

Respondent Characteristics

	U of MD Baltimore		ADP		Doc-Ext		NSSE 2004	
	FY	SR	FY	SR	FY	SR	FY	SR
Response Rate^a								
Overall		39%		32%		34%		38%
By Class	41%	36%	31%	33%	33%	35%	37%	40%
NSSE Sample Size ^b	1,312	918	9,853	9,255	16,659	15,682	120,046	114,051
Sample Error^c								
Overall		2.6%		1.2%		0.9%		0.3%
By Class	3.2%	4.3%	1.7%	1.7%	1.3%	1.3%	0.4%	0.4%
Number of Respondents ^b	540	328	3,011	3,024	5,451	5,477	44,422	45,219
Total Population	1,312	918	60,499	55,709	154,862	175,767	599,094	571,495
Student Characteristics^d								
Mode of Completion								
Paper	0%	0%	20%	30%	18%	24%	24%	32%
Web	100%	100%	80%	70%	82%	76%	76%	68%
Gender								
Female	56%	59%	70%	67%	62%	57%	67%	66%
Male	44%	41%	30%	33%	38%	43%	33%	34%
Race/Ethnicity								
African American/Black	10%	12%	9%	6%	4%	4%	7%	7%
Am. Indian/Native American	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%
Asian Am./Pacific Islander	20%	16%	5%	4%	7%	7%	5%	5%
Caucasian/White	62%	61%	78%	81%	78%	77%	77%	77%
Hispanic or Latino	2%	2%	3%	2%	4%	5%	5%	5%
Other	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Multi-racial	7%	8%	5%	5%	6%	6%	6%	5%
International/Foreign National	8%	12%	4%	4%	5%	5%	5%	5%
Class Level	62%	38%	50%	50%	50%	50%	50%	50%
Enrollment Status								
Full Time	99%	89%	96%	83%	97%	86%	96%	85%
Part Time	1%	11%	4%	17%	3%	14%	4%	15%
Place of Residence								
On-campus	73%	31%	66%	12%	71%	12%	69%	24%
Off-campus	27%	69%	34%	88%	29%	88%	31%	76%
Transfer Status								
Transfer Students	2%	54%	7%	52%	6%	38%	8%	38%
Age								
Non-Traditional (24 or older)	0%	28%	5%	38%	2%	28%	6%	31%
Traditional (less than 24)	100%	72%	95%	62%	98%	72%	94%	69%



^a Response rate (number of respondents divided by sample size) is adjusted for non-deliverable mailing addresses.

^b Oversampled students are included in institution numbers but not in consortium, Carnegie, or NSSE 2004 sample numbers.

^c Sampling error is an estimate of the margin by which the 'true' score for your institution on a given item could differ from the reported score. To interpret the sampling error, assume that 60% of your students reply "very often" to a particular item. If the sampling error is +/-5%, then the true population value is most likely between 55% and 65%.

^d Each number represents the percent of total respondents within the category.