              | 1.0   | 1.4   | 6.0            | 5.9    | 5.9    | 3.5               | 3.1    | 3.3    |
| \$3,000 to \$5,999                                      |                    | 0.2              | 0.7   | 0.4   | 1.5            | 1.5    | 1.5    | 0.6               | 0.6    | 0.6    |
| \$6,000 to \$9,999                                      |                    | 0.2              | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.3            | 0.2    | 0.3    | 0.1               | 0.1    | 0.1    |
| Over \$10,000   |                    | 0.2              | 0.0   | 0.1   | 0.2            | 0.1    | 0.1    | 0.1               | 0.0    | 0.1    |
| <b>Full-time job while in college</b>                   | 1,050              |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| None  |                    | 98.1             | 98.8  | 98.4  | 96.9           | 97.2   | 97.1   | 98.5              | 98.9   | 98.7   |
| Less than \$1,000                                       |                    | 0.5              | 0.0   | 0.3   | 1.2            | 1.0    | 1.1    | 0.6               | 0.4    | 0.5    |

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|  | # Res-<br>pondents | Your Institution |       |       | Public Univ-hi |        |        | Private Univ-v hi |        |        |
|--|--------------------|------------------|-------|-------|----------------|--------|--------|-------------------|--------|--------|
|  |                    | Men              | Women | Total | Men            | Women  | Total  | Men               | Women  | Total  |
| <b>Number of Respondents</b>   |                    | 646              | 404   | 1,050 | 18,720         | 23,773 | 42,493 | 10,554            | 10,715 | 21,269 |
| \$1,000 to \$2,999   |                    | 0.5              | 0.7   | 0.6   | 0.9            | 0.9    | 0.9    | 0.6               | 0.4    | 0.5    |
| \$3,000 to \$5,999   |                    | 0.5              | 0.2   | 0.4   | 0.5            | 0.6    | 0.5    | 0.2               | 0.2    | 0.2    |
| \$6,000 to \$9,999   |                    | 0.2              | 0.0   | 0.1   | 0.2            | 0.2    | 0.2    | 0.1               | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| Over \$10,000  |                    | 0.3              | 0.2   | 0.3   | 0.2            | 0.1    | 0.2    | 0.1               | 0.1    | 0.1    |
| <b>HOW MUCH OF YOUR FIRST YEAR'S EDUCATIONAL EXPENSES DO YOU EXPECT TO COVER FROM:</b> |                    |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| <b>Pell Grant</b>  | 1,050              |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| None   |                    | 89.0             | 85.9  | 87.8  | 87.2           | 84.4   | 85.8   | 89.1              | 88.4   | 88.7   |
| Less than \$1,000  |                    | 2.5              | 5.2   | 3.5   | 2.5            | 3.1    | 2.8    | 1.4               | 1.3    | 1.3    |
| \$1,000 to \$2,999   |                    | 5.6              | 6.9   | 6.1   | 5.7            | 7.1    | 6.5    | 4.0               | 4.9    | 4.5    |
| \$3,000 to \$5,999   |                    | 2.6              | 1.2   | 2.1   | 3.6            | 4.1    | 3.8    | 3.0               | 3.2    | 3.1    |
| \$6,000 to \$9,999   |                    | 0.3              | 0.2   | 0.3   | 0.8            | 0.9    | 0.8    | 0.8               | 0.6    | 0.7    |
| Over \$10,000  |                    | 0.0              | 0.5   | 0.2   | 0.3            | 0.3    | 0.3    | 1.8               | 1.5    | 1.7    |
| <b>Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant</b>                                      | 1,050              |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| None   |                    | 94.9             | 95.5  | 95.1  | 94.0           | 93.4   | 93.7   | 93.4              | 93.0   | 93.2   |
| Less than \$1,000  |                    | 1.1              | 2.5   | 1.6   | 2.0            | 2.3    | 2.2    | 1.1               | 1.1    | 1.1    |
| \$1,000 to \$2,999   |                    | 1.9              | 1.2   | 1.6   | 2.4            | 2.7    | 2.5    | 2.3               | 2.5    | 2.4    |
| \$3,000 to \$5,999   |                    | 1.7              | 0.7   | 1.3   | 1.0            | 1.1    | 1.1    | 1.8               | 1.8    | 1.8    |
| \$6,000 to \$9,999   |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.3            | 0.4    | 0.3    | 0.4               | 0.5    | 0.4    |
| Over \$10,000  |                    | 0.5              | 0.0   | 0.3   | 0.2            | 0.3    | 0.2    | 1.1               | 1.1    | 1.1    |
| <b>State Scholarship or Grant: Merit-based</b>   | 1,050              |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| None   |                    | 59.0             | 43.3  | 53.0  | 68.5           | 66.8   | 67.6   | 84.7              | 84.0   | 84.4   |
| Less than \$1,000  |                    | 4.2              | 5.2   | 4.6   | 4.1            | 4.8    | 4.5    | 3.2               | 2.9    | 3.0    |
| \$1,000 to \$2,999   |                    | 15.5             | 20.8  | 17.5  | 9.9            | 10.9   | 10.4   | 7.2               | 7.9    | 7.6    |
| \$3,000 to \$5,999   |                    | 15.9             | 19.6  | 17.3  | 8.3            | 8.3    | 8.3    | 2.5               | 2.9    | 2.7    |
| \$6,000 to \$9,999   |                    | 3.1              | 6.2   | 4.3   | 4.1            | 4.4    | 4.3    | 0.9               | 0.9    | 0.9    |
| Over \$10,000  |                    | 2.3              | 5.0   | 3.3   | 5.1            | 4.8    | 4.9    | 1.6               | 1.3    | 1.5    |
| <b>State Scholarship or Grant: Need-based</b>  | 1,050              |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| None   |                    | 93.3             | 89.9  | 92.0  | 89.0           | 86.3   | 87.6   | 91.5              | 90.5   | 91.0   |
| Less than \$1,000  |                    | 1.9              | 2.5   | 2.1   | 2.6            | 3.4    | 3.0    | 1.2               | 1.4    | 1.3    |
| \$1,000 to \$2,999   |                    | 2.3              | 5.4   | 3.5   | 4.1            | 5.3    | 4.7    | 2.2               | 2.2    | 2.2    |
| \$3,000 to \$5,999   |                    | 1.7              | 1.2   | 1.5   | 2.2            | 2.5    | 2.4    | 1.7               | 1.7    | 1.7    |
| \$6,000 to \$9,999   |                    | 0.3              | 0.2   | 0.3   | 1.5            | 1.7    | 1.6    | 0.6               | 1.1    | 0.8    |
| Over \$10,000  |                    | 0.5              | 0.7   | 0.6   | 0.7            | 0.7    | 0.7    | 2.8               | 3.1    | 3.0    |
| <b>College Work-Study Grant</b>  | 1,050              |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| None   |                    | 96.3             | 96.8  | 96.5  | 88.6           | 84.9   | 86.7   | 79.3              | 76.9   | 78.1   |
| Less than \$1,000  |                    | 0.9              | 0.2   | 0.7   | 3.2            | 4.1    | 3.6    | 3.9               | 4.0    | 3.9    |
| \$1,000 to \$2,999   |                    | 1.2              | 2.2   | 1.6   | 7.0            | 9.7    | 8.4    | 14.6              | 16.9   | 15.7   |
| \$3,000 to \$5,999   |                    | 1.1              | 0.7   | 1.0   | 0.9            | 1.0    | 1.0    | 1.6               | 1.7    | 1.6    |
| \$6,000 to \$9,999   |                    | 0.3              | 0.0   | 0.2   | 0.2            | 0.2    | 0.2    | 0.2               | 0.2    | 0.2    |

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|  | # Res-<br>pondents | Your Institution |       |       | Public Univ-hi |        |        | Private Univ-v hi |        |        |
|--|--------------------|------------------|-------|-------|----------------|--------|--------|-------------------|--------|--------|
|  |                    | Men              | Women | Total | Men            | Women  | Total  | Men               | Women  | Total  |
| <b>Number of Respondents</b>   |                    | 646              | 404   | 1,050 | 18,720         | 23,773 | 42,493 | 10,554            | 10,715 | 21,269 |
| Over \$10,000  |                    | 0.2              | 0.0   | 0.1   | 0.2            | 0.1    | 0.1    | 0.3               | 0.3    | 0.3    |
| <b>College Grant/Scholarship (other than above)</b>                                    | 1,050              |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| None   |                    | 82.7             | 78.7  | 81.1  | 77.3           | 73.6   | 75.4   | 64.8              | 62.5   | 63.7   |
| Less than \$1,000  |                    | 3.1              | 3.7   | 3.3   | 4.2            | 5.3    | 4.8    | 1.5               | 1.9    | 1.7    |
| \$1,000 to \$2,999   |                    | 5.3              | 8.2   | 6.4   | 8.0            | 9.4    | 8.7    | 3.5               | 4.5    | 4.0    |
| \$3,000 to \$5,999   |                    | 4.0              | 4.0   | 4.0   | 4.4            | 4.6    | 4.5    | 2.9               | 3.4    | 3.2    |
| \$6,000 to \$9,999   |                    | 3.1              | 3.5   | 3.2   | 2.9            | 3.8    | 3.4    | 3.3               | 3.1    | 3.2    |
| Over \$10,000  |                    | 1.9              | 2.0   | 1.9   | 3.1            | 3.3    | 3.2    | 24.0              | 24.5   | 24.3   |
| <b>Other private grant</b>   | 1,050              |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| None   |                    | 86.8             | 84.2  | 85.8  | 89.7           | 88.6   | 89.1   | 82.0              | 80.1   | 81.1   |
| Less than \$1,000  |                    | 3.9              | 5.2   | 4.4   | 4.2            | 4.5    | 4.3    | 3.7               | 4.2    | 4.0    |
| \$1,000 to \$2,999   |                    | 5.0              | 5.7   | 5.2   | 4.0            | 4.3    | 4.2    | 7.4               | 8.1    | 7.7    |
| \$3,000 to \$5,999   |                    | 2.8              | 3.2   | 3.0   | 1.3            | 1.6    | 1.4    | 3.5               | 3.9    | 3.7    |
| \$6,000 to \$9,999   |                    | 0.5              | 0.7   | 0.6   | 0.5            | 0.6    | 0.5    | 1.2               | 1.6    | 1.4    |
| Over \$10,000  |                    | 1.1              | 1.0   | 1.0   | 0.4            | 0.4    | 0.4    | 2.2               | 2.2    | 2.2    |
| <b>HOW MUCH OF YOUR FIRST YEAR'S EDUCATIONAL EXPENSES DO YOU EXPECT TO COVER FROM:</b> |                    |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| <b>GI military benefits</b>  | 1,050              |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| None   |                    | 98.9             | 99.5  | 99.1  | 99.1           | 99.3   | 99.2   | 99.7              | 99.7   | 99.7   |
| Less than \$1,000  |                    | 0.3              | 0.2   | 0.3   | 0.2            | 0.2    | 0.2    | 0.1               | 0.1    | 0.1    |
| \$1,000 to \$2,999   |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.3            | 0.2    | 0.2    | 0.1               | 0.1    | 0.1    |
| \$3,000 to \$5,999   |                    | 0.5              | 0.2   | 0.4   | 0.2            | 0.1    | 0.1    | 0.1               | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| \$6,000 to \$9,999   |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.2            | 0.1    | 0.1    | 0.1               | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| Over \$10,000  |                    | 0.3              | 0.0   | 0.2   | 0.1            | 0.1    | 0.1    | 0.0               | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| <b>ROTC</b>  | 1,050              |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| None   |                    | 97.5             | 99.3  | 98.2  | 98.9           | 99.6   | 99.2   | 98.9              | 99.6   | 99.2   |
| Less than \$1,000  |                    | 0.0              | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.1            | 0.1    | 0.1    | 0.2               | 0.0    | 0.1    |
| \$1,000 to \$2,999   |                    | 0.3              | 0.0   | 0.2   | 0.2            | 0.1    | 0.1    | 0.1               | 0.1    | 0.1    |
| \$3,000 to \$5,999   |                    | 0.6              | 0.2   | 0.5   | 0.2            | 0.1    | 0.1    | 0.0               | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| \$6,000 to \$9,999   |                    | 0.2              | 0.0   | 0.1   | 0.2            | 0.1    | 0.1    | 0.0               | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| Over \$10,000  |                    | 1.4              | 0.5   | 1.0   | 0.4            | 0.1    | 0.3    | 0.8               | 0.3    | 0.6    |
| <b>Other Government Aid</b>  | 1,050              |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| None   |                    | 95.7             | 97.0  | 96.2  | 96.0           | 95.4   | 95.7   | 97.3              | 97.1   | 97.2   |
| Less than \$1,000  |                    | 1.1              | 0.2   | 0.8   | 1.0            | 1.2    | 1.1    | 0.6               | 0.7    | 0.6    |
| \$1,000 to \$2,999   |                    | 1.2              | 0.7   | 1.0   | 1.4            | 1.5    | 1.4    | 1.0               | 0.9    | 1.0    |
| \$3,000 to \$5,999   |                    | 1.5              | 0.7   | 1.2   | 0.7            | 0.9    | 0.8    | 0.4               | 0.6    | 0.5    |
| \$6,000 to \$9,999   |                    | 0.2              | 0.7   | 0.4   | 0.5            | 0.5    | 0.5    | 0.2               | 0.3    | 0.2    |
| Over \$10,000  |                    | 0.3              | 0.5   | 0.4   | 0.4            | 0.4    | 0.4    | 0.5               | 0.4    | 0.4    |
| <b>Stafford Loan (GSL)</b>   | 1,050              |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| None   |                    | 70.4             | 74.8  | 72.1  | 84.1           | 83.3   | 83.7   | 76.0              | 75.1   | 75.6   |

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|--|--------------------|------------------|-------|-------|----------------|--------|--------|-------------------|--------|--------|
|  |                    | Men              | Women | Total | Men            | Women  | Total  | Men               | Women  | Total  |
| <b>Number of Respondents</b>   |                    | 646              | 404   | 1,050 | 18,720         | 23,773 | 42,493 | 10,554            | 10,715 | 21,269 |
| Less than \$1,000  |                    | 2.8              | 3.2   | 3.0   | 2.1            | 2.5    | 2.3    | 2.0               | 2.3    | 2.1    |
| \$1,000 to \$2,999   |                    | 16.4             | 14.6  | 15.7  | 8.3            | 9.2    | 8.8    | 15.0              | 15.7   | 15.3   |
| \$3,000 to \$5,999   |                    | 7.0              | 4.5   | 6.0   | 3.0            | 2.8    | 2.9    | 4.2               | 4.1    | 4.1    |
| \$6,000 to \$9,999   |                    | 1.5              | 1.2   | 1.4   | 1.1            | 1.0    | 1.1    | 1.1               | 1.1    | 1.1    |
| Over \$10,000  |                    | 1.9              | 1.7   | 1.8   | 1.3            | 1.2    | 1.3    | 1.6               | 1.7    | 1.7    |
| <b>Perkins Loan</b>  | 1,050              |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| None   |                    | 92.9             | 93.8  | 93.2  | 90.3           | 89.0   | 89.7   | 84.7              | 84.6   | 84.7   |
| Less than \$1,000  |                    | 1.1              | 1.5   | 1.2   | 2.0            | 2.4    | 2.2    | 1.8               | 2.2    | 2.0    |
| \$1,000 to \$2,999   |                    | 3.3              | 3.2   | 3.2   | 4.9            | 5.7    | 5.3    | 8.6               | 8.6    | 8.6    |
| \$3,000 to \$5,999   |                    | 2.5              | 0.7   | 1.8   | 2.0            | 2.2    | 2.1    | 3.8               | 3.6    | 3.7    |
| \$6,000 to \$9,999   |                    | 0.2              | 0.5   | 0.3   | 0.4            | 0.5    | 0.5    | 0.6               | 0.6    | 0.6    |
| Over \$10,000  |                    | 0.2              | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.3            | 0.3    | 0.3    | 0.5               | 0.5    | 0.5    |
| <b>Other College Loan</b>  | 1,050              |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| None   |                    | 89.3             | 93.3  | 90.9  | 87.5           | 87.4   | 87.4   | 88.9              | 89.3   | 89.1   |
| Less than \$1,000  |                    | 0.6              | 0.2   | 0.5   | 1.6            | 1.8    | 1.7    | 0.7               | 0.9    | 0.8    |
| \$1,000 to \$2,999   |                    | 3.4              | 2.2   | 3.0   | 3.4            | 4.0    | 3.7    | 2.6               | 2.4    | 2.5    |
| \$3,000 to \$5,999   |                    | 2.8              | 1.2   | 2.2   | 2.6            | 2.3    | 2.4    | 2.4               | 2.3    | 2.4    |
| \$6,000 to \$9,999   |                    | 1.7              | 1.2   | 1.5   | 1.7            | 1.6    | 1.7    | 1.3               | 1.4    | 1.3    |
| Over \$10,000  |                    | 2.2              | 1.7   | 2.0   | 3.2            | 2.9    | 3.0    | 4.1               | 3.8    | 3.9    |
| <b>Other Loan</b>  | 1,050              |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| None   |                    | 93.3             | 95.3  | 94.1  | 92.7           | 91.7   | 92.2   | 93.9              | 93.5   | 93.7   |
| Less than \$1,000  |                    | 0.6              | 0.7   | 0.7   | 1.3            | 1.3    | 1.3    | 0.5               | 0.5    | 0.5    |
| \$1,000 to \$2,999   |                    | 1.9              | 1.2   | 1.6   | 1.8            | 2.1    | 2.0    | 1.1               | 1.2    | 1.2    |
| \$3,000 to \$5,999   |                    | 1.1              | 0.7   | 1.0   | 1.3            | 1.7    | 1.5    | 1.0               | 1.0    | 1.0    |
| \$6,000 to \$9,999   |                    | 1.2              | 0.7   | 1.0   | 1.0            | 1.2    | 1.1    | 0.8               | 0.9    | 0.9    |
| Over \$10,000  |                    | 1.9              | 1.2   | 1.6   | 1.8            | 2.0    | 1.9    | 2.7               | 2.9    | 2.8    |
| <b>HOW MUCH OF YOUR FIRST YEAR'S<br/>EDUCATIONAL EXPENSES DO YOU<br/>EXPECT TO COVER FROM:</b> |                    |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| <b>Other Than Above</b>  | 1,050              |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| None   |                    | 95.8             | 96.5  | 96.1  | 95.8           | 94.7   | 95.2   | 97.1              | 96.7   | 96.9   |
| Less than \$1,000  |                    | 1.2              | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.3            | 1.6    | 1.5    | 0.6               | 0.5    | 0.6    |
| \$1,000 to \$2,999   |                    | 1.4              | 1.0   | 1.2   | 1.1            | 1.5    | 1.3    | 0.7               | 0.7    | 0.7    |
| \$3,000 to \$5,999   |                    | 0.8              | 1.0   | 0.9   | 0.8            | 0.9    | 0.9    | 0.4               | 0.5    | 0.5    |
| \$6,000 to \$9,999   |                    | 0.2              | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.3            | 0.5    | 0.4    | 0.3               | 0.3    | 0.3    |
| Over \$10,000  |                    | 0.6              | 0.0   | 0.4   | 0.7            | 0.8    | 0.7    | 1.1               | 1.2    | 1.1    |
| <b>Do you have any concern about your<br/>ability to finance your college<br/>education?</b>   |                    |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| None (I am confident that I will have<br>sufficient funds)                                     | 1,018              |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Some (but I probably will have enough)   |                    | 46.2             | 41.5  | 44.4  | 43.2           | 33.7   | 38.2   | 45.7              | 38.4   | 42.1   |

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|--|--------------------|------------------|-------|-------|----------------|--------|--------|-------------------|--------|--------|
|  |                    | Men              | Women | Total | Men            | Women  | Total  | Men               | Women  | Total  |
| <b>Number of Respondents</b>   |                    | 646              | 404   | 1,050 | 18,720         | 23,773 | 42,493 | 10,554            | 10,715 | 21,269 |
| funds)   |                    | 46.4             | 51.4  | 48.3  | 49.3           | 55.5   | 52.5   | 47.7              | 53.0   | 50.3   |
| Major (not sure I will have enough funds to complete college)                  |                    | 7.4              | 7.1   | 7.3   | 7.6            | 10.8   | 9.3    | 6.6               | 8.7    | 7.6    |
| <b>Student estimates chances are "very good" that he/she will:</b>             |                    |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Change major field   | 1,000              | 8.9              | 15.1  | 11.3  | 13.8           | 18.7   | 16.4   | 17.3              | 22.9   | 20.0   |
| Change career choice   | 994                | 6.6              | 12.6  | 9.0   | 13.4           | 18.2   | 15.9   | 20.9              | 26.5   | 23.7   |
| Participate in student government  | 995                | 3.5              | 14.4  | 7.7   | 6.3            | 10.9   | 8.7    | 8.2               | 10.3   | 9.3    |
| Get a job to help pay for college expenses                                     | 994                | 27.6             | 29.9  | 28.5  | 34.8           | 46.2   | 40.8   | 34.7              | 43.7   | 39.1   |
| Work full-time while attending college   | 997                | 2.8              | 1.8   | 2.4   | 2.8            | 3.8    | 3.3    | 1.4               | 1.8    | 1.6    |
| Join a social fraternity or sorority   | 993                | 17.8             | 23.3  | 19.9  | 9.1            | 14.6   | 12.0   | 8.4               | 11.2   | 9.8    |
| Play varsity/intercollegiate athletics   | 989                | 9.5              | 6.5   | 8.3   | 12.4           | 8.8    | 10.5   | 17.6              | 14.0   | 15.8   |
| Make at least a "B" average  | 995                | 62.5             | 54.4  | 59.3  | 64.9           | 64.1   | 64.5   | 72.4              | 67.7   | 70.1   |
| Need extra time to complete your degree requirements                           | 994                | 19.3             | 23.7  | 21.0  | 5.8            | 5.7    | 5.8    | 2.7               | 2.3    | 2.5    |
| Participate in student protests or demonstrations                              | 994                | 3.8              | 3.3   | 3.6   | 5.7            | 7.1    | 6.4    | 9.1               | 13.1   | 11.1   |
| Transfer to another college before graduating                                  | 991                | 1.7              | 2.1   | 1.8   | 3.8            | 3.9    | 3.9    | 1.6               | 1.0    | 1.3    |
| Be satisfied with your college   | 992                | 61.4             | 60.7  | 61.1  | 54.6           | 61.9   | 58.5   | 73.6              | 77.5   | 75.5   |
| Participate in volunteer or community service work                             | 991                | 16.3             | 42.4  | 26.5  | 18.8           | 39.8   | 29.9   | 33.6              | 57.7   | 45.5   |
| Seek personal counseling   | 992                | 5.8              | 8.0   | 6.7   | 6.9            | 10.5   | 8.8    | 6.8               | 9.4    | 8.1    |
| Communicate regularly with your professors                                     | 990                | 26.5             | 30.1  | 27.9  | 28.6           | 36.6   | 32.8   | 45.9              | 53.2   | 49.5   |
| Socialize with someone of another racial/ethnic group                          | 986                | 76.1             | 80.2  | 77.7  | 64.4           | 74.8   | 69.9   | 81.0              | 87.2   | 84.0   |
| Participate in student clubs/groups  | 992                | 50.8             | 65.4  | 56.6  | 42.7           | 60.7   | 52.2   | 64.4              | 78.4   | 71.3   |
| Participate in a study abroad program  | 991                | 24.4             | 50.1  | 34.5  | 24.8           | 46.0   | 36.0   | 33.5              | 58.1   | 45.6   |
| <b>Objectives considered to be "essential" or "very important"</b>             |                    |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Becoming accomplished in one of the performing arts (acting, dancing, etc.)    | 990                | 11.1             | 13.7  | 12.1  | 12.9           | 14.5   | 13.7   | 17.4              | 22.6   | 20.0   |
| Becoming an authority in my field  | 988                | 59.1             | 62.7  | 60.5  | 60.2           | 58.5   | 59.3   | 68.2              | 67.3   | 67.8   |
| Obtaining recognition from my colleagues for contributions to my special field | 987                | 52.6             | 57.3  | 54.4  | 55.8           | 55.0   | 55.4   | 59.7              | 59.7   | 59.7   |
| Influencing the political structure  | 988                | 18.4             | 19.5  | 18.8  | 25.4           | 21.6   | 23.4   | 29.5              | 25.5   | 27.5   |
| Influencing social values  | 987                | 28.8             | 36.0  | 31.6  | 36.9           | 44.6   | 40.9   | 40.2              | 46.2   | 43.2   |
| Raising a family   | 992                | 73.7             | 66.4  | 70.9  | 73.9           | 74.9   | 74.4   | 75.4              | 72.2   | 73.8   |

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|---|--------------------|------------------|-------|-------|----------------|--------|--------|-------------------|--------|--------|
|   |                    | Men              | Women | Total | Men            | Women  | Total  | Men               | Women  | Total  |
| <b>Number of Respondents</b>  |                    | 646              | 404   | 1,050 | 18,720         | 23,773 | 42,493 | 10,554            | 10,715 | 21,269 |
| Having administrative responsibility for the work of others   | 984                | 41.8             | 41.1  | 41.6  | 41.8           | 39.4   | 40.5   | 40.9              | 35.6   | 38.3   |
| Being very well off financially   | 990                | 77.5             | 68.4  | 73.9  | 75.6           | 72.9   | 74.2   | 68.7              | 62.5   | 65.6   |
| Helping others who are in difficulty  | 989                | 52.5             | 61.5  | 56.0  | 58.9           | 73.1   | 66.4   | 67.1              | 77.3   | 72.1   |
| Making a theoretical contribution to science  | 986                | 33.6             | 32.3  | 33.1  | 26.8           | 21.3   | 23.9   | 33.1              | 25.9   | 29.5   |
| Writing original works (poems, novels, short stories, etc.)   | 983                | 12.2             | 12.0  | 12.1  | 15.4           | 14.8   | 15.1   | 18.7              | 20.9   | 19.8   |
| Creating artistic work (painting, sculpture, decorating, etc.)  | 985                | 11.0             | 16.8  | 13.3  | 13.5           | 16.6   | 15.1   | 13.1              | 17.4   | 15.2   |
| Becoming successful in a business of my own   | 987                | 43.3             | 31.9  | 38.8  | 46.2           | 39.7   | 42.8   | 43.3              | 33.9   | 38.6   |
| Becoming involved in programs to clean up the environment   | 986                | 20.3             | 27.2  | 23.0  | 21.9           | 26.2   | 24.1   | 25.0              | 28.7   | 26.8   |
| Developing a meaningful philosophy of life  | 986                | 44.6             | 46.5  | 45.3  | 49.8           | 50.0   | 49.9   | 61.9              | 61.5   | 61.7   |
| Participating in a community action program   | 987                | 18.1             | 31.3  | 23.3  | 22.2           | 33.6   | 28.2   | 28.2              | 44.4   | 36.2   |
| Helping to promote racial understanding   | 987                | 27.5             | 32.3  | 29.4  | 31.3           | 38.0   | 34.8   | 36.3              | 45.1   | 40.6   |
| Keeping up to date with political affairs   | 989                | 35.7             | 41.7  | 38.0  | 43.5           | 40.5   | 41.9   | 54.6              | 55.4   | 55.0   |
| Becoming a community leader   | 986                | 29.2             | 36.0  | 31.8  | 34.5           | 38.4   | 36.6   | 41.8              | 45.5   | 43.6   |
| Improving my understanding of other countries and cultures  | 985                | 45.6             | 56.5  | 49.8  | 47.6           | 60.5   | 54.4   | 60.4              | 75.8   | 68.0   |
| Participating in an organization like the Peace Corps or AmeriCorps/VISTA   | 963                | 6.5              | 10.9  | 8.2   | 8.5            | 15.4   | 12.1   | 10.8              | 21.1   | 15.9   |
| <b>Do you give the Higher Education Research Institute (HERI) permission to include your ID number should your college request the data for additional research analyses?</b> | 916                |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Yes   |                    | 55.7             | 54.5  | 55.2  | 57.9           | 58.6   | 58.3   | 58.3              | 54.5   | 56.4   |
| No  |                    | 44.3             | 45.5  | 44.8  | 42.1           | 41.4   | 41.7   | 41.7              | 45.5   | 43.6   |
| <b>Student agrees "strongly" or "somewhat"</b>  |                    |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| There is too much concern in the courts for the rights of criminals   | 977                | 60.1             | 54.2  | 57.8  | 56.6           | 51.1   | 53.8   | 47.4              | 40.3   | 43.9   |
| Abortion should be legal  | 983                | 54.1             | 59.7  | 56.3  | 65.0           | 65.7   | 65.4   | 70.4              | 74.9   | 72.6   |
| The death penalty should be abolished   | 979                | 24.8             | 34.7  | 28.6  | 32.5           | 40.4   | 36.6   | 47.1              | 56.1   | 51.5   |
| Marijuana should be legalized   | 981                | 36.5             | 33.1  | 35.2  | 45.1           | 36.2   | 40.5   | 46.0              | 41.1   | 43.6   |
| It is important to have laws prohibiting homosexual relationships   | 978                | 29.5             | 19.8  | 25.8  | 27.0           | 15.0   | 20.7   | 17.9              | 11.2   | 14.6   |
| Racial discrimination is no longer a  |                    |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |

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|   |                    | Men              | Women | Total | Men            | Women  | Total  | Men               | Women  | Total  |
| <b>Number of Respondents</b>  |                    | 646              | 404   | 1,050 | 18,720         | 23,773 | 42,493 | 10,554            | 10,715 | 21,269 |
| major problem in America  | 979                | 25.3             | 20.6  | 23.5  | 23.0           | 14.2   | 18.4   | 18.4              | 10.8   | 14.7   |
| Realistically, an individual can do little to bring about changes in our society  | 979                | 29.9             | 24.5  | 27.8  | 29.4           | 21.5   | 25.3   | 26.3              | 18.3   | 22.4   |
| Wealthy people should pay a larger share of taxes than they do now                | 975                | 50.3             | 51.2  | 50.7  | 58.2           | 58.3   | 58.2   | 58.4              | 60.6   | 59.5   |
| Same-sex couples should have the right to legal marital status                    | 979                | 55.2             | 61.1  | 57.5  | 60.0           | 72.6   | 66.6   | 70.2              | 79.7   | 74.8   |
| Affirmative action in college admissions should be abolished                      | 963                | 64.6             | 58.4  | 62.2  | 57.1           | 48.5   | 52.6   | 58.5              | 52.6   | 55.6   |
| Federal military spending should be increased                                     | 964                | 37.6             | 35.9  | 36.9  | 30.3           | 24.5   | 27.3   | 23.3              | 16.5   | 20.0   |
| The federal government should do more to control the sale of handguns             | 968                | 59.8             | 72.1  | 64.6  | 67.5           | 81.6   | 74.9   | 76.3              | 85.2   | 80.6   |
| Only volunteers should serve in the armed forces                                  | 973                | 65.7             | 62.4  | 64.4  | 65.0           | 65.4   | 65.2   | 73.9              | 73.0   | 73.5   |
| The federal government is not doing enough to control environmental pollution     | 972                | 69.0             | 78.5  | 72.6  | 77.2           | 83.8   | 80.6   | 83.7              | 89.3   | 86.4   |
| A national health care plan is needed to cover everybody's medical costs          | 975                | 51.7             | 54.4  | 52.7  | 67.2           | 74.5   | 71.0   | 66.5              | 75.3   | 70.9   |
| Undocumented immigrants should be denied access to public education               | 978                | 56.2             | 49.2  | 53.5  | 49.8           | 39.8   | 44.6   | 39.0              | 29.7   | 34.4   |
| Through hard work, everybody can succeed in American society                      | 976                | 81.1             | 73.5  | 78.2  | 76.8           | 75.5   | 76.1   | 68.5              | 62.4   | 65.5   |
| Dissent is a critical component of the political process                          | 941                | 67.9             | 67.7  | 67.8  | 70.9           | 65.9   | 68.4   | 85.1              | 83.1   | 84.1   |
| Colleges have the right to ban extreme speakers from campus                       | 973                | 43.1             | 41.1  | 42.3  | 39.1           | 33.0   | 35.9   | 42.6              | 32.1   | 37.5   |
| The chief benefit of a college education is that it increases one's earning power | 968                | 70.1             | 61.7  | 66.8  | 68.2           | 62.4   | 65.2   | 52.7              | 44.2   | 48.5   |
| The federal government should raise taxes to reduce the deficit                   | 967                | 33.5             | 29.0  | 31.7  | 35.8           | 27.4   | 31.5   | 41.4              | 33.4   | 37.5   |
| <b>How would you characterize your political views?</b>                           | 973                |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Far left  |                    | 2.7              | 1.3   | 2.2   | 3.6            | 2.5    | 3.0    | 4.8               | 4.7    | 4.8    |
| Liberal   |                    | 20.2             | 25.3  | 22.2  | 30.2           | 38.1   | 34.3   | 38.3              | 47.9   | 43.1   |
| Middle-of-the-road  |                    | 42.8             | 47.0  | 44.4  | 40.8           | 39.5   | 40.1   | 35.5              | 32.6   | 34.1   |
| Conservative  |                    | 31.3             | 25.9  | 29.2  | 23.5           | 19.4   | 21.3   | 19.8              | 14.3   | 17.1   |
| Far right   |                    | 3.0              | 0.5   | 2.1   | 1.9            | 0.6    | 1.2    | 1.6               | 0.4    | 1.0    |
| <b>OPTIONAL QUESTIONS</b>   |                    |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |

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|  |                    | Men              | Women | Total | Men            | Women  | Total  | Men               | Women  | Total  |
| <b>Number of Respondents</b>   |                    | 646              | 404   | 1,050 | 18,720         | 23,773 | 42,493 | 10,554            | 10,715 | 21,269 |
| <b>What is your best guess as to the chances that you will do the following while at Georgia Tech:</b>   |                    |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| <b>Participate in the Cooperative Education (Co-op) program?</b>   | 954                |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Very good chance   |                    | 43.7             | 33.5  | 39.7  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Some chance  |                    | 27.9             | 28.4  | 28.1  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Very little chance   |                    | 16.6             | 19.5  | 17.7  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| No chance  |                    | 5.8              | 11.9  | 8.2   |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Don't know   |                    | 6.0              | 6.8   | 6.3   |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| <b>Participate in the International Plan?</b>  | 950                |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Very good chance   |                    | 14.2             | 25.9  | 18.7  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Some chance  |                    | 25.6             | 28.3  | 26.6  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Very little chance   |                    | 29.7             | 27.0  | 28.6  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| No chance  |                    | 17.7             | 13.1  | 15.9  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Don't know   |                    | 12.9             | 5.7   | 10.1  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| <b>Participate in some form of mentored undergraduate research, such as the Undergraduate Research Opportunity Program?</b>                          | 949                |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Very good chance   |                    | 14.4             | 26.8  | 19.2  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Some chance  |                    | 38.9             | 38.8  | 38.9  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Very little chance   |                    | 26.6             | 17.5  | 23.1  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| No chance  |                    | 8.9              | 5.5   | 7.6   |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Don't know   |                    | 11.1             | 11.5  | 11.3  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| <b>Seek out a peer mentor (e.g. peer advisor, fraternity or sorority Big Brother/Sister)?</b>  | 952                |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Very good chance   |                    | 18.9             | 30.1  | 23.2  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Some chance  |                    | 40.7             | 37.4  | 39.4  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Very little chance   |                    | 25.2             | 20.6  | 23.4  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| No chance  |                    | 8.6              | 7.6   | 8.2   |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Don't know   |                    | 6.7              | 4.3   | 5.8   |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| <b>Seek out a faculty mentor?</b>  | 952                |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Very good chance   |                    | 16.3             | 23.3  | 19.0  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Some chance  |                    | 45.1             | 48.5  | 46.4  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Very little chance   |                    | 27.8             | 19.2  | 24.5  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| No chance  |                    | 5.1              | 4.6   | 4.9   |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Don't know   |                    | 5.7              | 4.3   | 5.1   |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| <b>Seek out a mentor that works professionally in your field of study?</b>   | 950                |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Very good chance   |                    | 17.5             | 29.6  | 22.2  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Some chance  |                    | 51.4             | 45.7  | 49.2  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Very little chance   |                    | 19.8             | 16.6  | 18.5  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| No chance  |                    | 4.0              | 3.0   | 3.6   |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Don't know   |                    | 7.4              | 5.2   | 6.5   |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| <b>While in high school, did you participate at any point in some form of research, such as an independent research project, science fair, etc.?</b> | 928                |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |

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| <b>Number of Respondents</b>   |                    | 646              | 404   | 1,050 | 18,720         | 23,773 | 42,493 | 10,554            | 10,715 | 21,269 |
| Yes  |                    | 54.6             | 59.1  | 56.4  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| No   |                    | 45.4             | 40.9  | 43.6  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| <b>Have you had any sort of international experience, including international travel, living abroad, study abroad/ foreign exchange program, etc.?</b>       | 918                |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Yes  |                    | 56.5             | 62.1  | 58.7  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| No   |                    | 43.5             | 37.9  | 41.3  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| <b>While in high school, how many years were you enrolled in one or more foreign language classes?</b>   | 948                |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| 0  |                    | 1.9              | 0.5   | 1.4   |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| 1  |                    | 5.4              | 4.1   | 4.9   |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| 2  |                    | 35.1             | 21.4  | 29.7  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| 3  |                    | 31.6             | 32.0  | 31.8  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| 4 or more  |                    | 26.1             | 42.0  | 32.3  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| <b>What overall grade point average do you anticipate making at GT during your first year?</b>   | 944                |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| 3.5-4.0  |                    | 50.3             | 50.4  | 50.3  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| 3.0-3.4  |                    | 42.8             | 44.9  | 43.6  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| 2.5-2.9  |                    | 5.0              | 3.6   | 4.4   |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| 2.0-2.4  |                    | 0.9              | 0.8   | 0.8   |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Less than 2.0  |                    | 1.0              | 0.3   | 0.7   |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| <b>What was your class ranking when you graduated from High School?</b>  | 947                |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Don't know/rankings not used in my high school   |                    | 13.3             | 12.5  | 13.0  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| First in my class  |                    | 6.6              | 9.0   | 7.5   |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| In the top 10%   |                    | 45.6             | 52.7  | 48.4  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| In the top 25% (but lower than top 10%)  |                    | 28.2             | 23.9  | 26.5  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Not in the top 25%   |                    | 6.4              | 1.9   | 4.6   |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| <b>Do you plan to participate in leadership skill development opportunities and activities while at Georgia Tech?</b>  | 907                |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Yes  |                    | 61.3             | 72.2  | 65.6  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| No   |                    | 38.7             | 27.8  | 34.4  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| <b>How many hours per week do you anticipate studying during your first year at Georgia Tech?</b>  | 945                |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| None or less than one hour per week  |                    | 2.3              | 1.9   | 2.1   |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| 1-5 hours per week   |                    | 10.2             | 6.3   | 8.7   |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| 6-15 hours per week  |                    | 54.4             | 50.8  | 53.0  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| 16-20 hours per week   |                    | 23.2             | 27.4  | 24.9  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| More than 20 hours per week  |                    | 9.9              | 13.6  | 11.3  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| <b>How important do you think it is for you to be able to work with people from other countries, other ethnic or racial backgrounds, and other cultures?</b> | 917                |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Extremely important  |                    | 45.5             | 55.3  | 49.3  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Very important   |                    | 30.7             | 26.1  | 28.9  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Important  |                    | 15.0             | 11.8  | 13.7  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |

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| <b>Number of Respondents</b>  |                    | 646              | 404   | 1,050 | 18,720         | 23,773 | 42,493 | 10,554            | 10,715 | 21,269 |
| Somewhat important  |                    | 5.7              | 5.1   | 5.5   |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Not important   |                    | 3.2              | 1.7   | 2.6   |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| <b>If you witnessed cheating by one of your peers, which would you most likely do?</b>                                      | 909                |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Confront the offending student  |                    | 42.5             | 35.3  | 39.7  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Report it to the professor  |                    | 18.7             | 21.5  | 19.8  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Seek counsel from the Honor Advisory Council  |                    | 13.2             | 19.5  | 15.6  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Report it to the Office of the Dean of Students   |                    | 0.9              | 1.1   | 1.0   |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Ignore the situation  |                    | 24.7             | 22.6  | 23.9  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| <b>If you were to become stressed, which of the following would you most likely do?</b>                                     | 910                |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Participate in physical activities (i.e. work out, play team sports, etc.)  |                    | 63.2             | 54.6  | 59.9  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Attend a workshop or talk on stress management or another related topic   |                    | 2.0              | 2.6   | 2.2   |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Meet with a professional on campus (Instructor, Counselor, Dean, staff member, academic advisor)                            |                    | 6.4              | 15.1  | 9.8   |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| None of the above   |                    | 20.9             | 26.3  | 23.0  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| N/A: I don't experience stress  |                    | 7.5              | 1.4   | 5.2   |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| <b>If you are an undecided Engineering major, which of the following best describes your reason?</b>                        | 149                |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Didn't have enough information to make a decision   |                    | 37.0             | 41.5  | 38.3  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Did not want to declare a specific Engineering major yet  |                    | 27.8             | 29.3  | 28.2  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Thought it would be difficult to switch majors if I had one declared.   |                    | 11.1             | 14.6  | 12.1  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Other reasons   |                    | 12.0             | 2.4   | 9.4   |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Don't know  |                    | 12.0             | 12.2  | 12.1  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| <b>If you have declared an "undecided Engineering" major, what is your best guess as to which major you will change to?</b> | 147                |                  |       |       |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Mecahnical Engineering  |                    | 24.8             | 7.1   | 19.7  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Industrial Engineering  |                    | 15.2             | 28.6  | 19.0  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Electrical/Computer Engineering   |                    | 20.0             | 16.7  | 19.0  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Other Engineering   |                    | 28.6             | 35.7  | 30.6  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |
| Other   |                    | 11.4             | 11.9  | 11.6  |                |        |        |                   |        |        |