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**TOPIC:** Overview of Undergraduate Enrollment, Persistence, and Success at the University System of Maryland

**COMMITTEE:** Education Policy and Student Life

**DATE OF COMMITTEE MEETING:** March 3, 2015

**SUMMARY:** Three annual reports are included under this cover and will be discussed as part of this topic. The three reports are as follows:

- *SAT Percentile Distributions of First-Time Undergraduates;*
- *Retention and Graduation Rates of First-time Full-time Degree Seeking Undergraduates;* and
- *Transfer Students to the University System of Maryland: Patterns of Enrollment and Success.*

When looked at as a whole, the three reports provide a useful overview of undergraduate enrollment within the USM, including the various pipelines that feed undergraduate enrollment, the academic profile of incoming first-time students (as measured by SAT scores), student success and persistence after enrollment, and, in the end, bachelor degree attainment.

For new freshmen, a key admissions component correlated with student success is the entering students' SAT scores. The *SAT Percentile Distributions of First-Time Undergraduates* report presents central tendency data for the SAT scores at each USM institution. The report also provides a context for interpreting those scores by comparing institutional SAT data with those at peer institutions.

The second report, *Retention and Graduation Rates of First-time Full-time Degree Seeking Undergraduates*, examines the level of academic success—as measured by retention and graduation rates—achieved by first-time, full-time students at USM institutions. Key trends in student enrollment and success are broken out and analyzed at both the institutional and Systemwide level.

The third report, *Transfer Students to the University System of Maryland: Patterns of Enrollment and Success*, examines progress within this increasingly important pipeline for enrollment growth. Institutional enrollment and success trends among the transfer population are analyzed and displayed, including changes in the proportion of transfer students to first-time students on USM campuses. Key factors that contribute to transfer success, such as credit attainment prior to transfer or full-time attendance, are also analyzed. Finally, data showing the level of success Maryland Community College transfer students are having at USM's regional centers at Shady Grove and Hagerstown are analyzed.

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**TRANSFER STUDENTS TO THE  
UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF  
MARYLAND:**

*Patterns of Enrollment and Success*

*Updated through FY 2014*

*Bowie State University (BSU)*  
*Coppin State University (CSU)*  
*Frostburg State University (FSU)*  
*Salisbury University (SU)*  
*Towson University (TU)*  
*University of Baltimore (UB)*  
*University of Maryland, Baltimore (UMB)*  
*University of Maryland, Baltimore County (UMBC)*  
*University of Maryland, College Park (UMCP)*  
*University of Maryland Eastern Shore (UMES)*  
*University of Maryland University College (UMUC)*

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## Background

The following report provides data on demographic characteristics, enrollment status, enrollment trends, and graduation rates for transfer students to institutions in the University System of Maryland. USM institutions also collected data on students who transferred across USM institutions, from other Maryland institutions, and from out-of-state institutions. Those data are presented in tables that appear in the appendix of this report. The data affirm that transfer students are a vital and growing segment of our undergraduate population.

The information in this report reflects the most recent updates to the transfer data (from FY 2010 through FY 2014). For further information, please contact Chad Muntz, [cmuntz@usmd.edu](mailto:cmuntz@usmd.edu), 301-445-2737 or Becky Bell, [rbell@usmd.edu](mailto:rbell@usmd.edu), 301-405-2779.

## Transfers to USM<sup>1</sup>

First-time transfers make up a substantial part (two-thirds) of newly enrolled undergraduate students at USM institutions. Over 23,000 students transferred into USM institutions in FY 2014 (which includes the summer 2012, fall 2012, winter 2013 and spring 2014 semesters), an increase of over 1,000 transfers from FY 2013. Almost half (11,182) of the students who transferred to a USM institution came from a Maryland community college. For the non-Maryland community college transfers, the “other transfers” included students transferring from other Maryland 4-year institutions as well as from 2-year and 4-year out-of-state institutions. In total, the “other transfers” category was 12,173 students, with over 9,664 of these transferring to the USM from out-of-state institutions. The majority (58% or 7,062) of the “other transfers” enrolled at UMUC.

Although there are many non-MDCC transfers, the focus on this section will be the Maryland community college transfers. USM institutions have cultivated strong relationships with the community colleges in Maryland, and together they have created well defined articulation pathways to ease transfer between institutions. These pathways include the 2+2 programs tied to USM’s regional centers. Unlike UMUC, Maryland community college transfers make up the vast majority of the students transferring to the USM’s traditional institutions during any given year.

## Maryland Community College Transfers to the USM in FY 2014

Over 11,000 new students transferred from a Maryland community college to a USM institution in FY 2014. While the number of new Maryland community college transfer students has been growing steadily over the past several years—reaching a peak of 11,882 last year (FY 13)—and remains strong, this year’s number (11,182) does represent a decline, the first in 10 years. The five USM institutions enrolling the largest share of new Maryland community college transfers were: Towson (2,142), UMUC (2,574), UMCP (2,234), UMBC (1,351), and Salisbury (730).

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<sup>1</sup> For cohorts up through FY 2013, first-time transfers were defined as students transferring for the first time from a higher education institution with 12 or more credits and reported in the TSS (Transfer Student System) files. Beginning with FY 2014, however, first-time transfer status was based on how institutions identify the students in their most recent EIS (Enrollment Information System) files.

Together, these five institutions enrolled 81 percent of all Maryland community college transfers to the USM in FY 2014. For specific institution cohort sizes, refer to Table 1 and Table 4.

African-American students made up 24 percent of the transfer students from Maryland community colleges entering USM institutions in FY 2014 with only a small portion (566 or 21%) enrolled at one of the USM's Historically Black Institutions. Hispanic students comprised eight percent (8%), with the majority enrolled at UMUC, UMCP, Towson, and UMBC. However, this latter group easily represented the fastest growing segment of the USM community college transfer population, growing 81% over the past five years. Finally, the proportion of community college transfers who were white decreased and represented less than half (48%) of the community college transfers entering a USM institution. White transfers have steadily decreased as a proportion of the community college student body since FY 2000, when they represented 61% of community college (See Tables 2 & 3 for demographic trend data).

Most of the Maryland community college students transferring to the USM in FY 2014 came from just six of the state's 16 public two-year institutions, all located within or close to the Baltimore-Washington Region (See Table 5). The proportion of transfer students coming from institutions on the outskirts of the Baltimore-Washington region (Frederick, Cecil, Harford, Carroll, Hagerstown, the College of Southern Maryland, and Chesapeake) currently represent just 27% of the Maryland community college transfers but have increased their overall share by 46% over the past five years.

Of the Maryland community college students who transferred to a USM institution in FY 2014, 19% entered programs in business and management, 9% in the social sciences, 12% in computer and information science, 8% in education, 11% in the health professions, and 5% in Biological Sciences. Eight percent of these students had an undeclared major (See Table 7).

#### Fall Attendance Patterns and Student Level

Of the community college transfer students who transferred in FY 2014, 68 percent attended on a full-time basis. The largest proportion of Maryland community college students entered as either sophomores or juniors; the 82% of transfers entering at the sophomore/junior level remains a five year high. For Fiscal 2014, 75% of African-American community college transfer students entered as sophomores or juniors (+5% over last year) compared to 85% of white students. The percentage of students entering with more credits is a positive one because it contributes to decreased time to degree, increased efficiency, and higher success rates. Additionally, students that attend at a full-time status are more likely to complete within 4 years.

#### Graduation Rates

Of those Maryland community college transfers who enrolled in FY 2011, 55% graduated within four years from any USM institution. This was an increase of three percentage points over FY 2013. The graduation rate of Maryland community college transfers to the USM after four years was below that of first-time, full-time new freshmen after six years (the 6-year graduation rate of the fall 2007 new freshmen cohort was 66% anywhere within the USM). However, given the fact that the transfer rate includes those attending part time as well as full time, this lower graduation rate is to be expected.

Attendance status appeared to impact graduation rates for transfer students significantly. Transfers students attending part time made up 30% of the fall 2010 student cohort in FY 2011. If the four-year graduation rate excluded these part-time students, however, and was calculated using only those transfers who attended full time, the graduation rate was higher than for the new transfer cohort (66% rate for the fall 2010 full time Maryland community college transfers equal to the 66% rate of the fall 2007 full time new freshmen six year rate anywhere at USM).

Of those African-American community college transfers who enrolled at a USM institution in FY 2011, 40% graduated within four years or 15% below the USM average. In total, 43% of the African-American community college transfers attended part-time, of which the largest proportion are UMUC students. After removing part-time students, the fall 2010 African-American transfer 4-year graduation rate increased to 56%, which was nine points higher than the fall 2009 first-time full-time African American new freshmen cohort.

The lower overall community college transfer graduation rate is mostly explained by the large numbers of part-time community college transfer students (See Table 8). Although there has been a significant portion of Maryland community college students attending part-time, in recent years, the portion of full-time students has been increasing. This is encouraging because the future time-to-degree ratio for students will be positively affected by the addition of more full-time transfer students, as well as other improvements in efficiency that contribute to increases in degree production.

#### Regional Centers—Universities at Shady Grove and USM-Hagerstown

Another avenue of success for Maryland community college transfers is enrolling in programs at the USM regional centers. The first cohort available to measure the four-year graduation rate was the FY 2009 group of transfers who registered for at least one course at one of the regional centers. For the purposes of this analysis, the regional center cohort was defined as any Maryland community college transfer who enrolled in at least one regional center course in the fall semester of the fiscal year of transfer. The graduation rates for these students are found in the Appendix Table 10. It is important to note that the students identified in these cohorts are a subset of the total population of Maryland community college transfers who have been identified and discussed earlier in this report. It is also important to note that the regional center students are included in, and will continue to be included in, the institutional numbers presented in previous sections of this report, as they have been in all previous transfer reports.

As the data show (refer to Table 10), the number of Maryland community college transfers at the two regional centers has been growing. The graduation rates are also encouraging, with over 40 percent of the cohort graduating within two years for both Hagerstown and Shady Grove (compared to a rate of 13 percent for transfers at USM campuses overall). The most recent four-year graduation data available for analysis was the FY 2011 cohort of students that began in fall 2010. Based on this cohort, the data showed a four-year graduation rate of 70% for Hagerstown and 74% for Shady Grove. This finding means that students taking courses at the regional centers are graduating at the same or higher rates than that for first-time, full-time new freshmen at USM institutions overall (the rate for the fall 2007 cohort of first-time, full-time freshmen was 66% at

any USM institution) and at the same or higher rates than for those Maryland community college transfers attending full time (the rate for the USM as a whole was 66%). Thus, the regional centers have increased not just the capacity of the USM but its overall efficiency as well.

# **APPENDIX**

Table 1  
 University System of Maryland Transfer Students  
 By Type of Institution Transferred From  
 FY 2014

**Number of Transfers**

	MD Comm Coll.	USM Inst.	MSU or SMCM	MD Private	Out-of-State	Total Transfers
Bowie	310	56	23	9	328	726
Coppin	256	29	17	25	81	408
Frostburg	476	38	1	6	247	768
Salisbury	730	95	9	38	351	1,223
Towson	2,142	291	51	102	772	3,358
UB	630	88	20	28	192	958
UMB	298	53	2	4	52	409
UMBC	1,351	143	12	27	333	1,866
UMCP	2,234	353	25	61	1,027	3,700
UMES	181	30	2	4	86	303
UMUC	2,574	698	73	96	6,195	9,636
USM	11,182	1,874	235	400	9,664	23,355

**Percent of Transfers**

	MD Comm Coll.	USM Inst.	MSU or SMCM	MD Private	Out-of-State	Total Transfers
Bowie	43%	8%	3%	1%	45%	100%
Coppin	63%	7%	4%	6%	20%	100%
Frostburg	62%	5%	0%	1%	32%	100%
Salisbury	60%	8%	1%	3%	29%	100%
Towson	64%	9%	2%	3%	23%	100%
UB	66%	9%	2%	3%	20%	100%
UMB	73%	13%	0%	1%	13%	100%
UMBC	72%	8%	1%	1%	18%	100%
UMCP	60%	10%	1%	2%	28%	100%
UMES	60%	10%	1%	1%	28%	100%
UMUC	27%	7%	1%	1%	64%	100%
USM	48%	8%	1%	2%	41%	100%

Note: Transfers are the number of undergraduates enrolled for the first time at the institution with known prior undergraduate post-secondary experience. The students may or may not transfer credit.  
 MSU=Morgan State University; SMCM=St. Mary's College of Maryland  
 Source: FY 2014 MHEC EIS Files (Summer, Fall, Winter, Spring)



Table 2  
University System of Maryland  
First-time Transfers to USM Institutions  
FY 2010 - 2014 Cohorts

	FY 2010	FY 2011	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 10-14 Δ Chg.
MD Comm College % of Total	9,456 50%	10,029 52%	11,033 52%	11,882 54%	11,182 48%	18%
USM Institutions % of Total	1,378 7%	1,432 7%	1,405 7%	1,333 6%	1,874 8%	36%
MSU & SMCM % of Total	135 1%	139 1%	183 1%	179 1%	235 1%	74%
Md Private Inst. % of Total	209 1%	194 1%	260 1%	282 1%	400 2%	91%
Out-of-State Inst. & Unk % of Total	7,656 41%	7,448 39%	8,407 39%	8,213 38%	9,664 41%	26%
Total % of Total	18,834 100%	19,242 100%	21,288 100%	21,889 100%	23,355 100%	24%

MSU=Morgan State University; SMCM=St. Mary's College of Maryland

Source: FY 2014 MHEC EIS File

Table 3  
University System of Maryland  
Maryland Community College Transfers by Ethnicity  
FY 2010 - FY 2014

	FY 2010	FY 2011*	FY 2012*	FY 2013*	FY 2014*	FY 10-14 Δ Chg.
African-American % of Total	2,266 24%	2,275 23%	2,614 24%	2,773 23%	2,729 24%	20%
Hispanic % of Total	507 5%	707 7%	957 9%	857 9%	878 8%	73%
Other Minority % of Total	795 8%	1,070 11%	1,283 12%	1,337 12%	1,501 13%	89%
White % of Total	4,808 51%	5,384 54%	5,396 49%	5,910 49%	5,313 48%	11%
Other/Unknown % of Total	1,080 11%	593 6%	783 7%	1,005 7%	761 7%	-30%
Total % of Total	9,456 100%	10,029 100%	11,033 100%	11,882 100%	11,182 100%	18%

Note: Other includes foreign students

\* Race/Ethnicity categories were changed to align with new federal guidelines. Starting in FY 2011, Other Minority includes American Indians, Pacific Islanders, Asians and students of multiple races.

Source: FY 2014 MHEC EIS File

Table 4  
University System of Maryland  
Maryland Community College Transfers By Institution  
FY 2010 - 2014 Cohorts

	FY 2010	FY 2011	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 13-14 % Chg.	Avg. Annual % Change
Bowie	279	238	315	353	310	-12.2%	4.4%
Coppin	199	200	236	238	256	7.6%	6.7%
Frostburg	344	354	379	412	476	15.5%	8.6%
Salisbury	632	673	736	841	730	-13.2%	4.2%
Towson	1,607	2,017	2,430	2,848	2,142	-24.8%	9.6%
UB	753	664	654	690	630	-8.7%	-4.1%
UMB	164	128	137	177	298	68.4%	20.7%
UMBC	1,181	1,267	1,368	1,418	1,351	-4.7%	3.5%
UMCP	1,578	1,665	1,695	1,930	2,234	15.8%	9.2%
UMES	97	73	86	135	181	34.1%	21.0%
UMUC	2,622	2,750	2,997	2,840	2,574	-9.4%	-0.2%
USM	9,456	10,029	11,033	11,882	11,182	-5.9%	4.5%

Source: FY 2014 MHEC EIS File

Table 5  
University System of Maryland  
Maryland Community College Transfers By Sending Institution  
FY 2010 - FY 2014

	FY 2010	FY 2011	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 13-14 % Chg.	Avg. Annual % Change
Allegany	142	146	150	154	133	-13.6%	-1.4%
Anne Arundel	1,175	1,349	1,373	1,428	1355	-5.1%	3.9%
Baltimore City	438	364	348	381	366	-3.9%	-3.9%
Carroll	222	291	525	606	318	-47.5%	19.8%
CCBC	1,405	1,430	1,504	1,603	1619	1.0%	3.6%
Cecil	76	101	92	111	90	-18.9%	6.4%
CSM	693	702	751	822	763	-7.2%	2.6%
Chesapeake	185	159	188	198	183	-7.6%	0.5%
Frederick	372	430	466	521	458	-12.1%	5.9%
Garrett	70	54	104	142	57	-59.9%	11.6%
Hagerstown	170	200	218	217	258	18.9%	11.3%
Harford	481	540	676	683	622	-8.9%	7.4%
Howard	671	716	860	951	963	1.3%	9.7%
Montgomery	2,241	2,409	2,465	2,655	2711	2.1%	4.9%
Prince George's	889	912	1,083	1,102	1008	-8.5%	3.6%
Wor-Wic	226	226	230	308	278	-9.7%	6.5%
Total	9,456	10,029	11,033	11,882	11,182	-6%	4.5%

Source: FY 2014 MHEC EIS File

Table 6  
 University System of Maryland  
 Maryland Community College Transfers By Institution  
 2014 Cohort

Sending Inst	Receiving Institution													USM
	Bowie	Coppin	Frostburg	Salisbury	Towson	UB	UMB	UMBC	UMCP	UMES	UMUC	USM		
Allegany	2	0	111	1	4	2	1	2	0	4	6	133		
Anne Arundel	31	8	30	82	216	78	43	209	265	5	388	1,355		
Baltimore City	1	113	5	0	35	94	19	26	8	1	64	366		
Carroll	1	0	10	20	158	15	5	43	25	0	41	318		
CCBC	4	90	28	26	607	241	57	251	72	7	236	1,619		
Cecil	0	1	6	23	24	3	1	8	9	0	15	90		
CSM	24	2	21	77	99	11	7	31	186	6	299	763		
Chesapeake	1	0	4	66	20	2	2	5	16	21	46	183		
Frederick	3	2	44	48	84	6	13	46	98	2	112	458		
Garrett	3	1	35	1	4	1	0	0	4	3	5	57		
Hagerstown	1	0	89	18	46	5	0	10	22	0	67	258		
Harford	0	5	8	52	310	45	16	52	62	2	70	622		
Howard	21	11	24	40	188	38	32	218	222	7	162	963		
Montgomery	35	6	36	84	268	69	86	407	1082	32	606	2,711		
Prince George's	182	14	24	21	70	18	14	42	148	38	437	1,008		
Wor-Wic	1	3	1	171	9	2	2	1	15	53	20	278		
<b>Total</b>	<b>310</b>	<b>256</b>	<b>476</b>	<b>730</b>	<b>2,142</b>	<b>630</b>	<b>298</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>2,234</b>	<b>181</b>	<b>2,574</b>	<b>11,182</b>		

Source: FY 2014 MHEC EIS File

Table 7  
 University System of Maryland  
 Maryland Community College Transfer Student Program Area  
 FY 2010 - 2014 Cohorts

	FY 2010	FY 2011	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 14 % of total	Avg. Annual % Change
Agric. & Nat. Res.	83	122	110	138	140	1.3%	16.0%
Arch. & Envtl. Des.	0	0	0	0	0	0.0%	--
Area Studies	25	22	18	30	25	0.2%	5.0%
Biological Sciences	458	400	568	587	590	5.3%	8.3%
Business Managmt.	2,182	2,221	2,421	2,518	2,070	18.5%	-0.7%
Communications	388	394	501	548	409	3.7%	3.2%
Comp. & Info. Sci.	859	1,030	1,249	1,311	1,353	12.1%	12.3%
Education	746	785	900	1,046	874	7.8%	4.9%
Engineering	245	277	266	348	414	3.7%	14.7%
Fine & Applied Arts	267	307	322	338	297	2.7%	3.2%
Foreign Languages	54	47	57	65	49	0.4%	-0.6%
Health Professions	576	661	787	1,007	1,210	10.8%	20.5%
Home Economics	34	28	24	23	34	0.3%	2.9%
Law	98	108	98	74	62	0.6%	-9.9%
Letters	278	287	276	294	230	2.1%	-4.0%
Mathematics	72	59	91	116	87	0.8%	9.7%
Physical Science	102	112	101	113	126	1.1%	5.8%
Psychology	542	641	699	680	591	5.3%	2.9%
Public Affairs	433	419	451	485	477	4.3%	2.6%
Social Sciences	1,241	1,238	1,264	1,271	1,034	9.2%	-4.1%
Interdisciplinary Studies	282	300	196	249	172	1.5%	-8.0%
Natural Sci. Tech.	3	3	10	11	0	0.0%	35.8%
Undeclared	488	568	624	630	938	8.4%	19.0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>9,456</b>	<b>10,029</b>	<b>11,033</b>	<b>11,882</b>	<b>11,182</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>4.5%</b>

Source: FY 2014 MHEC EIS File

Table 8  
 University System of Maryland  
 Maryland Community College Transfers Attendance Patterns  
 FY 2010 - 2014 Cohorts

All Transfer Students					
	FY 2010	FY 2011	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014
	Fall Only	Fall Only	Fall Only	Fall Only	All Terms
Full-Time					
N	4,294	4,783	5,264	5,556	7,556
%	70%	70%	72%	73%	68%
Part-Time					
N	1,867	2,032	2,090	2,010	3,626
%	30%	30%	28%	27%	32%
Total	6,161	6,815	7,354	7,566	11,182

African-American Transfer Students					
	FY 2010	FY 2011	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014
	Fall Only	Fall Only	Fall Only	Fall Only	All Terms
Full-Time					
N	848	849	1,131	1,222	1,640
%	58%	57%	60%	65%	60%
Part-Time					
N	620	637	742	647	1,089
%	42%	43%	40%	35%	40%
Total	1,468	1,486	1,873	1,869	2,729

White Transfer Students					
	FY 2010	FY 2011	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014
	Fall Only	Fall Only	Fall Only	Fall Only	All Terms
Full-Time					
N	2,430	2,849	2,925	2,988	3,728
%	76%	76%	76%	78%	70%
Part-Time					
N	780	913	936	843	1585
%	24%	24%	24%	22%	30%
Total	3,210	3,762	3,861	3,831	5,313

Note: Attendance status is based upon the EIS file and only reflects students who transferred in the Fall term. The totals are less than reported elsewhere in this report.

Source: FY 2014 MHEC EIS File

Table 9  
University System of Maryland  
Maryland Community College Transfer Student Level  
FY 2010 - 2014 Cohorts

**Number of Transfer Students**

	All Transfer Students				
	FY 2010 Fall Only	FY 2011 Fall Only	FY 2012 Fall Only	FY 2013 Fall Only	FY 2014 All Terms
Freshmen	1,119	1,106	1,381	1,115	1,605
Sophomore	2,229	2,486	2,538	2,741	4,075
Junior	2,651	3,013	3,272	3,473	5,150
Senior	117	158	188	221	282
Unclassified	45	52	58	16	70
<b>Total</b>	<b>6,161</b>	<b>6,815</b>	<b>7,437</b>	<b>7,566</b>	<b>11,182</b>

**Percent of Transfer Students**

	All Transfer Students				
	FY 2010 Fall Only	FY 2011 Fall Only	FY 2012 Fall Only	FY 2013 Fall Only	FY 2014 All Terms
Freshmen	18%	16%	19%	15%	14%
Sophomore	36%	36%	34%	36%	36%
Junior	43%	44%	44%	46%	46%
Senior	2%	2%	3%	3%	3%
Unclassified	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%
<b>Total</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>

	African-American Transfer Students				
	FY 2010 Fall Only	FY 2011 Fall Only	FY 2012 Fall Only	FY 2013 Fall Only	FY 2014 All Terms
Freshmen	368	377	498	424	596
Sophomore	471	461	590	664	962
Junior	578	593	716	730	1,090
Senior	33	43	48	45	65
Unclassified	18	12	21	6	16
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,468</b>	<b>1,486</b>	<b>1,873</b>	<b>1,869</b>	<b>2,729</b>

	African-American Transfer Students				
	FY 2010 Fall Only	FY 2011 Fall Only	FY 2012 Fall Only	FY 2013 Fall Only	FY 2014 All Terms
Freshmen	25%	25%	27%	23%	22%
Sophomore	32%	31%	32%	36%	35%
Junior	39%	40%	38%	39%	40%
Senior	2%	3%	3%	2%	2%
Unclassified	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%
<b>Total</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>

	White Transfer Students				
	FY 2010 Fall Only	FY 2011 Fall Only	FY 2012 Fall Only	FY 2013 Fall Only	FY 2014 All Terms
Freshmen	489	469	569	389	604
Sophomore	1,221	1,432	1,364	1,412	1,967
Junior	1,423	1,763	1,815	1,918	2,556
Senior	57	69	91	105	150
Unclassified	20	29	22	7	36
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,210</b>	<b>3,762</b>	<b>3,861</b>	<b>3,831</b>	<b>5,313</b>

	White Transfer Students				
	Fall 2009	Fall 2010	Fall 2011	Fall 2012	Fall 2013
Freshmen	15%	12%	15%	10%	11%
Sophomore	38%	38%	35%	37%	37%
Junior	44%	47%	47%	50%	48%
Senior	2%	2%	2%	3%	3%
Unclassified	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%
<b>Total</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>

Note: Attendance status is based upon the EIS file and only reflects students who transferred in the Fall term. The totals are less than reported elsewhere in this report.  
Source: FY 2014 MHEC EIS File

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	Cohort Size	Graduation Rates					Graduation Rates			
		2-year	3-year	4-year	5-year		2-year	3-year	4-year	5-year
<b>USM</b>						<b>USM</b>				
FY 2004	7,706	769	2,733	3,959	4,487	10%	35%	51%	58%	
FY 2005	8,048	821	2,696	3,888	4,437	10%	33%	48%	55%	
FY 2006	8,526	890	2,987	4,210	4,676	10%	35%	49%	55%	
FY 2007	8,974	920	3,004	4,299	4,928	10%	33%	48%	55%	
FY 2008	8,993	969	3,188	4,575	5,169	11%	35%	51%	57%	
FY 2009	9,468	1,134	3,544	4,984	5,609	12%	37%	53%	59%	
FY 2010	9,456	1,120	3,488	4,917	5,529	12%	37%	52%	58%	
FY 2011	10,029	1,239	3,961	5,467		12%	39%	55%		
FY 2012	11,033	1,483	4,421			13%	40%			
FY 2013	11,882	1,512				13%				
<b>USM w/out UMUC</b>						<b>USM w/out UMUC</b>				
FY 2004	5,950	661	2,369	3,401	3,807	11%	40%	57%	64%	
FY 2005	6,190	720	2,354	3,343	3,770	12%	38%	54%	61%	
FY 2006	6,471	794	2,647	3,716	4,089	12%	41%	57%	63%	
FY 2007	6,603	809	2,660	3,791	4,236	12%	40%	57%	64%	
FY 2008	6,875	878	2,867	4,045	4,487	13%	42%	59%	65%	
FY 2009	7,167	1,004	3,111	4,309	4,778	14%	43%	60%	67%	
FY 2010	6,834	983	2,989	4,145	4,623	14%	44%	61%	68%	
FY 2011	7,279	1,051	3,370	4,611		14%	46%	63%		
FY 2012	8,036	1,248	3,788			16%	47%			
FY 2013	9,042	1,267				14%				
<b>Bowie</b>						<b>Bowie</b>				
FY 2004	264	25	90	138	160	9%	34%	52%	61%	
FY 2005	453	29	89	149	185	6%	20%	33%	41%	
FY 2006	290	17	77	130	154	6%	27%	45%	53%	
FY 2007	281	29	84	133	159	10%	30%	47%	57%	
FY 2008	302	26	81	127	159	9%	27%	42%	53%	
FY 2009	292	16	72	127	154	5%	25%	43%	53%	
FY 2010	279	16	76	126	152	6%	27%	45%	54%	
FY 2011	238	17	66	110		7%	28%	46%		
FY 2012	315	26	97			8%	31%			
FY 2013	353	26				7%				
<b>Coppin</b>						<b>Coppin</b>				
FY 2004	132	8	24	43	57	6%	18%	33%	43%	
FY 2005	197	12	54	77	91	6%	27%	39%	46%	
FY 2006	219	4	33	74	89	2%	15%	34%	41%	
FY 2007	214	7	35	60	80	3%	16%	28%	37%	
FY 2008	199	18	51	80	103	9%	26%	40%	52%	
FY 2009	242	15	40	76	102	6%	17%	31%	42%	
FY 2010	199	18	55	73	93	9%	28%	37%	47%	
FY 2011	200	35	72	98		18%	36%	49%		
FY 2012	236	37	79			16%	33%			
FY 2013	238	33				14%				

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		2-year	3-year	4-year	5-year		2-year	3-year	4-year	5-year
<b>Frostburg</b>						<b>Frostburg</b>				
FY 2004	285	33	106	152	165	FY 2004	12%	37%	53%	58%
FY 2005	268	26	104	144	160	FY 2005	10%	39%	54%	60%
FY 2006	277	37	112	152	172	FY 2006	13%	40%	55%	62%
FY 2007	283	41	120	165	181	FY 2007	14%	42%	58%	64%
FY 2008	313	61	150	199	220	FY 2008	19%	48%	64%	70%
FY 2009	323	68	147	198	212	FY 2009	21%	46%	61%	66%
FY 2010	344	61	155	202	218	FY 2010	18%	45%	59%	63%
FY 2011	354	67	177	218		FY 2011	19%	50%	62%	
FY 2012	379	77	170			FY 2012	20%	45%		
FY 2013	412	92				FY 2013	22%			
<b>Salisbury</b>						<b>Salisbury</b>				
FY 2004	519	66	224	331	363	FY 2004	13%	43%	64%	70%
FY 2005	513	50	202	314	348	FY 2005	10%	39%	61%	68%
FY 2006	569	61	253	365	402	FY 2006	11%	44%	64%	71%
FY 2007	601	57	251	371	402	FY 2007	9%	42%	62%	67%
FY 2008	524	76	270	361	387	FY 2008	15%	52%	69%	74%
FY 2009	657	100	319	444	478	FY 2009	15%	49%	68%	73%
FY 2010	632	99	300	430	460	FY 2010	16%	47%	68%	73%
FY 2011	673	92	311	442		FY 2011	14%	46%	66%	
FY 2012	736	130	366			FY 2012	18%	50%		
FY 2013	841	120				FY 2013	14%			
<b>Towson</b>						<b>Towson</b>				
FY 2004	1,335	149	594	837	907	FY 2004	11%	44%	63%	68%
FY 2005	1,429	167	607	863	960	FY 2005	12%	42%	60%	67%
FY 2006	1,483	178	666	909	1001	FY 2006	12%	45%	61%	67%
FY 2007	1,630	211	706	1027	1116	FY 2007	13%	43%	63%	68%
FY 2008	1,729	223	758	1077	1179	FY 2008	13%	44%	62%	68%
FY 2009	1,889	274	871	1188	1315	FY 2009	15%	46%	63%	70%
FY 2010	1,607	258	775	1051	1162	FY 2010	16%	48%	65%	72%
FY 2011	2,017	300	1001	1353		FY 2011	15%	50%	67%	
FY 2012	2,430	419	1200			FY 2012	17%	49%		
FY 2013	2,848	402				FY 2013	14%			
<b>UB</b>						<b>UB</b>				
FY 2004	616	67	216	285	324	FY 2004	11%	35%	46%	53%
FY 2005	677	70	206	280	330	FY 2005	10%	30%	41%	49%
FY 2006	902	108	316	412	464	FY 2006	12%	35%	46%	51%
FY 2007	872	94	288	389	448	FY 2007	11%	33%	45%	51%
FY 2008	843	85	282	402	456	FY 2008	10%	33%	48%	54%
FY 2009	793	76	290	381	440	FY 2009	10%	37%	48%	55%
FY 2010	753	82	279	382	434	FY 2010	11%	37%	51%	58%
FY 2011	664	55	243	335		FY 2011	8%	37%	50%	
FY 2012	654	61	247			FY 2012	9%	38%		
FY 2013	690	62				FY 2013	9%			



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		2-year	3-year	4-year	5-year		2-year	3-year	4-year	5-year
<b>UMB</b>						<b>UMB</b>				
FY 2004	149	73	119	122	123		49%	80%	82%	83%
FY 2005	146	75	122	130	135		51%	84%	89%	92%
FY 2006	136	67	116	122	125		49%	85%	90%	92%
FY 2007	156	67	125	127	130		43%	80%	81%	83%
FY 2008	164	60	130	137	137		37%	79%	84%	84%
FY 2009	162	63	115	128	129		39%	71%	79%	80%
FY 2010	164	77	129	135	137		47%	79%	82%	84%
FY 2011	128	51	93	94			40%	73%	73%	
FY 2012	137	48	106				35%	77%		
FY 2013	177	73					41%			
<b>UMBC</b>						<b>UMBC</b>				
FY 2004	1,040	73	315	509	608		7%	30%	49%	58%
FY 2005	1,030	83	324	502	578		8%	31%	49%	56%
FY 2006	947	70	304	480	515		7%	32%	51%	54%
FY 2007	961	69	307	453	558		7%	32%	47%	58%
FY 2008	1,052	89	329	524	603		8%	31%	50%	57%
FY 2009	1,059	83	350	548	627		8%	33%	52%	59%
FY 2010	1,181	83	365	596	706		7%	31%	50%	60%
FY 2011	1,267	102	441	663			8%	35%	52%	
FY 2012	1,368	117	495				8%	36%		
FY 2013	1,418	109								
<b>UMCP</b>						<b>UMCP</b>				
FY 2004	1,486	165	651	943	1,050		11%	44%	63%	71%
FY 2005	1,341	201	619	834	923		15%	46%	62%	69%
FY 2006	1,571	246	750	1041	1127		16%	48%	66%	72%
FY 2007	1,557	229	731	1046	1136		15%	47%	67%	73%
FY 2008	1,652	232	784	1088	1188		14%	47%	66%	72%
FY 2009	1,658	300	873	1175	1273		18%	53%	71%	77%
FY 2010	1,578	280	830	1117	1219		18%	53%	71%	77%
FY 2011	1,665	314	931	1252			19%	56%	75%	
FY 2012	1,695	319	990				19%	58%		
FY 2013	1,930	322					17%			
<b>UMES</b>						<b>UMES</b>				
FY 2004	124	2	30	41	50		2%	24%	33%	40%
FY 2005	136	7	27	50	60		5%	20%	37%	44%
FY 2006	77	6	20	31	40		8%	26%	40%	52%
FY 2007	48	5	13	20	26		10%	27%	42%	54%
FY 2008	97	8	32	50	55		8%	33%	52%	57%
FY 2009	92	9	34	44	48		10%	37%	48%	52%
FY 2010	97	9	25	33	42		9%	26%	34%	43%
FY 2011	73	18	35	46			25%	48%	63%	
FY 2012	86	14	38				16%	44%		
FY 2013	135	28					21%			

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		2-year	3-year	4-year	5-year		2-year	3-year	4-year	5-year
<b>UMUC</b>						<b>UMUC</b>				
FY 2004	1,756	108	364	558	680	FY 2004	6%	21%	32%	39%
FY 2005	1,858	101	342	545	667	FY 2005	5%	18%	29%	36%
FY 2006	2,055	96	340	494	587	FY 2006	5%	17%	24%	29%
FY 2007	2,371	111	344	508	692	FY 2007	5%	15%	21%	29%
FY 2008	2,118	91	321	530	682	FY 2008	4%	15%	25%	32%
FY 2009	2,301	130	433	675	831	FY 2009	6%	19%	29%	36%
FY 2010	2,622	137	499	772	906	FY 2010	5%	19%	29%	35%
FY 2011	2,750	188	591	856		FY 2011	7%	21%	31%	
FY 2012	2,997	235	633			FY 2012	8%	21%		
FY 2013	2,840	245				FY 2013	9%			
<b>Hagerstown*</b>						<b>Hagerstown</b>				
FY 2009	50	18	24	31	33	FY 2009	36%	48%	62%	66%
FY 2010	42	18	29	32	33	FY 2010	43%	69%	76%	79%
FY 2011	71	29	46	50		FY 2011	41%	65%	70%	
FY 2012	77	38	54			FY 2012	49%	70%		
FY 2013	84	35				FY 2013	42%			
<b>Shady Grove*</b>						<b>Shady Grove</b>				
FY 2009	400	184	270	297	314	FY 2009	46%	68%	74%	79%
FY 2010	479	211	321	359	373	FY 2010	44%	67%	75%	78%
FY 2011	438	200	299	326		FY 2011	46%	68%	74%	
FY 2012	534	245	352			FY 2012	46%	66%		
FY 2013	536	242				FY 2013	45%			

Source: MHEC TSS and DIS files

\* USM Regional Center Files (EIS and Regional Center Registration) matched to TSS Cohorts in same fiscal year and institution only.

Table 11  
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 FY 2011 Cohort

Receiving Inst	All Transfer Students		African-American Transfer Students		White Transfer Students	
	Cohort N	Four-Year Graduation Rate	Cohort N	Four-Year Graduation Rate	Cohort N	Four-Year Graduation Rate
Bowie	238	47%	201	44%	16	50%
Coppin	200	50%	173	50%	1	0%
Frostburg	354	62%	33	36%	292	64%
Salisbury	673	64%	58	50%	536	69%
Towson	2,017	68%	273	57%	1,431	70%
UB	664	51%	242	39%	311	57%
UMB	128	80%	23	74%	74	74%
UMBC	1,267	52%	210	41%	646	55%
UMCP	1,665	75%	205	72%	818	74%
UMES	73	60%	27	52%	28	57%
UMUC	2,750	31%	830	22%	1,231	35%
USM	10,029	55%	2,275	40%	5,384	60%

Source: TSS and DIS