

ETS EPP Comparative Data Guide

Senior, Master's (Comprehensive) Colleges and Universities I & II
July 2015 through June 2020

1. Distribution of Institutional Mean Score and Subscores:

		Mean	Std Dev
Total Score		445.5	7.5
Skill	Critical Thinking	111.7	2.0
	Reading	118.2	2.4
	Writing	114.7	1.7
	Mathematics	113.9	2.0
	Humanities	114.5	2.0
	Social Sciences	113.4	1.9
	Natural Sciences	115.6	1.9

of institutions=68

2. Summary of Proficiency Classifications:

(Total number of students: 44,222; weighted number of students: 29,560*)

Skill Dimension and Level	Classified as Proficient	Classified as Marginal	Classified as Non-Proficient
Critical Thinking	5%	23%	72%
Reading, Level 2	40%	20%	40%
Reading, Level 1	68%	16%	16%
Writing, Level 3	10%	26%	64%
Writing, Level 2	22%	37%	41%
Writing, Level 1	64%	24%	11%
Mathematics, Level 3	8%	8%	75%
Mathematics, Level 2	32%	32%	43%
Mathematics, Level 1	58%	58%	19%

*The score distribution used to compute these statistics has been modified, to prevent the statistics from being dominated by a few very large institutions. If an institution contributed more than 2000 students to this data set, the score of each of its students has been weighted by the fraction $2000/n$, where n is the number of students from that institution. For example, if an institution tested 4000 student, the score of each of its students would receive a weight of $2000/4000=1/2$. In computing the statistics, each of its students would count only half as much as a student from an institution that tested 2000 or fewer students. Therefore, an institution testing 4000 students would influence the statistics just as much as if it had tested only 2000 students.