

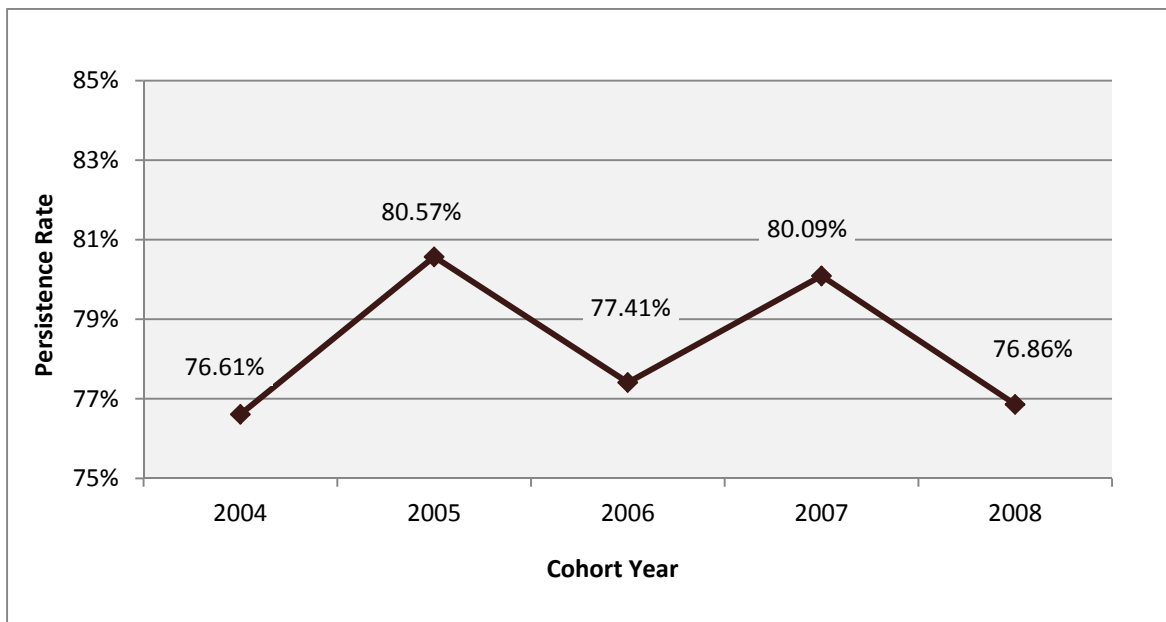
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Date: December 16, 2011
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Subject: Three-Year Persistence Report – Fall 2008 First-Time, First-Year Cohort - Updated

Please find attached the three-year persistence report of the Fall 2008 first-time, first-year (FTFY) cohort with updated financial need levels. This report excludes students in The Women's College and University College.

- **Three-Year Persistence:** 856 of the 1,145 students in the Fall 2008 FTFY cohort persisted to Fall 2011 and 24 graduated prior to the start of the quarter. The Fall 2008 FTFY cohort persistence rate of 76.86% is not statistically significantly different from the Fall 2007 FTFY cohort ($p \leq .05$).

THREE-YEAR PERSISTENCE RATES OF FTFY COHORTS



- **GPA:** Students with a GPA below 2.00 persisted at a statistically significantly lower rate (11.11%) than the overall cohort, while students with a GPA of 3.00 or higher persisted at a statistically significantly higher rate (81.75%) ($p \leq .05$).
- **Non-Persistence Reasons:** Of the 265 students who did not persist, 96 withdrew from the University, 9 took a leave of absence, and 104 had academic, financial, or judicial holds that prevented them from registering this quarter. 35.58% of these students' holds were financial.

Three-Year Persistence Report

Summary of First-Time, First-Year Cohorts

	Fall 2004	Fall 2005	Fall 2006	Fall 2007	Fall 2008
Cohort size	1,136	1,096	1,142	1,140	1,145
Enrolled after three years	862	852	845	893	856
Graduated	31	31	39	20	24
Persistence rate	78.61%	80.57%	77.41%	80.09%	76.86%

Overall GPA ≤ 2.00 (Probation)					
Cohort	52	28	37	30	36
Enrolled after three years	9	3	3	6	4
Persistence rate	17.31%	10.71%	8.11%	20.00%	11.11%

Overall GPA ≥ 3.00					
Cohort	763	863	887	886	915
Enrolled or graduated after three years	649	737	736	747	748
Persistence rate	85.06%*	85.40%*	82.98%*	84.31%*	81.75%*

Average Overall GPA					
Cohort	3.20	3.33	3.29	3.32	3.33
Enrolled after three years	3.29**	3.39**	3.38**	3.39**	3.41**
Graduated	3.65**	3.69**	3.65**	3.72**	3.60**
Not enrolled or graduated after three years	2.80	3.01	2.96	3.02	3.02

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Admission Ratings of First-Time, First-Year Cohorts

	Fall 2004	Fall 2005	Fall 2006	Fall 2007	Fall 2008
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1 and 2 (Highest)					
Cohort	289	336	264	203	269
Enrolled or graduated after three years	243	299	220	182	229
Persistence rate	84.08%*	88.99%*	83.33%*	89.66%*	85.13%*

3 and 4					
Cohort	237	249	285	282	232
Enrolled or graduated after three years	184	198	232	234	186
Persistence rate	77.64%	79.52%	81.40%	82.98%	80.17%

5 and 6					
Cohort	278	251	275	241	238
Enrolled or graduated after three years	227	191	204	187	192
Persistence rate	81.65%	76.10%	74.18%	77.59%	80.67%

7, 8, and 9 (Lowest)					
Cohort	332	261	318	414	399
Enrolled or graduated after three years	239	195	228	305	270
Persistence rate	71.99%*	74.71%*	71.70%*	73.67%*	67.67%*

No Rating Available					
Cohort	0	0	0	0	7
Enrolled or graduated after three years	0	0	0	0	3
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	42.86%

Average Rating					
Cohort	4.8	4.5	4.9	5.4	5.2
Enrolled after three years	4.8**	4.4**	4.8**	5.2**	4.9**
Graduated after three years	2.6**	2.9**	3.1**	1.9**	4.2**
Not enrolled or graduated after three years	5.3	5.1	5.4	6.1	6.1

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Gender

Female					
Cohort	593	611	618	622	639
Enrolled or graduated after three years	458	497	500	495	498
Persistence rate	77.23%	81.34%	80.91%	79.58%	77.93%
Male					
Cohort	543	485	524	518	506
Enrolled or graduated after three years	435	386	384	418	382
Persistence rate	80.11%	79.59%	73.28%	80.69%	75.49%

Geographic Origin

Colorado					
Cohort	507	424	527	466	469
Enrolled or graduated after three years	407	349	421	382	379
Persistence rate	80.28%*	82.31%*	79.89%	81.97%	80.81%*
Out-of-State					
Cohort	566	374	563	605	594
Enrolled or graduated after three years	432	296	417	484	442
Persistence rate	76.33%	79.14%	74.6%*	80.00%	74.41%
International (Non-Resident Alien)					
Cohort	28	43	33	51	63
Enrolled or graduated after three years	21	31	29	34	47
Persistence rate	75.00%	72.09%	87.88%	66.67%*	74.60%
Geographic Origin Unknown					
Cohort	37	256	19	18	19
Enrolled or graduated after three years	33	206	17	13	12
Persistence rate	89.19%	80.47%	89.47%	72.22%	63.16%

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Note:

1. Geographic origin reports the student's permanent residence at the time of application.

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Race/Ethnicity and Citizenship

White					
Cohort	935	902	903	730	802
Enrolled or graduated after three years	745	726	792	596	633
Persistence rate	79.68%	80.49%	87.71%*	81.64%*	78.93%
Domestic Minority					
Cohort	167	145	203	175	178
Enrolled or graduated after three years	122	122	160	138	131
Persistence rate	73.05%	84.14%	78.82%	78.86%	73.60%
International (Non-Resident Alien)					
Cohort	30	44	39	53	61
Enrolled or graduated after three years	23	32	33	36	45
Persistence rate	76.67%	72.73%	84.62%	67.92%	73.77%
Race/Ethnicity Unknown					
Cohort	4	5	36	182	104
Enrolled or graduated after three years	3	3	31	143	71
Persistence rate	75.00%	60.00%	78.00%*	78.57%	68.27%

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Race/Ethnicity

Hispanic or Latino					
Cohort	70	60	81	68	78
Enrolled after three years	46	47	58	50	54
Persistence rate	65.71%*	78.33%	71.60%*	73.53%	69.23%
American Indian or Alaska Native					
Cohort	12	14	14	17	20
Enrolled after three years	8	13	12	12	18
Persistence rate	66.67%	92.86%	85.71%	70.59%	90.00%
Asian or Pacific Islander					
Cohort	65	55	76	61	59
Enrolled after three years	53	49	65	55	46
Persistence rate	81.54%	89.09%	85.53%	90.16%*	77.97%
Black or African American					
Cohort	20	16	32	29	21
Enrolled after three years	15	13	25	21	13
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Involvement of First-Time, First-Year Cohorts

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Athletics

Student Athletes					
Cohort	91	92	66	91	78
Enrolled or graduated after three years	68	77	51	70	54
Persistence rate	74.73%	83.70%	77.27%	76.92%	69.23%

Honors Program

Honors Program Participants					
Cohort	64	99	78	61	95
Enrolled or graduated after three years	58	90	67	56	84
Persistence rate	90.63%*	90.91%*	85.90%	91.80%*	88.42%*
Honors Floor Residents					
Cohort	34	56	48	31	36
Enrolled or graduated after three years	29	52	42	29	32
Persistence rate	85.29%	92.86%*	87.50%	93.55%*	88.89%

Greek

Sorority Members					
Cohort	101	102	82	97	111
Enrolled or graduated after three years	78	90	73	91	93
Persistence rate	77.23%	88.24%*	89.02%*	93.81%*	83.78%
Fraternity Members					
Cohort	84	71	125	132	83
Enrolled at one year	70	62	105	116	65
Persistence rate	83.33%	87.32%	84.00%	87.88%*	78.31%
Greek Total					
Cohort	185	173	207	229	194
Enrolled or graduated after three years	148	152	178	207	158
Persistence rate	80.00%	87.86%*	85.99%*	90.39%*	81.44%

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Living and Learning Communities (LLCs)

Creativity and Entrepreneurship LLC					
Cohort	-	22	20	21	22
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	17	17	16	13
Persistence rate	-	77.27%	85.00%	76.19%	59.09%
Environmental LLC					
Cohort	22	9	17	21	22
Enrolled or graduated after three years	20	6	12	16	19
Persistence rate	90.91%	66.67%	70.59%	76.19%	86.36%
International LLC					
Cohort	32	32	31	33	28
Enrolled or graduated after three years	27	25	24	26	25
Persistence rate	84.38%	78.13%	77.42%	78.79%	89.29%
Pioneer Leadership Program					
Cohort	67	68	67	67	68
Enrolled or graduated after three years	62	62	63	61	63
Persistence rate	92.54%*	91.18%*	94.03%*	91.04%*	92.65%*
Social Justice LLC					
Cohort	17	24	22	22	22
Enrolled or graduated after three years	15	19	18	17	17
Persistence rate	88.24%	79.17%	81.82%	77.27%	77.27%
Wellness LLC					
Cohort	22	24	24	26	27
Enrolled or graduated after three years	16	23	18	22	21
Persistence rate	72.73%	95.83%*	75.00%	84.62%	77.78%
LLC Total					
Cohort	160	179	181	190	189
Enrolled or graduated after three years	140	152	152	158	158
Persistence rate	87.50%*	84.92%*	83.98%*	83.16%*	84.04%*

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Current Majors (Unduplicated) of First-Time, First-Year Cohorts

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Arts and Humanities					
Cohort	136	138	146	165	155
Enrolled or graduated after three years	93	99	107	132	120
Persistence rate	68.38%*	71.74%*	73.29%*	80.00%	77.42%
Social Sciences					
Cohort	200	200	191	192	216
Enrolled or graduated after three years	156	165	161	162	171
Persistence rate	78.00%	82.50%	84.29%	84.38%*	79.17%
Daniels College of Business					
Cohort	507	522	529	494	465
Enrolled or graduated after three years	452	451	430	409	375
Persistence rate	89.15%*	86.4%*	81.29%	82.79%*	80.65%
Engineering and Computer Science					
Cohort	39	29	47	38	42
Enrolled or graduated after three years	23	22	26	25	26
Persistence rate	58.97%*	75.86%	55.32%*	65.79%	61.90%*
Josef Korbel School of International Studies					
Cohort	64	55	60	79	74
Enrolled or graduated after three years	63	54	54	65	64
Persistence rate	98.44%*	98.18%*	90%*	82.28%	86.49%
Natural Sciences and Mathematics					
Cohort	132	116	136	141	172
Enrolled or graduated after three years	100	90	100	120	124
Persistence rate	75.76%	77.59%	73.53%*	85.11%*	72.09%
Undeclared					
Cohort	59	36	33	31	21
Enrolled or graduated after three years	6	2	5	0	0
Persistence rate	10.17%*	5.56%*	15.15%*	0%*	0%*

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Financial Need Levels of First-Time, First-Year Cohorts

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No Need Applications Submitted					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	627
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	-	499
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	79.59%
No CSS Submitted/FAFSA Only					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	139
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	-	103
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	74.1%
No Unmet Need					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	136
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	-	103
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	75.74%
Unmet Need \$1 - \$5,000					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	107
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	-	90
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	84.11%
Unmet Need \$5,001 - \$10,000					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	78
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	-	59
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	75.64%
Unmet Need Greater Than \$10,000					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	58
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	-	26
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	44.83%*

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Notes:

1. Beginning Fall 2011, Institutional Research and Analysis began using institutional aid methodology to identify student need levels.
2. Unmet need categories refer only to students who submitted an institutional (CSS) aid application.
3. Institutional methodology data are not available prior to Fall 2008.

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Admission Ratings 1 and 2

No Need Applications Submitted					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	139
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	-	124
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	89.21%*
No CSS Submitted/FAFSA Only					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	39
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	-	33
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	84.62%
No Unmet Need					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	40
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	-	33
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	82.5%
Unmet Need \$1 - \$5,000					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	26
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	-	22
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	84.62%
Unmet Need \$5,001 - \$10,000					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	19
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	-	14
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	73.68%
Unmet Need Greater Than \$10,000					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	6
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	-	3
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	50%
Total					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	269
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	-	229
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	85.13%*

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Admission Ratings 3 and 4

No Need Applications Submitted					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	111
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	-	94
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	84.68%
No CSS Submitted/FAFSA Only					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	35
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	-	24
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	68.57%
No Unmet Need					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	33
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	-	25
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	75.76%
Unmet Need \$1 - \$5,000					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	25
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	-	22
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	88%
Unmet Need \$5,001 - \$10,000					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	24
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	-	20
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	83.33%
Unmet Need Greater Than \$10,000					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	4
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	-	1
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	25%*
Total					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	232
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	-	186
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	80.17%

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Admission Ratings 5 and 6

No Need Applications Submitted					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	115
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	-	97
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	84.35%
No CSS Submitted/FAFSA Only					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	28
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	-	21
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	75%
No Unmet Need					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	33
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	-	27
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	81.82%
Unmet Need \$1 - \$5,000					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	27
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	-	25
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	92.59%
Unmet Need \$5,001 - \$10,000					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	23
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	-	18
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	78.26%
Unmet Need Greater Than \$10,000					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	12
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	-	4
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	33.33%*
Total					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	238
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	-	192
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	80.67%

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Admission Ratings 7, 8, and 9

No Need Applications Submitted					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	256
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	-	181
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	70.7%*
No CSS Submitted/FAFSA Only					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	37
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	-	25
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	67.57%
No Unmet Need					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	30
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	-	18
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	60%*
Unmet Need \$1 - \$5,000					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	29
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	-	21
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	72.41%
Unmet Need \$5,001 - \$10,000					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	12
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	-	7
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	58.33%
Unmet Need Greater Than \$10,000					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	35
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	-	18
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	51.43%*
Total					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	399
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	-	270
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	67.67%*

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No Admission Rating Available

No Need Applications Submitted					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	6
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	-	3
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	50%
No CSS Submitted/FAFSA Only					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	0
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	-	0
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	-
No Unmet Need					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	0
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	-	0
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	-
Unmet Need \$1 - \$5,000					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	0
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	-	0
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	-
Unmet Need \$5,001 - \$10,000					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	0
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	-	0
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	-
Unmet Need Greater Than \$10,000					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	1
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	-	0
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	0%
Total					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	7
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	-	3
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	0%

* Indicates a statistically significantly different persistence rate than the cohort at $p \leq .05$.

Three-Year Persistence Report

VIP School Students of First-Time, First-Year Cohorts

	Fall 2004	Fall 2005	Fall 2006	Fall 2007	Fall 2008
Cohort size	1,136	1,096	1,142	1,140	1,145
Enrolled or graduated after three years	893	883	884	913	880
Persistence rate	78.61%	80.57%	77.41%	80.09%	76.86%

West High School					
Cohort	10	9	10	2	3
Enrolled or graduated after three years	8	5	8	2	3
Persistence rate	80%	55.56%	80%	100%	100%
East High School					
Cohort	5	5	4	8	5
Enrolled or graduated after three years	3	5	3	6	3
Persistence rate	60%	100%	75%	75%	60%
Abraham Lincoln High School					
Cohort	1	3	7	0	1
Enrolled or graduated after three years	1	3	7	0	1
Persistence rate	100%	100%	100%	-	100%
Pinnacle Charter School					
Cohort	-	-	2	0	2
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	2	0	2
Persistence rate	-	-	100%	-	100%
Denver Center for International Studies					
Cohort	-	-	-	3	4
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	3	4
Persistence rate	-	-	-	100%	100%
Denver School of Science and Technology					
Cohort	-	-	-	-	-
Enrolled or graduated after three years	-	-	-	-	-
Persistence rate	-	-	-	-	-
VIP Total					
Cohort	16	17	23	13	15
Enrolled or graduated after three years	12	13	20	11	13
Persistence rate	75%	76.47%	86.96%	84.62%	86.67%

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Non-Persistence Reasons of First-Time, First-Year Cohorts

	Fall 2004	Fall 2005	Fall 2006	Fall 2007	Fall 2008
Cohort size	1,136	1,096	1,142	1,140	1,145
Not enrolled or graduated after three years	243	213	258	227	265
Non-persisted rate	21.39%	19.43%	22.59%	19.91%	23.14%

Non-Persistence Reasons

Leave of Absence					
Number	69	52	84	7	9
Percent of non-persisted	28.40%	24.41%	32.56%	3%	3%
Withdrawal					
Number	85	55	50	41	96
Percent of non-persisted	34.98%	25.82%	19.38%	18%	36%
Reason Unknown					
Number	89	106	124	179	160
Percent of non-persisted	36.63%	49.77%	48.06%	79%	60%

Holds Preventing Registration

Academic Holds					
Number	40	12	11	12	18
Percent of non-persisted students	16.46%	5.63%	4.26%	5.29%	6.79%
Financial Holds					
Number	43	33	35	13	37
Percent of non-persisted students	17.70%	15.49%	13.57%	5.73%	13.96%
Judicial Holds					
Number	20	24	27	18	49
Percent of non-persisted students	8.23%	11.27%	10.47%	7.93%	18.49%
Holds Total					
Number	103	69	73	43	104
Percent of non-persisted students	42.39%	32.39%	28.29%	18.94%	39.25%

Notes:

1. Students with more than one type of hold are counted in each applicable category.
2. Students are counted only once per category, regardless of the number of holds they have in that category.

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Academic Reasons					
Number	10	7	17	0	2
Percent of non-persisted students	4.12%	3.29%	6.59%	0%	0.75%
Break/Vacation/Travel					
Number	8	6	10	2	2
Percent of non-persisted students	3.29%	2.82%	3.88%	0.88%	0.75%
Emergency/Returned Home					
Number	2	2	3	0	0
Percent of non-persisted students	0.82%	0.94%	1.16%	0%	0%
Emotional Health					
Number	6	2	4	0	0
Percent of non-persisted students	2.47%	0.94%	1.55%	0%	0.00%
Financial Reasons					
Number	9	4	13	1	2
Percent of non-persisted students	3.70%	1.88%	5.04%	0.44%	0.75%
Job Responsibility/Internship					
Number	1	4	6	1	1
Percent of non-persisted students	0.41%	1.88%	2.33%	0.44%	0.38%
Official Medical Leave					
Number	6	5	11	2	2
Percent of non-persisted students	2.47%	2.35%	4.26%	0.88%	0.75%
Paternity/Maternity Leave					
Number	0	0	0	0	1
Percent of non-persisted students	0%	0%	0%	0.00%	0.38%
Personal Reasons					
Number	17	13	12	1	0
Percent of non-persisted students	7%	6.10%	4.65%	0.44%	0%
Physical Health/Medical Reasons					
Number	8	4	6	0	0
Percent of non-persisted students	3.29%	1.88%	2.33%	0%	0%

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Social Reasons					
Number	2	5	2	0	0
Percent of non-persisted students	0.82%	2.35%	0.78%	0%	0%
Leaves of Absence Total					
Number	69	52	84	7	9
Percent of non-persisted students	28.40%	24.41%	32.56%	3.08%	3.40%

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Withdrawal Reasons of First-Time, First-Year Cohorts

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Non-persisted rate	21.39%	19.43%	22.59%	19.91%	23.14%

Academic Reasons					
Number	19	8	27	13	18
Percent of non-persisted students	7.82%	3.76%	10.47%	5.73%	6.79%
Career Reasons					
Number	2	5	2	2	6
Percent of non-persisted students	0.82%	2.35%	0.78%	0.88%	2.26%
Church Mission					
Number	0	0	0	0	0
Percent of non-persisted students	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Financial Reasons					
Number	19	21	8	17	18
Percent of non-persisted students	7.82%	9.86%	3.1%	7.49%	6.79%
Foreign Aid/Peace Corps Service					
Number	0	0	0	0	1
Percent of non-persisted students	0%	0%	0%	0%	0.38%
Health Reasons					
Number	6	5	6	9	16
Percent of non-persisted students	2.47%	2.35%	2.33%	3.96%	6.04%
Personal/Family Reasons					
Number	31	13	0	0	29
Percent of non-persisted students	12.76%	6.10%	0%	0%	10.94%
Serving in the Armed Forces					
Number	0	0	1	0	0
Percent of non-persisted students	0%	0%	0.39%	0%	0%
Social Reasons					
Number	8	3	6	0	0
Percent of non-persisted students	3.29%	1.41%	2.33%	0%	0%
Transfer to Another Institution					
Number	-	-	-	-	8
Percent of non-persisted students	-	-	-	-	3.02%

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Withdrawals Total					
Number	85	55	50	41	96
Percent of non-persisted students	34.98%	25.82%	19.38%	18.06%	36.23%