

**ATTACHMENT A**  
**NUMBER OF FIRST-TIME, FULL-TIME FRESHMEN**  
**BY RACE/ETHNICITY**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 - 2005**  
**Fall 2005**

**UNIVERSITY OF IOWA**

|                          | 1988  | 1989  | 1990  | 1991  | 1992  | 1993  | 1994  | 1995  | 1996  | 1997  | 1998  | 1999  | 2000  | 2001  | 2002  | 2003  | 2004  | 2005  |
|--------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| <b>Native American</b>   |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Number in Cohort         | 8     | 6     | 5     | 6     | 10    | 13    | 17    | 10    | 12    | 17    | 17    | 17    | 18    | 10    | 11    | 14    | 23    | 13    |
| Returned 2nd Year        | 7     | 5     | 4     | 5     | 9     | 12    | 10    | 9     | 11    | 14    | 14    | 14    | 12    | 6     | 9     | 11    | 20    |       |
| Returned 3rd Year        | 6     | 4     | 3     | 5     | 9     | 10    | 7     | 8     | 11    | 14    | 13    | 10    | 9     | 6     | 8     | 12    |       |       |
| Graduated 4th Year       | 1     | 1     | 1     | 2     | 4     | 5     | 0     | 1     | 5     | 6     | 5     | 1     | 4     | 5     |       |       |       |       |
| Graduated 6th Year       | 4     | 3     | 2     | 5     | 7     | 10    | 2     | 6     | 7     | 10    | 12    | 7     |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| <b>African-American</b>  |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Number in Cohort         | 84    | 109   | 113   | 72    | 91    | 70    | 86    | 100   | 62    | 71    | 99    | 91    | 99    | 96    | 76    | 86    | 86    | 83    |
| Returned 2nd Year        | 58    | 85    | 82    | 54    | 73    | 55    | 73    | 74    | 51    | 55    | 80    | 73    | 73    | 77    | 51    | 60    | 72    |       |
| Returned 3rd Year        | 56    | 74    | 65    | 45    | 57    | 51    | 62    | 68    | 50    | 49    | 67    | 61    | 61    | 59    | 38    | 55    |       |       |
| Graduated 4th Year       | 10    | 18    | 10    | 9     | 13    | 11    | 19    | 16    | 17    | 7     | 14    | 17    | 13    | 19    |       |       |       |       |
| Graduated 6th Year       | 29    | 46    | 45    | 25    | 37    | 34    | 46    | 40    | 37    | 27    | 43    | 46    |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| <b>Asian-American</b>    |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Number in Cohort         | 87    | 89    | 89    | 105   | 112   | 108   | 122   | 151   | 140   | 107   | 112   | 116   | 126   | 153   | 153   | 146   | 151   | 133   |
| Returned 2nd Year        | 77    | 79    | 81    | 86    | 99    | 95    | 99    | 123   | 108   | 91    | 98    | 95    | 107   | 123   | 125   | 125   | 131   |       |
| Returned 3rd Year        | 72    | 60    | 73    | 82    | 88    | 86    | 91    | 116   | 97    | 84    | 95    | 82    | 93    | 107   | 118   | 117   |       |       |
| Graduated 4th Year       | 20    | 19    | 22    | 27    | 29    | 27    | 34    | 33    | 31    | 37    | 31    | 34    | 46    | 50    |       |       |       |       |
| Graduated 6th Year       | 53    | 40    | 52    | 59    | 70    | 73    | 73    | 90    | 76    | 70    | 75    | 63    |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| <b>Hispanic-American</b> |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Number in Cohort         | 41    | 47    | 50    | 40    | 57    | 60    | 73    | 72    | 77    | 75    | 85    | 86    | 83    | 110   | 99    | 94    | 85    | 104   |
| Returned 2nd Year        | 31    | 39    | 39    | 26    | 43    | 42    | 61    | 54    | 58    | 69    | 67    | 68    | 66    | 93    | 81    | 74    | 64    |       |
| Returned 3rd Year        | 23    | 33    | 36    | 24    | 42    | 36    | 52    | 47    | 48    | 61    | 58    | 61    | 61    | 81    | 68    | 69    |       |       |
| Graduated 4th Year       | 4     | 11    | 11    | 11    | 17    | 18    | 18    | 16    | 15    | 30    | 27    | 21    | 28    | 35    |       |       |       |       |
| Graduated 6th Year       | 18    | 25    | 27    | 21    | 31    | 28    | 39    | 37    | 36    | 49    | 50    | 46    |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| <b>White</b>             |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Number in Cohort         | 3,370 | 3,080 | 2,427 | 2,491 | 2,830 | 2,869 | 2,916 | 3,118 | 3,115 | 3,274 | 3,564 | 3,407 | 3,292 | 3,538 | 3,733 | 3,642 | 3,607 | 3,445 |
| Returned 2nd Year        | 2,816 | 2,536 | 2,043 | 2,119 | 2,417 | 2,404 | 2,438 | 2,569 | 2,594 | 2,736 | 2,981 | 2,866 | 2,728 | 2,920 | 3,085 | 3,037 | 3,042 |       |
| Returned 3rd Year        | 2,543 | 2,313 | 1,870 | 1,945 | 2,164 | 2,177 | 2,236 | 2,381 | 2,364 | 2,501 | 2,715 | 2,582 | 2,476 | 2,612 | 2,774 | 2,777 |       |       |
| Graduated 4th Year       | 1,044 | 969   | 837   | 823   | 940   | 1,016 | 1,030 | 1,150 | 1,219 | 1,256 | 1,310 | 1,342 | 1,344 | 1,441 |       |       |       |       |
| Graduated 6th Year       | 2,088 | 1,912 | 1,552 | 1,598 | 1,833 | 1,811 | 1,899 | 2,069 | 2,038 | 2,132 | 2,390 | 2,296 |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| <b>Total</b>             |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Number in Cohort         | 3,610 | 3,348 | 2,700 | 2,738 | 3,111 | 3,131 | 3,229 | 3,462 | 3,417 | 3,573 | 3,876 | 3,747 | 3,647 | 3,930 | 4,097 | 4,014 | 3,982 | 3,818 |
| Returned 2nd Year        | 3,007 | 2,758 | 2,264 | 2,312 | 2,649 | 2,619 | 2,694 | 2,838 | 2,833 | 2,991 | 3,255 | 3,142 | 3,009 | 3,236 | 3,372 | 3,334 | 3,356 |       |
| Returned 3rd Year        | 2,717 | 2,498 | 2,060 | 2,121 | 2,367 | 2,369 | 2,460 | 2,627 | 2,580 | 2,730 | 2,961 | 2,817 | 2,719 | 2,879 | 3,025 | 3,051 |       |       |
| Graduated 4th Year       | 1,099 | 1,027 | 887   | 884   | 1,006 | 1,082 | 1,107 | 1,221 | 1,293 | 1,345 | 1,394 | 1,422 | 1,442 | 1,556 |       |       |       |       |
| Graduated 6th Year       | 2,208 | 2,039 | 1,689 | 1,727 | 1,983 | 1,965 | 2,068 | 2,247 | 2,202 | 2,307 | 2,581 | 2,475 |       |       |       |       |       |       |

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|                          | 1988  | 1989  | 1990  | 1991  | 1992  | 1993  | 1994  | 1995  | 1996  | 1997  | 1998  | 1999  | 2000  | 2001  | 2002  | 2003  | 2004  | 2005  |
|--------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| <b>Native American</b>   |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Number in Cohort         | 4     | 7     | 5     | 7     | 5     | 7     | 7     | 8     | 14    | 11    | 10    | 16    | 10    | 12    | 12    | 11    | 16    | 7     |
| Returned 2nd Year        | 4     | 7     | 3     | 4     | 3     | 4     | 5     | 7     | 9     | 6     | 8     | 12    | 4     | 10    | 10    | 5     | 12    |       |
| Returned 3rd Year        | 3     | 5     | 0     | 4     | 2     | 3     | 5     | 6     | 7     | 7     | 7     | 9     | 3     | 8     | 9     | 4     |       |       |
| Graduated 4th Year       | 1     | 3     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 1     | 1     | 2     | 3     | 3     | 0     | 3     | 2     | 3     |       |       |       |       |
| Graduated 6th Year       | 2     | 4     | 0     | 1     | 2     | 2     | 5     | 4     | 6     | 6     | 6     | 7     |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| <b>African-American</b>  |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Number in Cohort         | 135   | 181   | 109   | 122   | 139   | 233   | 97    | 62    | 95    | 117   | 104   | 145   | 104   | 146   | 134   | 102   | 105   | 107   |
| Returned 2nd Year        | 97    | 116   | 89    | 104   | 96    | 161   | 69    | 49    | 65    | 93    | 86    | 117   | 89    | 124   | 105   | 87    | 83    |       |
| Returned 3rd Year        | 72    | 98    | 77    | 82    | 73    | 125   | 55    | 39    | 52    | 68    | 68    | 99    | 74    | 94    | 91    | 72    |       |       |
| Graduated 4th Year       | 7     | 12    | 10    | 7     | 12    | 22    | 7     | 6     | 15    | 16    | 16    | 24    | 23    | 17    |       |       |       |       |
| Graduated 6th Year       | 51    | 67    | 41    | 44    | 38    | 78    | 33    | 27    | 38    | 51    | 38    | 74    |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| <b>Asian-American</b>    |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Number in Cohort         | 56    | 72    | 58    | 74    | 94    | 73    | 75    | 64    | 82    | 99    | 81    | 86    | 113   | 146   | 132   | 139   | 129   | 137   |
| Returned 2nd Year        | 45    | 62    | 48    | 53    | 74    | 59    | 66    | 58    | 68    | 89    | 71    | 77    | 104   | 124   | 105   | 118   | 118   |       |
| Returned 3rd Year        | 41    | 55    | 44    | 54    | 69    | 51    | 58    | 49    | 58    | 82    | 65    | 62    | 85    | 107   | 92    | 111   |       |       |
| Graduated 4th Year       | 6     | 11    | 5     | 10    | 12    | 11    | 13    | 15    | 15    | 22    | 15    | 18    | 32    | 43    |       |       |       |       |
| Graduated 6th Year       | 33    | 43    | 29    | 37    | 53    | 39    | 54    | 41    | 50    | 67    | 46    | 51    |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| <b>Hispanic-American</b> |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Number in Cohort         | 45    | 55    | 28    | 52    | 52    | 56    | 55    | 45    | 60    | 51    | 53    | 75    | 103   | 99    | 84    | 93    | 84    | 103   |
| Returned 2nd Year        | 39    | 44    | 23    | 40    | 35    | 42    | 43    | 31    | 45    | 41    | 43    | 64    | 85    | 79    | 73    | 82    | 70    |       |
| Returned 3rd Year        | 28    | 34    | 17    | 27    | 31    | 37    | 35    | 25    | 37    | 38    | 39    | 55    | 74    | 72    | 61    | 74    |       |       |
| Graduated 4th Year       | 5     | 10    | 5     | 5     | 2     | 8     | 12    | 4     | 12    | 9     | 6     | 18    | 28    | 25    |       |       |       |       |
| Graduated 6th Year       | 21    | 30    | 10    | 21    | 19    | 31    | 28    | 16    | 27    | 30    | 29    | 50    |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| <b>White</b>             |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Number in Cohort         | 3,388 | 3,296 | 2,979 | 2,787 | 2,833 | 2,893 | 2,965 | 2,937 | 3,170 | 3,500 | 3,348 | 3,494 | 3,703 | 3,915 | 3,557 | 3,289 | 3,142 | 3,229 |
| Returned 2nd Year        | 2,881 | 2,779 | 2,440 | 2,287 | 2,342 | 2,378 | 2,424 | 2,391 | 2,641 | 2,937 | 2,834 | 2,977 | 3,094 | 3,275 | 3,007 | 2,790 | 2,695 |       |
| Returned 3rd Year        | 2,556 | 2,459 | 2,153 | 2,019 | 2,070 | 2,092 | 2,142 | 2,167 | 2,389 | 2,644 | 2,584 | 2,702 | 2,781 | 2,927 | 2,722 | 2,569 |       |       |
| Graduated 4th Year       | 760   | 701   | 583   | 576   | 613   | 661   | 720   | 749   | 904   | 963   | 1,015 | 1,125 | 1,185 | 1,293 |       |       |       |       |
| Graduated 6th Year       | 2,208 | 2,096 | 1,847 | 1,720 | 1,777 | 1,815 | 1,872 | 1,901 | 2,109 | 2,340 | 2,278 | 2,409 |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| <b>Total</b>             |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Number in Cohort         | 3,744 | 3,751 | 3,310 | 3,228 | 3,333 | 3,416 | 3,325 | 3,274 | 3,599 | 4,007 | 3,800 | 4,020 | 4,289 | 4,598 | 4,167 | 3,863 | 3,674 | 3,746 |
| Returned 2nd Year        | 3,153 | 3,119 | 2,700 | 2,627 | 2,726 | 2,769 | 2,711 | 2,668 | 2,979 | 3,351 | 3,207 | 3,421 | 3,591 | 3,837 | 3,510 | 3,270 | 3,151 |       |
| Returned 3rd Year        | 2,781 | 2,745 | 2,373 | 2,309 | 2,403 | 2,417 | 2,387 | 2,399 | 2,677 | 3,008 | 2,907 | 3,086 | 3,203 | 3,401 | 3,156 | 3,004 |       |       |
| Graduated 4th Year       | 806   | 763   | 629   | 664   | 723   | 763   | 799   | 822   | 1,022 | 1,081 | 1,111 | 1,261 | 1,339 | 1,463 |       |       |       |       |
| Graduated 6th Year       | 2,381 | 2,312 | 1,985 | 1,939 | 2,035 | 2,062 | 2,075 | 2,086 | 2,349 | 2,634 | 2,526 | 2,734 |       |       |       |       |       |       |

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|                          | 1988  | 1989  | 1990  | 1991  | 1992  | 1993  | 1994  | 1995  | 1996  | 1997  | 1998  | 1999  | 2000  | 2001  | 2002  | 2003  | 2004  | 2005  |
|--------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| <b>Native American</b>   |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Number in Cohort         | 4     | 2     | 2     | 5     | 4     | 4     | 4     | 5     | 4     | 2     | 6     | 5     | 6     | 2     | 3     | 4     | 7     | 4     |
| Returned 2nd Year        | 1     | 0     | 1     | 4     | 1     | 3     | 1     | 3     | 3     | 0     | 4     | 3     | 6     | 1     | 3     | 3     | 2     |       |
| Returned 3rd Year        | 1     | 0     | 1     | 2     | 1     | 3     | 0     | 3     | 2     | 0     | 3     | 2     | 4     | 0     | 3     | 2     |       |       |
| Graduated 4th Year       | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 1     | 0     | 0     | 1     | 2     | 0     |       |       |       |       |
| Graduated 6th Year       | 0     | 0     | 1     | 2     | 1     | 2     | 0     | 2     | 2     | 0     | 3     | 2     |       |       |       |       |       |       |
|                          |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| <b>African-American</b>  |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Number in Cohort         | 36    | 45    | 49    | 43    | 35    | 33    | 40    | 29    | 28    | 38    | 42    | 50    | 67    | 59    | 64    | 49    | 51    | 49    |
| Returned 2nd Year        | 27    | 29    | 32    | 31    | 22    | 21    | 24    | 19    | 19    | 25    | 29    | 34    | 53    | 40    | 50    | 37    | 42    |       |
| Returned 3rd Year        | 18    | 28    | 29    | 25    | 17    | 18    | 20    | 16    | 15    | 17    | 25    | 30    | 41    | 32    | 40    | 28    |       |       |
| Graduated 4th Year       | 0     | 1     | 2     | 2     | 3     | 3     | 1     | 1     | 1     | 3     | 6     | 4     | 5     | 5     |       |       |       |       |
| Graduated 6th Year       | 6     | 14    | 19    | 15    | 14    | 14    | 17    | 13    | 9     | 12    | 17    | 21    |       |       |       |       |       |       |
|                          |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| <b>Asian-American</b>    |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Number in Cohort         | 11    | 15    | 16    | 19    | 14    | 26    | 31    | 19    | 25    | 19    | 17    | 19    | 27    | 30    | 12    | 20    | 14    | 25    |
| Returned 2nd Year        | 6     | 10    | 14    | 17    | 12    | 16    | 21    | 15    | 18    | 15    | 12    | 14    | 21    | 23    | 10    | 17    | 11    |       |
| Returned 3rd Year        | 5     | 12    | 10    | 15    | 11    | 13    | 19    | 15    | 15    | 13    | 10    | 13    | 21    | 24    | 8     | 14    |       |       |
| Graduated 4th Year       | 1     | 2     | 2     | 4     | 3     | 1     | 9     | 6     | 6     | 3     | 4     | 5     | 6     | 9     |       |       |       |       |
| Graduated 6th Year       | 4     | 8     | 7     | 14    | 9     | 11    | 13    | 15    | 10    | 10    | 7     | 11    |       |       |       |       |       |       |
|                          |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| <b>Hispanic-American</b> |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Number in Cohort         | 10    | 12    | 8     | 14    | 15    | 15    | 11    | 22    | 14    | 10    | 16    | 14    | 27    | 26    | 16    | 21    | 21    | 23    |
| Returned 2nd Year        | 6     | 8     | 7     | 11    | 12    | 11    | 5     | 15    | 13    | 4     | 9     | 9     | 19    | 19    | 8     | 18    | 13    |       |
| Returned 3rd Year        | 5     | 6     | 7     | 9     | 7     | 9     | 4     | 13    | 11    | 4     | 8     | 6     | 18    | 13    | 7     | 15    |       |       |
| Graduated 4th Year       | 0     | 1     | 3     | 0     | 2     | 1     | 0     | 2     | 2     | 0     | 3     | 0     | 3     | 4     |       |       |       |       |
| Graduated 6th Year       | 4     | 5     | 6     | 5     | 6     | 5     | 4     | 10    | 7     | 1     | 6     | 5     |       |       |       |       |       |       |
|                          |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| <b>White</b>             |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Number in Cohort         | 1,765 | 1,842 | 1,955 | 1,842 | 1,558 | 1,691 | 1,746 | 1,912 | 1,899 | 1,790 | 1,864 | 1,979 | 2,009 | 1,885 | 1,675 | 1,559 | 1,508 | 1,549 |
| Returned 2nd Year        | 1,420 | 1,522 | 1,619 | 1,509 | 1,277 | 1,373 | 1,428 | 1,575 | 1,560 | 1,487 | 1,519 | 1,624 | 1,692 | 1,548 | 1,359 | 1,305 | 1,231 |       |
| Returned 3rd Year        | 1,295 | 1,371 | 1,455 | 1,337 | 1,132 | 1,258 | 1,279 | 1,415 | 1,426 | 1,336 | 1,388 | 1,461 | 1,540 | 1,399 | 1,234 | 1,203 |       |       |
| Graduated 4th Year       | 514   | 475   | 487   | 458   | 418   | 476   | 521   | 592   | 650   | 529   | 558   | 681   | 706   | 624   |       |       |       |       |
| Graduated 6th Year       | 1,097 | 1,165 | 1,175 | 1,128 | 985   | 1,088 | 1,105 | 1,240 | 1,280 | 1,192 | 1,218 | 1,306 |       |       |       |       |       |       |
|                          |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| <b>Total</b>             |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Number in Cohort         | 1,898 | 1,967 | 2,075 | 1,951 | 1,659 | 1,807 | 1,856 | 2,007 | 2,012 | 1,919 | 1,982 | 2,124 | 2,218 | 2,064 | 1,822 | 1,740 | 1,652 | 1,694 |
| Returned 2nd Year        | 1,514 | 1,611 | 1,711 | 1,594 | 1,350 | 1,449 | 1,498 | 1,641 | 1,649 | 1,582 | 1,605 | 1,729 | 1,863 | 1,681 | 1,468 | 1,417 | 1,337 |       |
| Returned 3rd Year        | 1,372 | 1,451 | 1,533 | 1,404 | 1,193 | 1,322 | 1,339 | 1,474 | 1,500 | 1,417 | 1,462 | 1,548 | 1,685 | 1,515 | 1,330 | 1,297 |       |       |
| Graduated 4th Year       | 527   | 489   | 505   | 470   | 435   | 489   | 539   | 604   | 673   | 552   | 585   | 712   | 751   | 666   |       |       |       |       |
| Graduated 6th Year       | 1,146 | 1,217 | 1,233 | 1,178 | 1,032 | 1,136 | 1,155 | 1,289 | 1,338 | 1,252 | 1,274 | 1,380 |       |       |       |       |       |       |

**TABLE 1**  
**ONE-YEAR RETENTION RATES BY RACE/ETHNICITY**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 - 2004**  
**FALL 2005**

|              | 1988  | 1989  | 1990 | 1991 | 1992 | 1993 | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000  | 2001 | 2002  | 2003 | 2004        |
|--------------|-------|-------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|------|-------|------|-------------|
|              | %     | %     | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %     | %    | %     | %    | %           |
| Native Am.   |       |       |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |      |       |      |             |
| SUI          | 87.5  | 83.3  | 80.0 | 83.3 | 90.0 | 92.3 | 58.8 | 90.0 | 91.7 | 82.4 | 82.4 | 82.4 | 66.7  | 60.0 | 81.8  | 78.6 | <b>87.0</b> |
| ISU          | 100.0 | 100.0 | 60.0 | 57.1 | 60.0 | 57.1 | 71.4 | 87.5 | 64.3 | 54.5 | 80.0 | 75.0 | 40.0  | 83.3 | 83.3  | 45.5 | <b>75.0</b> |
| UNI          | 25.0  | 0.0   | 50.0 | 80.0 | 25.0 | 75.0 | 25.0 | 60.0 | 75.0 | 0.0  | 66.7 | 60.0 | 100.0 | 50.0 | 100.0 | 75.0 | <b>28.6</b> |
| African-Am.  |       |       |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |      |       |      |             |
| SUI          | 69.0  | 78.0  | 72.6 | 75.0 | 80.2 | 78.6 | 84.9 | 74.0 | 82.3 | 77.5 | 80.8 | 80.2 | 73.7  | 80.2 | 68.4  | 69.8 | <b>83.7</b> |
| ISU          | 71.9  | 64.1  | 81.7 | 85.2 | 69.1 | 69.1 | 71.1 | 79.0 | 68.4 | 79.5 | 82.7 | 80.7 | 85.6  | 84.9 | 78.4  | 85.3 | <b>79.0</b> |
| UNI          | 75.0  | 64.4  | 65.3 | 72.1 | 62.9 | 63.6 | 60.0 | 65.5 | 67.9 | 65.8 | 69.0 | 68.0 | 79.1  | 67.8 | 78.1  | 75.5 | <b>82.4</b> |
| Asian-Am.    |       |       |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |      |       |      |             |
| SUI          | 88.5  | 88.8  | 91.0 | 81.9 | 88.4 | 88.0 | 81.1 | 81.5 | 77.1 | 85.0 | 87.5 | 82.1 | 85.0  | 80.8 | 82.5  | 85.9 | <b>86.8</b> |
| ISU          | 80.4  | 86.1  | 82.8 | 71.6 | 78.7 | 80.8 | 88.0 | 90.6 | 82.9 | 89.9 | 87.7 | 89.5 | 92.0  | 84.9 | 79.5  | 84.9 | <b>91.5</b> |
| UNI          | 54.5  | 66.7  | 87.5 | 89.5 | 85.7 | 61.5 | 67.7 | 78.9 | 72.0 | 78.9 | 70.6 | 73.7 | 77.8  | 76.7 | 83.3  | 85.0 | <b>78.6</b> |
| Hispanic-Am. |       |       |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |      |       |      |             |
| SUI          | 75.6  | 83.0  | 78.0 | 65.0 | 75.4 | 70.0 | 83.6 | 75.0 | 75.3 | 92.0 | 78.8 | 79.1 | 79.5  | 84.5 | 81.8  | 78.7 | <b>75.3</b> |
| ISU          | 86.7  | 80.0  | 82.1 | 76.9 | 67.3 | 75.0 | 78.2 | 68.9 | 75.0 | 80.4 | 81.1 | 85.3 | 82.5  | 79.8 | 86.9  | 88.2 | <b>83.3</b> |
| UNI          | 60.0  | 66.7  | 87.5 | 78.6 | 80.0 | 73.3 | 45.5 | 68.2 | 92.9 | 40.0 | 56.3 | 64.3 | 70.4  | 73.1 | 50.0  | 85.7 | <b>61.9</b> |
| Subtotal     |       |       |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |      |       |      |             |
| SUI          | 78.6  | 82.9  | 80.2 | 76.7 | 83.0 | 81.3 | 81.5 | 78.1 | 78.4 | 84.8 | 82.7 | 80.7 | 79.2  | 81.2 | 79.1  | 79.6 | <b>83.2</b> |
| ISU          | 77.1  | 72.7  | 81.5 | 78.8 | 71.7 | 72.1 | 78.2 | 81.0 | 74.5 | 82.4 | 83.9 | 83.9 | 85.5  | 83.6 | 80.9  | 84.6 | <b>84.7</b> |
| UNI          | 65.6  | 63.5  | 72.0 | 77.8 | 69.1 | 65.4 | 59.3 | 69.3 | 74.6 | 63.8 | 66.7 | 68.2 | 78.0  | 70.9 | 74.7  | 79.8 | <b>73.1</b> |
| White        |       |       |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |      |       |      |             |
| SUI          | 83.6  | 82.3  | 84.2 | 85.1 | 85.4 | 83.8 | 83.6 | 82.4 | 83.3 | 83.6 | 83.6 | 84.2 | 83.0  | 82.7 | 82.8  | 83.5 | <b>84.3</b> |
| ISU          | 85.0  | 84.3  | 81.9 | 82.1 | 82.7 | 82.2 | 81.8 | 81.4 | 83.3 | 83.9 | 84.6 | 85.2 | 83.6  | 83.7 | 84.5  | 84.8 | <b>85.8</b> |
| UNI          | 80.5  | 82.6  | 82.8 | 81.9 | 82.0 | 81.2 | 81.8 | 82.4 | 82.1 | 83.1 | 81.5 | 82.1 | 84.2  | 82.1 | 81.1  | 81.6 | <b>81.6</b> |
| Regent Total |       |       |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |      |       |      |             |
| SUI          | 83.3  | 82.4  | 83.9 | 84.4 | 85.1 | 83.6 | 83.4 | 82.0 | 82.9 | 83.7 | 83.5 | 83.9 | 82.6  | 82.5 | 82.5  | 83.2 | <b>84.3</b> |
| ISU          | 84.2  | 83.2  | 81.6 | 81.4 | 81.8 | 81.1 | 81.5 | 81.5 | 82.8 | 83.6 | 84.4 | 85.1 | 83.7  | 83.4 | 84.2  | 84.6 | <b>85.8</b> |
| UNI          | 79.8  | 81.9  | 82.5 | 81.7 | 81.4 | 80.2 | 80.7 | 81.8 | 82.0 | 82.4 | 81.0 | 81.4 | 84.0  | 81.4 | 80.6  | 81.4 | <b>80.9</b> |

**TABLE 2**  
**ONE-YEAR RETENTION RATES BY HIGH SCHOOL RANK**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 - 2004**  
**FALL 2005**

|             | 1988 | 1989 | 1990 | 1991 | 1992 | 1993 | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 | 2004        |
|-------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------------|
|             | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %           |
| 90 - 99%ile |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI         | 91.0 | 89.4 | 91.1 | 91.3 | 90.9 | 89.2 | 90.4 | 90.1 | 91.3 | 92.6 | 91.7 | 91.6 | 92.3 | 92.0 | 91.1 | 92.3 | <b>92.8</b> |
| ISU         | 92.0 | 89.5 | 90.3 | 90.6 | 90.3 | 88.9 | 90.2 | 91.4 | 92.3 | 92.5 | 93.3 | 93.8 | 91.5 | 93.5 | 92.4 | 93.6 | <b>93.5</b> |
| UNI         | 90.7 | 90.2 | 92.9 | 90.6 | 93.1 | 91.4 | 93.0 | 92.8 | 92.5 | 91.7 | 89.5 | 90.9 | 92.1 | 93.0 | 93.0 | 90.4 | <b>91.6</b> |
| 80 - 89%ile |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI         | 86.0 | 84.7 | 86.5 | 89.3 | 89.1 | 85.6 | 85.6 | 86.1 | 87.4 | 87.5 | 86.9 | 91.2 | 86.8 | 89.4 | 84.3 | 86.2 | <b>85.0</b> |
| ISU         | 88.5 | 86.3 | 84.5 | 85.8 | 86.9 | 85.1 | 86.7 | 80.7 | 86.8 | 87.5 | 86.9 | 90.2 | 87.1 | 88.3 | 87.1 | 90.4 | <b>90.5</b> |
| UNI         | 84.9 | 88.0 | 87.8 | 87.4 | 83.7 | 87.0 | 87.8 | 88.2 | 87.2 | 87.5 | 85.2 | 85.1 | 87.9 | 85.7 | 88.5 | 88.8 | <b>88.5</b> |
| 70 - 79%ile |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI         | 83.6 | 83.4 | 84.9 | 87.3 | 81.5 | 81.8 | 83.1 | 80.2 | 83.7 | 83.3 | 85.5 | 84.4 | 83.4 | 81.0 | 81.5 | 83.4 | <b>83.6</b> |
| ISU         | 83.8 | 82.8 | 81.3 | 82.1 | 84.6 | 80.9 | 80.4 | 80.6 | 81.9 | 82.0 | 86.0 | 82.1 | 84.4 | 83.2 | 83.7 | 83.1 | <b>88.5</b> |
| UNI         | 80.7 | 82.2 | 81.3 | 79.4 | 86.0 | 80.2 | 84.3 | 83.2 | 81.4 | 84.3 | 85.6 | 80.8 | 87.8 | 82.7 | 79.1 | 79.3 | <b>82.3</b> |
| 60 - 69%ile |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI         | 82.0 | 78.5 | 83.3 | 80.2 | 82.2 | 84.9 | 79.3 | 81.2 | 80.1 | 79.8 | 80.2 | 79.6 | 81.1 | 78.3 | 80.6 | 81.2 | <b>81.8</b> |
| ISU         | 79.4 | 78.2 | 77.0 | 75.7 | 76.3 | 75.8 | 77.0 | 79.6 | 80.2 | 79.2 | 83.1 | 82.0 | 79.6 | 77.7 | 79.8 | 81.5 | <b>81.8</b> |
| UNI         | 77.3 | 76.1 | 76.7 | 79.9 | 74.5 | 72.2 | 76.5 | 74.7 | 76.8 | 78.8 | 78.8 | 80.4 | 81.3 | 79.0 | 77.5 | 79.0 | <b>77.2</b> |
| 50 - 59%ile |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI         | 76.8 | 74.7 | 75.5 | 77.4 | 80.6 | 77.6 | 80.6 | 78.8 | 75.5 | 79.1 | 78.3 | 78.5 | 75.6 | 74.0 | 78.5 | 76.5 | <b>78.3</b> |
| ISU         | 75.4 | 76.6 | 72.3 | 70.2 | 73.7 | 72.2 | 69.1 | 71.8 | 71.8 | 76.2 | 72.0 | 76.5 | 77.3 | 73.5 | 79.6 | 76.2 | <b>78.0</b> |
| UNI         | 75.0 | 78.1 | 77.8 | 70.8 | 77.0 | 70.9 | 70.4 | 75.9 | 75.0 | 73.9 | 73.1 | 74.0 | 71.7 | 69.0 | 71.7 | 74.3 | <b>66.5</b> |

**TABLE 2**  
**ONE-YEAR RETENTION RATES BY HIGH SCHOOL RANK**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 - 2004**  
**FALL 2005**

|             | 1988 | 1989 | 1990 | 1991 | 1992 | 1993 | 1994 | 1995 | 1996  | 1997  | 1998  | 1999 | 2000  | 2001 | 2002  | 2003 | 2004         |
|-------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|-------|-------|------|-------|------|-------|------|--------------|
|             | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %     | %     | %     | %    | %     | %    | %     | %    | %            |
| 40 - 49%ile |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |       |       |      |       |      |       |      |              |
| SUI         | 70.8 | 74.1 | 72.7 | 74.5 | 80.0 | 79.1 | 78.3 | 70.8 | 74.9  | 76.0  | 76.1  | 73.6 | 67.7  | 74.2 | 72.8  | 71.4 | <b>77.7</b>  |
| ISU         | 80.0 | 78.0 | 69.9 | 68.5 | 63.6 | 69.2 | 69.5 | 74.7 | 70.3  | 74.0  | 71.4  | 74.7 | 74.3  | 72.8 | 75.4  | 73.1 | <b>71.1</b>  |
| UNI         | 68.6 | 71.3 | 69.4 | 74.2 | 64.7 | 67.9 | 68.8 | 73.8 | 78.0  | 73.8  | 66.7  | 72.2 | 80.0  | 73.5 | 67.8  | 70.6 | <b>69.5</b>  |
| 30 - 39%ile |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |       |       |      |       |      |       |      |              |
| SUI         | 66.7 | 59.4 | 64.1 | 66.2 | 85.1 | 68.7 | 76.3 | 74.0 | 62.5  | 69.2  | 67.9  | 74.4 | 68.2  | 69.0 | 68.8  | 69.6 | <b>68.5</b>  |
| ISU         | 66.7 | 68.4 | 77.5 | 69.0 | 65.9 | 68.0 | 81.9 | 65.4 | 63.4  | 72.7  | 62.9  | 74.7 | 66.3  | 68.8 | 70.0  | 68.7 | <b>67.4</b>  |
| UNI         | 52.5 | 63.9 | 82.4 | 85.2 | 64.3 | 70.6 | 56.7 | 62.2 | 70.3  | 65.7  | 65.2  | 61.5 | 62.5  | 74.5 | 75.6  | 82.1 | <b>69.8</b>  |
| 20 - 29%ile |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |       |       |      |       |      |       |      |              |
| SUI         | 59.0 | 55.8 | 60.0 | 73.1 | 70.0 | 81.3 | 62.5 | 65.7 | 77.8  | 75.0  | 85.2  | 72.4 | 69.6  | 77.8 | 72.7  | 64.7 | <b>91.7</b>  |
| ISU         | 75.0 | 77.1 | 55.6 | 67.3 | 48.9 | 72.5 | 70.2 | 57.6 | 60.4  | 59.7  | 61.1  | 68.9 | 66.1  | 68.0 | 60.3  | 60.7 | <b>65.9</b>  |
| UNI         | 47.1 | 61.5 | 46.7 | 83.3 | 16.7 | 71.4 | 40.0 | 80.0 | 50.0  | 55.6  | 50.0  | 72.7 | 62.5  | 71.4 | 66.7  | 78.6 | <b>83.3</b>  |
| 00 - 19%ile |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |       |       |      |       |      |       |      |              |
| SUI         | 66.7 | 70.4 | 76.5 | 50.0 | 55.6 | 70.0 | 81.3 | 55.6 | 75.0  | 83.3  | 100.0 | 50.0 | 55.6  | 0.0  | 100.0 | 75.0 | <b>100.0</b> |
| ISU         | 50.0 | 73.7 | 61.5 | 58.8 | 58.3 | 57.1 | 38.5 | 70.6 | 76.9  | 52.9  | 50.0  | 40.0 | 63.6  | 35.7 | 100.0 | 57.1 | <b>57.1</b>  |
| UNI         | 37.5 | 40.0 | 71.4 | 50.0 | 0.0  | 50.0 | 0.0  | 50.0 | 75.0  | 50.0  | 100.0 | 33.3 | 83.3  | 75.0 | 66.7  | 72.7 | <b>66.7</b>  |
| NA          |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |       |       |      |       |      |       |      |              |
| SUI         | 84.7 | 88.1 | 81.4 | 85.7 | 89.9 | 85.9 | 78.3 | 75.9 | 76.8  | 77.0  | 74.8  | 74.5 | 78.8  | 81.5 | 83.5  | 78.0 | <b>83.5</b>  |
| ISU         | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 100.0 | 100.0 | 40.0  | 66.7 | 100.0 | 50.0 | 0.0   | 0.0  | <b>0.0</b>   |
| UNI         | 58.3 | 63.6 | 66.7 | 61.9 | 76.9 | 71.1 | 63.9 | 70.5 | 73.9  | 78.8  | 70.2  | 80.2 | 84.5  | 77.7 | 73.7  | 73.8 | <b>83.0</b>  |
| TOTAL       |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |       |       |      |       |      |       |      |              |
| SUI         | 83.3 | 82.4 | 83.9 | 84.4 | 85.1 | 83.6 | 83.4 | 82.0 | 82.9  | 83.7  | 83.5  | 83.9 | 82.6  | 82.5 | 82.5  | 83.2 | <b>84.3</b>  |
| ISU         | 84.2 | 83.1 | 81.6 | 81.4 | 81.7 | 81.0 | 81.5 | 81.5 | 82.8  | 83.6  | 84.4  | 85.1 | 83.7  | 83.4 | 84.2  | 84.5 | <b>85.8</b>  |
| UNI         | 79.8 | 81.9 | 82.5 | 81.7 | 81.4 | 80.2 | 80.7 | 81.8 | 82.0  | 82.4  | 81.0  | 81.4 | 84.0  | 81.4 | 80.6  | 81.4 | <b>80.9</b>  |

**TABLE 3**  
**ONE-YEAR RETENTION RATES BY ACT SCORE**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 - 2004**  
**FALL 2005**

|                | 1988  | 1989  | 1990  | 1991 | 1992  | 1993  | 1994 | 1995 | 1996  | 1997  | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 | 2004         |
|----------------|-------|-------|-------|------|-------|-------|------|------|-------|-------|------|------|------|------|------|------|--------------|
|                | %     | %     | %     | %    | %     | %     | %    | %    | %     | %     | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %            |
| <b>32 - 36</b> |       |       |       |      |       |       |      |      |       |       |      |      |      |      |      |      |              |
| SUI            | 81.8  | 91.3  | 90.0  | 89.7 | 92.2  | 92.9  | 89.3 | 91.4 | 92.8  | 92.6  | 88.4 | 88.6 | 90.9 | 93.7 | 93.0 | 92.9 | <b>94.3</b>  |
| ISU            | 97.3  | 93.3  | 96.8  | 92.1 | 94.2  | 82.9  | 91.4 | 95.7 | 94.1  | 95.8  | 92.9 | 92.7 | 90.3 | 91.5 | 94.9 | 95.0 | <b>95.6</b>  |
| UNI            | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 92.9 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 88.2 | 91.7 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 95.2 | 83.3 | 93.3 | 92.9 | 93.3 | 87.5 | <b>100.0</b> |
| <b>27 - 31</b> |       |       |       |      |       |       |      |      |       |       |      |      |      |      |      |      |              |
| SUI            | 85.7  | 87.5  | 85.4  | 88.3 | 90.2  | 84.2  | 86.9 | 86.5 | 87.0  | 87.6  | 85.7 | 88.0 | 86.1 | 86.4 | 83.6 | 87.6 | <b>88.7</b>  |
| ISU            | 88.2  | 87.3  | 87.1  | 88.2 | 86.5  | 86.1  | 92.6 | 87.1 | 88.9  | 89.4  | 90.1 | 88.3 | 87.2 | 88.4 | 89.6 | 86.4 | <b>87.7</b>  |
| UNI            | 88.4  | 89.1  | 88.5  | 88.8 | 88.9  | 85.2  | 88.7 | 89.7 | 84.8  | 89.3  | 87.3 | 87.0 | 92.4 | 87.7 | 88.0 | 87.2 | <b>88.8</b>  |
| <b>22 - 26</b> |       |       |       |      |       |       |      |      |       |       |      |      |      |      |      |      |              |
| SUI            | 83.9  | 82.8  | 84.8  | 85.2 | 85.1  | 83.4  | 83.4 | 82.1 | 82.3  | 83.6  | 83.9 | 84.1 | 82.7 | 83.3 | 84.2 | 83.3 | <b>84.2</b>  |
| ISU            | 84.8  | 83.4  | 81.2  | 80.8 | 82.4  | 81.6  | 82.4 | 80.5 | 81.7  | 82.6  | 83.5 | 85.0 | 82.9 | 83.5 | 83.0 | 85.0 | <b>86.1</b>  |
| UNI            | 80.2  | 85.2  | 84.3  | 83.7 | 83.3  | 82.4  | 82.9 | 82.8 | 84.6  | 83.4  | 80.2 | 81.4 | 84.4 | 83.9 | 81.1 | 82.6 | <b>83.8</b>  |
| <b>19 - 21</b> |       |       |       |      |       |       |      |      |       |       |      |      |      |      |      |      |              |
| SUI            | 83.0  | 79.1  | 83.3  | 81.6 | 81.1  | 84.3  | 82.3 | 77.9 | 80.1  | 80.0  | 80.7 | 81.4 | 80.4 | 77.0 | 77.2 | 77.2 | <b>78.8</b>  |
| ISU            | 80.7  | 80.6  | 77.7  | 78.5 | 77.6  | 77.1  | 78.9 | 77.9 | 77.7  | 79.7  | 79.7 | 81.7 | 81.3 | 78.8 | 79.0 | 79.0 | <b>82.5</b>  |
| UNI            | 76.4  | 76.5  | 78.1  | 78.1 | 77.3  | 77.5  | 76.0 | 80.2 | 78.2  | 79.8  | 79.7 | 80.9 | 81.8 | 77.9 | 81.0 | 78.9 | <b>75.1</b>  |
| <b>1 - 18</b>  |       |       |       |      |       |       |      |      |       |       |      |      |      |      |      |      |              |
| SUI            | 77.2  | 76.0  | 77.7  | 72.2 | 76.9  | 76.2  | 73.3 | 71.3 | 71.4  | 75.7  | 74.8 | 74.7 | 73.4 | 72.6 | 68.2 | 67.6 | <b>68.7</b>  |
| ISU            | 74.6  | 73.9  | 69.1  | 72.3 | 72.8  | 75.6  | 70.8 | 75.6 | 72.4  | 75.9  | 75.8 | 76.9 | 79.1 | 72.4 | 78.3 | 80.7 | <b>75.7</b>  |
| UNI            | 71.1  | 68.3  | 74.4  | 72.2 | 72.9  | 68.6  | 66.2 | 68.8 | 69.3  | 69.5  | 73.8 | 74.2 | 72.4 | 70.2 | 67.7 | 73.9 | <b>69.7</b>  |
| <b>NA</b>      |       |       |       |      |       |       |      |      |       |       |      |      |      |      |      |      |              |
| SUI            | 80.8  | 80.7  | 80.4  | 79.7 | 83.2  | 83.2  | 76.5 | 80.6 | 81.8  | 77.9  | 81.8 | 74.5 | 73.9 | 75.1 | 81.8 | 78.5 | <b>82.7</b>  |
| ISU            | 72.3  | 71.7  | 73.2  | 71.2 | 77.7  | 71.8  | 70.5 | 73.3 | 77.4  | 71.3  | 72.9 | 84.0 | 78.4 | 75.6 | 77.6 | 88.6 | <b>78.9</b>  |
| UNI            | 62.5  | 73.7  | 70.6  | 66.7 | 50.0  | 46.7  | 75.0 | 33.3 | 78.6  | 70.0  | 85.7 | 78.6 | 89.7 | 66.7 | 66.7 | 69.2 | <b>72.2</b>  |
| <b>TOTAL</b>   |       |       |       |      |       |       |      |      |       |       |      |      |      |      |      |      |              |
| SUI            | 83.3  | 82.4  | 83.9  | 84.4 | 85.1  | 83.6  | 83.4 | 82.0 | 82.9  | 83.7  | 83.5 | 83.9 | 82.6 | 82.5 | 82.5 | 83.2 | <b>84.3</b>  |
| ISU            | 84.2  | 83.1  | 81.6  | 81.3 | 81.8  | 81.1  | 83.0 | 81.5 | 82.7  | 83.6  | 84.4 | 85.1 | 83.7 | 83.4 | 84.2 | 84.6 | <b>85.8</b>  |
| UNI            | 79.8  | 81.9  | 82.5  | 81.7 | 81.4  | 80.2  | 80.7 | 81.8 | 82.0  | 82.4  | 81.0 | 81.4 | 84.0 | 81.4 | 80.6 | 81.4 | <b>80.9</b>  |

**TABLE 4**  
**ONE-YEAR RETENTION RATES BY FIRST-TERM GPA**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 - 2004**  
**FALL 2005**

|             | 1988 | 1989 | 1990 | 1991 | 1992 | 1993 | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 | 2004        |
|-------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------------|
|             | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    |             |
| 3.50 - 4.00 |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI         | 93.8 | 90.8 | 93.5 | 92.7 | 94.0 | 94.8 | 90.9 | 94.4 | 96.5 | 94.7 | 93.4 | 94.4 | 94.6 | 92.1 | 92.4 | 92.4 | <b>94.0</b> |
| ISU         | 93.6 | 94.3 | 91.0 | 91.8 | 93.7 | 90.8 | 93.3 | 94.6 | 96.2 | 92.9 | 94.8 | 93.9 | 95.3 | 94.4 | 92.7 | 92.7 | <b>93.9</b> |
| UNI         | 88.6 | 93.0 | 92.7 | 94.3 | 94.8 | 91.4 | 94.5 | 95.0 | 92.5 | 93.8 | 93.3 | 92.8 | 93.7 | 93.8 | 92.9 | 93.3 | <b>94.4</b> |
| 3.25 - 3.49 |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI         | 90.9 | 92.4 | 89.6 | 91.1 | 92.1 | 92.1 | 94.0 | 91.1 | 92.1 | 92.2 | 93.2 | 93.6 | 93.9 | 91.5 | 91.6 | 91.5 | <b>93.4</b> |
| ISU         | 93.2 | 91.8 | 89.5 | 91.4 | 94.8 | 91.2 | 93.4 | 92.0 | 92.8 | 93.3 | 92.5 | 93.2 | 90.6 | 91.8 | 92.3 | 91.1 | <b>92.6</b> |
| UNI         | 92.9 | 91.1 | 90.6 | 87.7 | 92.2 | 93.6 | 90.7 | 88.0 | 93.4 | 91.9 | 90.1 | 88.6 | 91.9 | 89.7 | 90.3 | 90.4 | <b>89.4</b> |
| 3.00 - 3.24 |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI         | 91.0 | 91.4 | 91.2 | 89.5 | 92.4 | 92.5 | 92.0 | 89.7 | 90.5 | 91.8 | 91.2 | 91.4 | 93.3 | 90.1 | 89.8 | 90.6 | <b>89.8</b> |
| ISU         | 92.7 | 91.7 | 92.8 | 91.7 | 90.6 | 89.9 | 92.0 | 92.0 | 90.8 | 91.8 | 91.9 | 92.5 | 88.6 | 88.9 | 90.9 | 92.2 | <b>94.8</b> |
| UNI         | 89.2 | 91.2 | 92.3 | 89.1 | 88.5 | 88.2 | 89.8 | 88.6 | 89.7 | 89.5 | 90.4 | 89.7 | 93.4 | 87.6 | 89.4 | 89.8 | <b>88.7</b> |
| 2.75 - 2.99 |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI         | 92.4 | 87.7 | 89.5 | 91.1 | 91.3 | 88.8 | 91.6 | 91.4 | 91.7 | 90.9 | 91.8 | 90.0 | 90.7 | 87.7 | 88.7 | 89.6 | <b>89.4</b> |
| ISU         | 92.4 | 90.4 | 89.2 | 88.5 | 89.1 | 90.8 | 89.5 | 89.3 | 90.2 | 91.7 | 90.9 | 92.9 | 91.6 | 89.6 | 91.6 | 89.6 | <b>92.4</b> |
| UNI         | 92.7 | 91.1 | 89.6 | 87.5 | 91.7 | 85.1 | 90.2 | 90.9 | 88.5 | 87.4 | 83.1 | 90.8 | 91.3 | 91.6 | 88.2 | 88.1 | <b>89.4</b> |
| 2.50 - 2.74 |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI         | 91.0 | 88.5 | 91.5 | 91.3 | 90.6 | 89.6 | 88.9 | 87.9 | 89.2 | 89.0 | 89.8 | 90.4 | 88.0 | 87.0 | 87.8 | 85.8 | <b>87.9</b> |
| ISU         | 89.3 | 88.8 | 85.5 | 86.9 | 89.5 | 87.6 | 88.3 | 86.8 | 88.8 | 86.6 | 90.8 | 88.4 | 90.6 | 90.2 | 89.8 | 84.8 | <b>91.2</b> |
| UNI         | 88.0 | 89.4 | 87.3 | 88.0 | 88.8 | 88.0 | 89.5 | 87.5 | 88.9 | 88.6 | 87.9 | 90.0 | 90.1 | 89.2 | 85.8 | 86.2 | <b>88.8</b> |

**TABLE 4**  
**ONE-YEAR RETENTION RATES BY FIRST-TERM GPA**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 - 2004**  
**FALL 2005**

|             | 1988 | 1989 | 1990 | 1991 | 1992 | 1993 | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 | 2004        |
|-------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------------|
|             | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    |      |      |             |
| 2.25 - 2.49 |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI         | 87.8 | 85.1 | 88.8 | 88.5 | 85.3 | 85.3 | 87.2 | 88.7 | 86.8 | 87.6 | 87.2 | 85.2 | 86.7 | 84.5 | 82.4 | 81.5 | <b>84.7</b> |
| ISU         | 87.1 | 90.8 | 87.9 | 87.3 | 87.9 | 88.0 | 84.4 | 86.7 | 85.8 | 87.4 | 88.1 | 87.8 | 89.7 | 88.4 | 84.0 | 88.7 | <b>88.6</b> |
| UNI         | 87.0 | 85.5 | 89.1 | 89.3 | 87.0 | 83.5 | 88.3 | 87.8 | 83.7 | 89.6 | 85.4 | 81.6 | 84.3 | 84.6 | 75.4 | 82.5 | <b>82.2</b> |
| 2.00 - 2.24 |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI         | 85.3 | 86.0 | 86.3 | 83.1 | 86.0 | 85.9 | 84.4 | 83.3 | 80.6 | 84.0 | 81.3 | 85.3 | 80.4 | 81.1 | 78.2 | 79.3 | <b>81.3</b> |
| ISU         | 84.3 | 84.4 | 82.0 | 83.8 | 83.8 | 83.0 | 83.2 | 82.9 | 83.1 | 83.7 | 86.7 | 85.9 | 84.4 | 81.9 | 86.2 | 85.1 | <b>87.6</b> |
| UNI         | 79.1 | 78.7 | 83.0 | 87.0 | 82.6 | 79.8 | 81.0 | 85.0 | 87.9 | 84.3 | 79.4 | 80.1 | 85.7 | 78.6 | 71.4 | 82.5 | <b>79.4</b> |
| 1.00 - 1.99 |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI         | 63.0 | 54.3 | 55.7 | 61.8 | 64.4 | 56.1 | 56.2 | 51.2 | 58.2 | 55.5 | 56.3 | 51.4 | 53.0 | 50.9 | 51.3 | 52.6 | <b>52.9</b> |
| ISU         | 76.1 | 75.4 | 75.5 | 72.5 | 69.2 | 72.3 | 71.9 | 73.3 | 70.4 | 74.9 | 71.0 | 73.0 | 70.3 | 70.0 | 69.7 | 73.7 | <b>75.4</b> |
| UNI         | 66.6 | 65.4 | 70.3 | 52.2 | 58.9 | 63.7 | 58.0 | 65.3 | 64.7 | 63.8 | 66.0 | 62.5 | 67.7 | 56.8 | 64.1 | 63.2 | <b>61.2</b> |
| 0.00 - 0.99 |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI         | 6.7  | 12.1 | 15.1 | 14.6 | 19.0 | 6.8  | 8.9  | 9.8  | 10.6 | 12.3 | 10.0 | 11.1 | 20.8 | 14.8 | 6.5  | 5.6  | <b>54.5</b> |
| ISU         | 34.1 | 21.4 | 27.7 | 29.5 | 28.3 | 23.9 | 26.0 | 19.6 | 20.6 | 29.5 | 25.0 | 27.1 | 21.1 | 28.3 | 27.8 | 31.7 | <b>21.5</b> |
| UNI         | 15.4 | 17.5 | 11.0 | 4.3  | 11.1 | 5.8  | 2.4  | 8.4  | 9.8  | 5.1  | 4.2  | 11.9 | 9.8  | 12.0 | 16.4 | 11.6 | <b>9.4</b>  |
| NA          |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI         | 4.1  | 13.0 | 13.0 | 5.6  | 26.0 | 28.1 | 23.8 | 18.4 | 17.7 | 18.2 | 16.2 | 15.9 | 13.8 | 66.7 | 62.0 | 26.0 | <b>19.1</b> |
| ISU         | 67.9 | 61.9 | 14.0 | 17.0 | 12.8 | 13.5 | 11.5 | 18.0 | 15.8 | 10.6 | 22.4 | 17.9 | 26.1 | 57.8 | 59.2 | 25.0 | <b>73.1</b> |
| UNI         | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | NA   | <b>0.0</b>  |
| TOTAL       |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI         | 83.3 | 82.4 | 83.9 | 84.4 | 85.1 | 83.6 | 83.4 | 82.0 | 82.9 | 83.7 | 83.5 | 83.9 | 82.6 | 82.5 | 82.5 | 83.2 | <b>84.3</b> |
| ISU         | 84.2 | 83.1 | 81.6 | 81.3 | 81.8 | 81.1 | 81.5 | 81.5 | 82.7 | 83.6 | 84.4 | 85.1 | 83.7 | 83.4 | 84.2 | 84.7 | <b>85.8</b> |
| UNI         | 79.8 | 81.9 | 82.5 | 81.7 | 81.4 | 80.2 | 80.7 | 81.8 | 82.0 | 82.4 | 81.0 | 81.4 | 84.0 | 81.4 | 80.6 | 81.4 | <b>80.9</b> |

**TABLE 5**  
**ONE-YEAR RETENTION RATES BY GENDER**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 - 2004**  
**FALL 2005**

|              | 1988 | 1989 | 1990 | 1991 | 1992 | 1993 | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 | 2004        |
|--------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------------|
|              | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %           |
| <b>WOMEN</b> |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI          | 83.6 | 83.6 | 84.6 | 84.4 | 85.4 | 83.8 | 83.4 | 81.8 | 81.8 | 83.7 | 84.2 | 85.4 | 82.8 | 83.6 | 82.9 | 82.3 | <b>83.1</b> |
| ISU          | 84.9 | 82.4 | 83.1 | 83.6 | 82.5 | 82.0 | 82.5 | 82.1 | 83.4 | 83.9 | 85.5 | 85.5 | 84.6 | 84.7 | 83.9 | 86.2 | <b>87.8</b> |
| UNI          | 79.3 | 81.3 | 81.5 | 81.5 | 81.5 | 80.3 | 81.8 | 81.3 | 81.0 | 82.0 | 81.8 | 80.8 | 83.5 | 83.2 | 81.2 | 82.7 | <b>82.4</b> |
| <b>MEN</b>   |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI          | 83.0 | 81.1 | 83.0 | 84.5 | 84.8 | 83.4 | 83.5 | 82.2 | 84.4 | 83.7 | 82.7 | 81.9 | 82.4 | 81.1 | 82.1 | 84.3 | <b>85.8</b> |
| ISU          | 83.7 | 83.7 | 80.4 | 79.8 | 81.2 | 80.4 | 80.8 | 81.0 | 82.3 | 83.4 | 83.5 | 84.7 | 83.0 | 82.4 | 84.5 | 83.5 | <b>84.1</b> |
| UNI          | 80.5 | 82.9 | 83.9 | 82.1 | 81.2 | 80.0 | 78.9 | 82.6 | 83.5 | 83.1 | 79.6 | 82.3 | 84.8 | 78.5 | 79.5 | 79.3 | <b>78.7</b> |
| <b>TOTAL</b> |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI          | 83.3 | 82.4 | 83.9 | 84.4 | 85.1 | 83.6 | 83.4 | 82.0 | 82.9 | 83.7 | 83.5 | 83.9 | 82.6 | 82.5 | 82.5 | 83.2 | <b>84.3</b> |
| ISU          | 84.2 | 83.2 | 81.6 | 81.4 | 81.8 | 81.1 | 81.5 | 81.5 | 82.8 | 83.6 | 84.4 | 85.1 | 83.7 | 83.4 | 84.2 | 84.6 | <b>85.8</b> |
| UNI          | 79.8 | 81.9 | 82.5 | 81.7 | 81.4 | 80.2 | 80.7 | 81.8 | 82.0 | 82.4 | 81.0 | 81.4 | 84.0 | 81.4 | 80.6 | 81.4 | <b>80.9</b> |

**TABLE 6**  
**ONE-YEAR RETENTION RATES BY RESIDENCE**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 - 2004**  
**FALL 2005**

|                    | 1988 | 1989 | 1990 | 1991 | 1992 | 1993 | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 | <b>2004</b> |
|--------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------------|
|                    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %           |
| <b>RESIDENT</b>    |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI                | 83.2 | 82.2 | 83.5 | 83.4 | 84.1 | 83.8 | 83.6 | 80.7 | 83.3 | 83.8 | 83.0 | 77.3 | 82.2 | 83.0 | 83.5 | 83.4 | <b>83.9</b> |
| ISU                | 85.7 | 84.7 | 82.4 | 82.0 | 83.6 | 82.3 | 82.1 | 81.9 | 83.4 | 83.6 | 85.1 | 85.4 | 84.3 | 84.0 | 84.9 | 85.2 | <b>86.7</b> |
| UNI                | 79.7 | 82.3 | 82.9 | 82.0 | 81.8 | 80.4 | 81.1 | 82.0 | 82.1 | 82.7 | 81.7 | 81.8 | 84.3 | 82.4 | 81.7 | 81.5 | <b>80.9</b> |
| <b>NONRESIDENT</b> |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI                | 83.4 | 82.8 | 84.6 | 86.3 | 86.9 | 83.3 | 83.2 | 84.2 | 82.2 | 83.6 | 84.6 | 88.4 | 83.3 | 81.8 | 81.1 | 82.7 | <b>85.0</b> |
| ISU                | 79.2 | 78.3 | 78.7 | 79.8 | 77.6 | 78.4 | 80.0 | 80.3 | 81.0 | 83.6 | 82.2 | 84.3 | 82.0 | 82.1 | 82.6 | 83.2 | <b>83.4</b> |
| UNI                | 81.8 | 65.2 | 66.7 | 72.9 | 71.0 | 75.0 | 72.8 | 77.7 | 80.0 | 76.3 | 65.2 | 73.2 | 78.5 | 66.4 | 64.4 | 79.6 | <b>81.0</b> |
| <b>TOTAL</b>       |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI                | 83.3 | 82.4 | 83.9 | 84.4 | 85.1 | 83.6 | 83.4 | 82.0 | 82.9 | 83.7 | 83.5 | 83.9 | 82.6 | 82.5 | 82.5 | 83.2 | <b>84.3</b> |
| ISU                | 84.2 | 83.2 | 81.6 | 81.4 | 81.8 | 81.1 | 81.5 | 81.5 | 82.8 | 83.6 | 84.4 | 85.1 | 83.7 | 83.4 | 84.2 | 84.6 | <b>85.8</b> |
| UNI                | 79.8 | 81.9 | 82.5 | 81.7 | 81.4 | 80.2 | 80.7 | 81.8 | 82.0 | 82.4 | 81.0 | 81.4 | 84.0 | 81.4 | 80.6 | 81.4 | <b>80.9</b> |

**TABLE 7**  
**TWO-YEAR RETENTION RATES BY RACE/ETHNICITY**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 - 2003**  
**FALL 2005**

|                   | 1988 | 1989 | 1990 | 1991 | 1992 | 1993 | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002  | 2003        |
|-------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|-------------|
|                   | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %     | %           |
| Native American   |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |             |
| SUI               | 75.0 | 66.7 | 60.0 | 83.3 | 90.0 | 76.9 | 41.2 | 80.0 | 91.7 | 82.4 | 76.5 | 58.8 | 50.0 | 60.0 | 72.7  | <b>85.7</b> |
| ISU               | 75.0 | 71.4 | 0.0  | 57.1 | 40.0 | 42.9 | 71.4 | 75.0 | 50.0 | 63.6 | 70.0 | 56.3 | 30.0 | 66.7 | 75.0  | <b>36.4</b> |
| UNI               | 25.0 | 0.0  | 50.0 | 40.0 | 25.0 | 75.0 | 0.0  | 60.0 | 50.0 | 0.0  | 50.0 | 40.0 | 66.7 | 0.0  | 100.0 | <b>50.0</b> |
| African-American  |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |             |
| SUI               | 66.7 | 67.9 | 57.5 | 62.5 | 62.6 | 72.9 | 72.1 | 68.0 | 80.6 | 69.0 | 67.7 | 67.0 | 61.6 | 61.5 | 50.6  | <b>64.0</b> |
| ISU               | 53.3 | 54.1 | 70.6 | 67.2 | 52.5 | 53.6 | 56.7 | 62.9 | 54.7 | 58.1 | 65.4 | 68.3 | 71.2 | 64.4 | 67.9  | <b>70.6</b> |
| UNI               | 50.0 | 62.2 | 59.2 | 58.1 | 48.6 | 54.5 | 50.0 | 55.2 | 53.6 | 44.7 | 59.5 | 60.0 | 61.2 | 54.2 | 62.5  | <b>57.1</b> |
| Asian-American    |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |             |
| SUI               | 82.8 | 67.4 | 82.0 | 78.1 | 78.6 | 79.6 | 74.6 | 76.8 | 69.3 | 78.5 | 84.8 | 70.9 | 74.0 | 69.2 | 77.1  | <b>80.1</b> |
| ISU               | 73.2 | 76.4 | 75.9 | 73.0 | 73.4 | 69.9 | 77.3 | 76.6 | 70.7 | 82.8 | 80.2 | 72.1 | 75.2 | 73.3 | 69.7  | <b>79.9</b> |
| UNI               | 45.5 | 80.0 | 62.5 | 78.9 | 78.6 | 50.0 | 61.3 | 78.9 | 60.0 | 68.4 | 58.8 | 68.4 | 77.8 | 80.0 | 66.7  | <b>70.0</b> |
| Hispanic-American |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |             |
| SUI               | 56.1 | 70.2 | 72.0 | 60.0 | 73.7 | 60.0 | 71.2 | 65.3 | 62.3 | 81.3 | 68.2 | 70.9 | 73.5 | 73.6 | 68.7  | <b>73.4</b> |
| ISU               | 62.2 | 61.8 | 60.7 | 51.9 | 59.6 | 66.1 | 63.6 | 55.6 | 61.7 | 74.5 | 73.6 | 73.3 | 71.8 | 72.7 | 72.6  | <b>79.6</b> |
| UNI               | 50.0 | 50.0 | 87.5 | 64.3 | 46.7 | 60.0 | 36.4 | 59.1 | 78.6 | 40.0 | 50.0 | 42.9 | 66.7 | 50.0 | 43.8  | <b>71.4</b> |
| Subtotal          |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |             |
| SUI               | 71.4 | 68.1 | 68.9 | 70.0 | 72.6 | 72.9 | 71.1 | 71.8 | 70.8 | 77.0 | 74.4 | 69.1 | 68.8 | 68.3 | 68.5  | <b>74.4</b> |
| ISU               | 60.0 | 61.0 | 69.0 | 65.5 | 60.3 | 58.5 | 65.4 | 66.5 | 61.4 | 70.1 | 72.2 | 69.9 | 71.5 | 69.7 | 69.9  | <b>75.7</b> |
| UNI               | 47.5 | 62.2 | 62.7 | 63.0 | 52.9 | 55.1 | 50.0 | 62.7 | 60.6 | 49.3 | 56.8 | 58.0 | 66.1 | 59.0 | 61.1  | <b>62.8</b> |
| White             |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |             |
| SUI               | 75.5 | 75.1 | 77.0 | 78.1 | 76.5 | 75.9 | 76.7 | 76.4 | 75.9 | 76.4 | 76.2 | 75.9 | 75.5 | 73.3 | 74.4  | <b>76.2</b> |
| ISU               | 75.4 | 74.6 | 72.3 | 72.4 | 73.1 | 72.3 | 72.2 | 73.8 | 75.4 | 75.5 | 77.2 | 77.3 | 75.1 | 74.8 | 76.5  | <b>78.1</b> |
| UNI               | 73.4 | 74.4 | 74.4 | 72.6 | 72.7 | 74.4 | 73.3 | 74.0 | 75.1 | 74.6 | 74.5 | 73.8 | 76.7 | 74.2 | 73.7  | <b>75.2</b> |
| Regent Total      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |             |
| SUI               | 75.3 | 74.6 | 76.3 | 77.5 | 76.1 | 75.7 | 76.2 | 75.9 | 75.5 | 76.4 | 76.0 | 75.3 | 74.8 | 72.6 | 72.0  | <b>76.0</b> |
| ISU               | 74.3 | 73.2 | 71.7 | 71.5 | 72.1 | 70.8 | 71.8 | 73.3 | 74.4 | 75.1 | 76.5 | 76.8 | 74.7 | 74.0 | 75.7  | <b>77.8</b> |
| UNI               | 72.3 | 73.8 | 73.9 | 72.0 | 71.9 | 73.2 | 72.1 | 73.4 | 74.6 | 73.8 | 73.8 | 72.9 | 76.0 | 73.4 | 73.0  | <b>74.5</b> |

**TABLE 8**  
**FOUR-YEAR GRADUATION RATES**  
**BY RACE/ETHNICITY**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 - 2001**  
**FALL 2005**

|              | 1988 | 1989 | 1990 | 1991 | 1992 | 1993 | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001        |
|--------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------------|
|              | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %           |
| Native Am.   |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI          | 12.5 | 16.7 | 20.0 | 33.3 | 40.0 | 38.5 | 0.0  | 10.0 | 41.7 | 35.3 | 29.4 | 5.9  | 22.2 | <b>50.0</b> |
| ISU          | 25.0 | 42.9 | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 14.3 | 14.3 | 25.0 | 21.4 | 27.3 | 0.0  | 18.8 | 20.0 | <b>25.0</b> |
| UNI          | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 25.0 | 0.0  | 0.0  | 20.0 | 33.3 | <b>0.0</b>  |
| African-Am.  |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI          | 11.9 | 16.5 | 8.8  | 12.5 | 14.3 | 15.7 | 22.1 | 16.0 | 27.4 | 9.9  | 14.1 | 18.7 | 13.1 | <b>19.8</b> |
| ISU          | 5.2  | 6.6  | 9.2  | 5.7  | 8.6  | 9.4  | 7.2  | 9.7  | 15.8 | 13.7 | 15.4 | 16.6 | 22.1 | <b>11.6</b> |
| UNI          | 0.0  | 2.2  | 4.1  | 4.7  | 8.6  | 9.1  | 2.5  | 3.4  | 3.6  | 7.9  | 14.3 | 8.0  | 7.5  | <b>8.5</b>  |
| Asian-Am.    |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI          | 23.0 | 21.3 | 24.7 | 25.7 | 25.9 | 25.0 | 27.9 | 21.9 | 22.1 | 34.6 | 27.7 | 29.1 | 36.5 | <b>32.7</b> |
| ISU          | 10.7 | 15.3 | 8.6  | 13.5 | 12.8 | 15.1 | 17.3 | 23.4 | 18.3 | 22.2 | 18.5 | 20.9 | 28.3 | <b>29.5</b> |
| UNI          | 9.1  | 13.3 | 12.5 | 21.1 | 21.4 | 3.8  | 29.0 | 31.6 | 24.0 | 15.8 | 23.5 | 26.3 | 22.2 | <b>30.0</b> |
| Hispanic-Am. |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI          | 9.8  | 23.4 | 22.0 | 27.5 | 29.8 | 30.0 | 24.7 | 22.2 | 19.5 | 40.0 | 31.8 | 24.4 | 33.7 | <b>31.8</b> |
| ISU          | 11.1 | 18.2 | 17.9 | 9.6  | 3.8  | 14.3 | 21.8 | 8.9  | 20.0 | 17.6 | 11.3 | 24.0 | 27.2 | <b>25.3</b> |
| UNI          | 0.0  | 8.3  | 37.5 | 0.0  | 13.3 | 6.7  | 0.0  | 9.1  | 14.3 | 0.0  | 18.8 | 0.0  | 11.1 | <b>15.4</b> |
| Subtotal     |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI          | 15.9 | 19.5 | 17.1 | 22.0 | 23.3 | 24.3 | 23.8 | 19.8 | 23.4 | 29.6 | 24.6 | 23.5 | 27.9 | <b>29.5</b> |
| ISU          | 7.9  | 11.4 | 10.0 | 8.6  | 9.0  | 11.4 | 14.1 | 15.1 | 17.9 | 18.0 | 14.9 | 19.6 | 25.8 | <b>21.8</b> |
| UNI          | 1.6  | 5.4  | 9.3  | 7.4  | 11.8 | 6.4  | 11.6 | 12.0 | 14.1 | 8.7  | 16.0 | 11.4 | 12.6 | <b>15.4</b> |
| White        |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI          | 31.0 | 31.5 | 34.5 | 33.0 | 33.2 | 35.4 | 35.3 | 36.9 | 39.1 | 38.4 | 36.8 | 39.2 | 40.8 | <b>40.7</b> |
| ISU          | 22.4 | 21.3 | 19.6 | 20.7 | 21.6 | 22.8 | 24.3 | 25.5 | 28.5 | 27.5 | 30.3 | 32.2 | 32.0 | <b>33.0</b> |
| UNI          | 29.1 | 25.8 | 24.9 | 24.9 | 26.8 | 28.1 | 29.8 | 31.0 | 34.2 | 29.6 | 29.9 | 34.4 | 35.1 | <b>33.1</b> |
| Regent Total |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI          | 30.4 | 30.7 | 32.9 | 32.3 | 32.3 | 34.6 | 34.3 | 35.3 | 37.8 | 37.6 | 35.8 | 37.7 | 39.5 | <b>39.6</b> |
| ISU          | 21.5 | 20.3 | 19.0 | 20.6 | 21.7 | 22.3 | 24.0 | 25.1 | 28.4 | 27.0 | 29.2 | 31.4 | 31.2 | <b>31.8</b> |
| UNI          | 27.8 | 24.9 | 24.3 | 24.1 | 26.2 | 27.1 | 29.0 | 30.1 | 33.4 | 28.8 | 29.5 | 33.5 | 33.9 | <b>32.3</b> |

**TABLE 9**  
**SIX-YEAR GRADUATION RATES**  
**BY RACE/ETHNICITY**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 - 1999**  
**FALL 2005**

|              | 1988 | 1989 | 1990 | 1991 | 1992 | 1993 | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999        |
|--------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------------|
|              | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %           |
| Native Am.   |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI          | 50.0 | 50.0 | 40.0 | 83.3 | 70.0 | 76.9 | 11.8 | 60.0 | 58.3 | 58.8 | 70.6 | <b>41.2</b> |
| ISU          | 50.0 | 57.1 | 0.0  | 14.3 | 40.0 | 28.6 | 71.4 | 50.0 | 42.9 | 54.5 | 60.0 | <b>43.8</b> |
| UNI          | 0.0  | 0.0  | 50.0 | 40.0 | 25.0 | 50.0 | 0.0  | 40.0 | 50.0 | 0.0  | 50.0 | <b>40.0</b> |
| African-Am.  |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI          | 34.5 | 42.2 | 39.8 | 34.7 | 40.7 | 48.6 | 53.5 | 40.0 | 59.7 | 38.0 | 43.4 | <b>50.5</b> |
| ISU          | 37.8 | 37.0 | 37.6 | 36.1 | 27.3 | 33.5 | 34.0 | 43.5 | 40.0 | 43.6 | 36.5 | <b>51.0</b> |
| UNI          | 16.7 | 31.1 | 38.8 | 34.9 | 40.0 | 42.4 | 42.5 | 44.8 | 32.1 | 31.6 | 40.5 | <b>42.0</b> |
| Asian-Am.    |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI          | 60.9 | 44.9 | 58.4 | 56.2 | 62.5 | 67.6 | 59.8 | 59.6 | 54.3 | 65.4 | 67.0 | <b>54.3</b> |
| ISU          | 58.9 | 59.7 | 50.0 | 50.0 | 56.4 | 53.4 | 72.0 | 64.1 | 61.0 | 67.7 | 56.8 | <b>59.3</b> |
| UNI          | 36.4 | 53.3 | 43.8 | 73.7 | 64.3 | 42.3 | 41.9 | 78.9 | 40.0 | 52.6 | 41.2 | <b>57.9</b> |
| Hispanic-Am. |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI          | 43.9 | 53.2 | 54.0 | 52.5 | 54.4 | 46.7 | 53.4 | 51.4 | 46.8 | 65.3 | 58.8 | <b>53.5</b> |
| ISU          | 46.7 | 54.5 | 35.7 | 40.4 | 36.5 | 55.4 | 50.9 | 35.6 | 45.0 | 58.8 | 54.7 | <b>66.7</b> |
| UNI          | 40.0 | 41.7 | 75.0 | 35.7 | 40.0 | 33.3 | 36.4 | 45.5 | 50.0 | 10.0 | 37.5 | <b>35.7</b> |
| Subtotal     |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI          | 47.3 | 45.4 | 49.0 | 49.3 | 53.7 | 57.8 | 53.7 | 52.0 | 53.6 | 57.8 | 57.5 | <b>52.3</b> |
| ISU          | 44.6 | 45.7 | 40.0 | 40.4 | 38.6 | 40.7 | 51.3 | 49.2 | 48.2 | 55.4 | 48.0 | <b>56.5</b> |
| UNI          | 23.0 | 36.5 | 44.0 | 44.4 | 44.1 | 41.0 | 39.5 | 53.3 | 39.4 | 33.3 | 40.7 | <b>44.3</b> |
| White        |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI          | 62.0 | 62.1 | 63.9 | 64.2 | 64.8 | 63.1 | 65.1 | 66.4 | 65.4 | 65.1 | 67.1 | <b>67.4</b> |
| ISU          | 65.2 | 63.6 | 62.0 | 61.7 | 62.7 | 62.7 | 63.1 | 64.7 | 66.5 | 66.9 | 68.0 | <b>68.9</b> |
| UNI          | 62.2 | 63.2 | 60.1 | 61.2 | 63.2 | 64.3 | 63.3 | 64.9 | 67.4 | 66.6 | 65.3 | <b>66.0</b> |
| Regent Total |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI          | 61.2 | 60.9 | 62.6 | 63.1 | 63.7 | 62.8 | 64.0 | 64.9 | 64.4 | 64.6 | 66.2 | <b>66.1</b> |
| ISU          | 63.6 | 61.6 | 60.0 | 60.1 | 61.1 | 60.4 | 62.4 | 63.7 | 65.3 | 65.7 | 66.5 | <b>68.0</b> |
| UNI          | 60.4 | 61.9 | 59.4 | 60.4 | 62.2 | 62.9 | 62.2 | 64.2 | 66.5 | 65.2 | 64.3 | <b>65.0</b> |

**TABLE 10**  
**AVERAGE NUMBER OF YEARS TO COMPLETE UNDERGRADUATE**  
**DEGREE FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 - 1999**  
**Fall 2005**

|                             | 1988 | 1989 | 1990 | 1991 | 1992 | 1993 | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | <b>1999</b> |
|-----------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------------|
| University of Iowa          | 4.58 | 4.56 | 4.53 | 4.56 | 4.55 | 4.52 | 4.51 | 4.49 | 4.45 | 4.44 | 4.52 | <b>4.47</b> |
| Iowa State University       | 4.78 | 4.80 | 4.83 | 4.79 | 4.77 | 4.75 | 4.73 | 4.72 | 4.66 | 4.69 | 4.65 | <b>4.62</b> |
| University of Northern Iowa | 4.63 | 4.69 | 4.69 | 4.70 | 4.66 | 4.65 | 4.61 | 4.62 | 4.57 | 4.63 | 4.60 | <b>4.55</b> |

**TABLE 11**  
**PERCENT OF STUDENTS WHO GRADUATED WITHIN SIX YEARS BY YEAR**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 - 1999**  
**FALL 2005**

| UNIVERSITY OF IOWA          | Entering Class of Fall |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
|-----------------------------|------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
|                             | 1988                   | 1989  | 1990  | 1991  | 1992  | 1993  | 1994  | 1995  | 1996  | 1997  | 1998  | 1999  |
| <b>Males</b>                |                        |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| # graduated within 6 years  | 997                    | 936   | 767   | 781   | 870   | 814   | 901   | 916   | 921   | 968   | 1,073 | 1,017 |
| % graduated within 4 years  | 45.6%                  | 45.4% | 48.0% | 43.7% | 43.9% | 48.5% | 47.4% | 46.9% | 47.9% | 48.7% | 45.3% | 50.2% |
| % graduated during 5th year | 44.0%                  | 45.7% | 43.3% | 46.4% | 47.0% | 43.1% | 43.0% | 44.7% | 45.8% | 45.2% | 44.5% | 42.4% |
| % graduated during 6th year | 10.4%                  | 8.9%  | 8.7%  | 9.9%  | 9.1%  | 8.4%  | 9.6%  | 8.4%  | 6.3%  | 6.1%  | 10.2% | 7.5%  |
| <b>Females</b>              |                        |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| # graduated within 6 years  | 1,210                  | 1,103 | 922   | 946   | 1,113 | 1,151 | 1,167 | 1,331 | 1,281 | 1,339 | 1,508 | 1,458 |
| % graduated within 4 years  | 53.3%                  | 54.6% | 56.3% | 57.4% | 56.1% | 59.7% | 58.3% | 59.4% | 66.5% | 65.3% | 60.2% | 62.6% |
| % graduated during 5th year | 39.5%                  | 37.6% | 37.1% | 36.8% | 37.6% | 33.2% | 37.0% | 36.4% | 29.6% | 30.0% | 33.3% | 32.5% |
| % graduated during 6th year | 7.2%                   | 7.8%  | 6.6%  | 5.8%  | 6.3%  | 7.1%  | 4.7%  | 4.2%  | 3.9%  | 4.7%  | 65.0% | 4.9%  |
| <b>Total</b>                |                        |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| # graduated within 6 years  | 2,207                  | 2,039 | 1,689 | 1,727 | 1,983 | 1,965 | 2,068 | 2,247 | 2,202 | 2,307 | 2,581 | 2,475 |
| % graduated within 4 years  | 49.8%                  | 50.4% | 52.5% | 51.2% | 50.7% | 55.1% | 53.5% | 54.3% | 58.7% | 58.3% | 54.0% | 57.5% |
| % graduated during 5th year | 41.5%                  | 41.3% | 39.9% | 41.1% | 41.8% | 37.3% | 39.6% | 39.8% | 36.4% | 36.4% | 37.9% | 36.6% |
| % graduated during 6th year | 8.7%                   | 8.3%  | 7.6%  | 7.7%  | 7.5%  | 7.6%  | 6.9%  | 5.9%  | 4.9%  | 5.3%  | 8.1%  | 6.0%  |

**TABLE 11**  
**PERCENT OF STUDENTS WHO GRADUATED WITHIN SIX YEARS BY YEAR**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 - 1999**  
**FALL 2005**

| IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY       | Entering Class of Fall |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
|-----------------------------|------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
|                             | 1988                   | 1989  | 1990  | 1991  | 1992  | 1993  | 1994  | 1995  | 1996  | 1997  | 1998  | 1999  |
| Males                       |                        |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| # graduated within 6 years  | 1,298                  | 1,285 | 1,088 | 1,050 | 1,107 | 1,143 | 1,096 | 1,103 | 1,265 | 1,410 | 1,309 | 1,442 |
| % graduated within 4 years  | 23.7%                  | 24.6% | 23.0% | 26.7% | 27.9% | 28.6% | 27.8% | 30.9% | 36.0% | 31.0% | 33.5% | 36.1% |
| % graduated during 5th year | 60.2%                  | 57.7% | 58.0% | 55.3% | 56.8% | 54.2% | 56.4% | 54.6% | 52.0% | 56.0% | 54.1% | 53.8% |
| % graduated during 6th year | 16.1%                  | 17.7% | 19.0% | 18.0% | 15.3% | 17.1% | 15.8% | 14.5% | 12.0% | 13.0% | 12.4% | 10.1% |
| Females                     |                        |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| # graduated within 6 years  | 1,083                  | 1,027 | 897   | 889   | 928   | 919   | 979   | 983   | 1,084 | 1,224 | 1,217 | 1,292 |
| % graduated within 4 years  | 46.0%                  | 43.5% | 42.3% | 43.2% | 44.6% | 47.4% | 50.5% | 48.9% | 52.3% | 52.6% | 55.3% | 57.4% |
| % graduated during 5th year | 46.6%                  | 49.2% | 47.7% | 48.3% | 47.2% | 46.1% | 43.3% | 44.0% | 40.9% | 41.2% | 38.5% | 37.5% |
| % graduated during 6th year | 7.4%                   | 7.3%  | 10.0% | 8.5%  | 8.2%  | 6.4%  | 6.2%  | 7.0%  | 6.8%  | 6.2%  | 6.2%  | 5.2%  |
| Total                       |                        |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| # graduated within 6 years  | 2,381                  | 2,312 | 1,985 | 1,939 | 2,035 | 2,062 | 2,075 | 2,086 | 2,349 | 2,634 | 2,526 | 2,734 |
| % graduated within 4 years  | 33.9%                  | 33.0% | 31.7% | 34.2% | 35.5% | 37.0% | 38.5% | 39.4% | 43.5% | 41.0% | 44.0% | 46.1% |
| % graduated during 5th year | 54.0%                  | 53.9% | 53.4% | 52.1% | 52.4% | 50.6% | 50.2% | 49.6% | 46.9% | 49.1% | 46.6% | 46.1% |
| % graduated during 6th year | 12.1%                  | 13.1% | 15.0% | 13.7% | 12.0% | 12.4% | 11.3% | 11.0% | 9.6%  | 9.9%  | 9.4%  | 7.8%  |

**TABLE 11**  
**PERCENT OF STUDENTS WHO GRADUATED WITHIN SIX YEARS BY YEAR**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 - 1999**  
**FALL 2005**

| UNIV. OF NORTHERN IOWA      | Entering Class of Fall |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
|-----------------------------|------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
|                             | 1988                   | 1989  | 1990  | 1991  | 1992  | 1993  | 1994  | 1995  | 1996  | 1997  | 1998  | 1999  |
| <b>Males</b>                |                        |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| # graduated within 6 years  | 463                    | 479   | 489   | 466   | 412   | 426   | 416   | 476   | 514   | 461   | 430   | 511   |
| % graduated within 4 years  | 37.2%                  | 32.4% | 31.7% | 32.4% | 34.7% | 35.4% | 41.4% | 35.7% | 43.2% | 36.4% | 20.1% | 25.6% |
| % graduated during 5th year | 50.3%                  | 53.4% | 57.1% | 54.3% | 57.0% | 53.1% | 47.8% | 52.1% | 47.1% | 53.6% | 34.5% | 30.3% |
| % graduated during 6th year | 12.5%                  | 14.2% | 11.2% | 13.3% | 8.3%  | 11.5% | 10.8% | 12.2% | 9.7%  | 10.0% | 4.7%  | 6.4%  |
|                             |                        |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| <b>Females</b>              |                        |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| # graduated within 6 years  | 683                    | 738   | 744   | 712   | 620   | 707   | 739   | 813   | 824   | 791   | 844   | 869   |
| % graduated within 4 years  | 52.0%                  | 45.3% | 47.1% | 44.8% | 47.1% | 47.8% | 49.6% | 53.4% | 54.1% | 48.5% | 34.9% | 38.5% |
| % graduated during 5th year | 41.3%                  | 48.6% | 46.2% | 47.5% | 45.8% | 45.8% | 44.0% | 40.5% | 40.2% | 46.7% | 28.7% | 25.5% |
| % graduated during 6th year | 6.7%                   | 6.1%  | 6.7%  | 7.7%  | 7.1%  | 6.4%  | 6.4%  | 6.1%  | 5.7%  | 4.8%  | 3.5%  | 2.6%  |
|                             |                        |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| <b>Total</b>                |                        |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| # graduated within 6 years  | 1,146                  | 1,217 | 1,233 | 1,178 | 1,032 | 1,133 | 1,155 | 1,289 | 1,338 | 1,252 | 1,274 | 1,380 |
| % graduated within 4 years  | 46.0%                  | 40.2% | 41.0% | 39.9% | 42.1% | 43.2% | 46.7% | 46.8% | 49.9% | 44.1% | 29.5% | 33.5% |
| % graduated during 5th year | 44.9%                  | 50.5% | 50.5% | 50.2% | 50.3% | 48.5% | 45.4% | 44.8% | 42.8% | 49.2% | 30.8% | 27.3% |
| % graduated during 6th year | 9.1%                   | 9.3%  | 8.5%  | 9.9%  | 7.6%  | 8.3%  | 7.9%  | 8.4%  | 7.3%  | 6.7%  | 4.0%  | 4.2%  |

**TABLE 12**  
**SIX-YEAR GRADUATION RATES BY HIGH SCHOOL RANK**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 - 1999**  
**FALL 2005**

|             | 1988 | 1989 | 1990 | 1991 | 1992 | 1993 | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998  | 1999        |
|-------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|-------------|
|             | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %     | %           |
| 90 - 99%ile |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |             |
| SUI         | 80.9 | 77.5 | 77.2 | 79.2 | 78.5 | 78.2 | 79.8 | 79.8 | 78.5 | 83.1 | 80.7  | <b>81.2</b> |
| ISU         | 79.0 | 76.3 | 76.4 | 76.9 | 76.8 | 77.2 | 78.5 | 80.4 | 83.7 | 83.8 | 83.2  | <b>86.6</b> |
| UNI         | 81.4 | 76.8 | 79.3 | 77.3 | 81.1 | 79.3 | 82.4 | 80.3 | 81.8 | 82.7 | 82.3  | <b>83.9</b> |
| 80 - 89%ile |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |             |
| SUI         | 65.2 | 67.6 | 66.7 | 69.0 | 70.6 | 66.3 | 67.3 | 72.8 | 72.5 | 74.5 | 74.5  | <b>75.5</b> |
| ISU         | 69.1 | 64.7 | 64.1 | 67.0 | 68.1 | 65.8 | 69.8 | 65.7 | 69.1 | 72.6 | 71.4  | <b>75.9</b> |
| UNI         | 69.6 | 73.3 | 70.6 | 67.0 | 65.3 | 72.9 | 70.0 | 75.7 | 74.9 | 69.4 | 70.6  | <b>72.2</b> |
| 70 - 79%ile |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |             |
| SUI         | 59.0 | 61.7 | 63.5 | 63.1 | 59.1 | 63.4 | 62.8 | 63.2 | 66.0 | 63.9 | 68.4  | <b>64.9</b> |
| ISU         | 62.5 | 61.0 | 57.8 | 57.2 | 62.8 | 60.7 | 59.6 | 64.0 | 63.6 | 62.2 | 67.3  | <b>63.5</b> |
| UNI         | 60.8 | 63.1 | 58.6 | 60.7 | 67.0 | 62.8 | 65.1 | 67.2 | 67.6 | 68.9 | 69.5  | <b>65.7</b> |
| 60 - 69%ile |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |             |
| SUI         | 54.5 | 48.5 | 57.1 | 57.5 | 58.1 | 60.8 | 53.8 | 60.5 | 58.0 | 53.8 | 59.3  | <b>62.2</b> |
| ISU         | 54.4 | 56.0 | 52.3 | 50.3 | 51.9 | 50.8 | 56.4 | 56.1 | 57.8 | 59.0 | 58.9  | <b>59.6</b> |
| UNI         | 55.8 | 51.0 | 49.1 | 54.3 | 53.8 | 53.5 | 53.0 | 55.4 | 58.7 | 60.1 | 56.3  | <b>59.9</b> |
| 50 - 59%ile |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |             |
| SUI         | 44.4 | 42.1 | 50.6 | 51.4 | 55.5 | 47.3 | 57.1 | 56.0 | 51.7 | 55.8 | 59.4  | <b>56.0</b> |
| ISU         | 51.0 | 48.6 | 45.8 | 46.4 | 46.9 | 45.5 | 47.3 | 49.3 | 50.8 | 51.5 | 48.0  | <b>55.0</b> |
| UNI         | 44.9 | 52.9 | 48.7 | 46.9 | 50.9 | 45.3 | 51.1 | 53.1 | 54.0 | 54.7 | 53.8  | <b>52.0</b> |
| 40 - 49%ile |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |             |
| SUI         | 39.0 | 45.1 | 37.8 | 44.4 | 46.3 | 44.2 | 56.7 | 48.9 | 51.1 | 47.1 | 51.2  | <b>49.4</b> |
| ISU         | 47.5 | 43.3 | 39.8 | 36.3 | 32.9 | 38.4 | 36.2 | 44.9 | 42.9 | 42.9 | 46.2  | <b>42.1</b> |
| UNI         | 42.3 | 42.6 | 33.1 | 36.6 | 43.5 | 48.2 | 46.9 | 44.0 | 57.1 | 47.6 | 44.8  | <b>45.4</b> |
| 30 - 39%ile |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |             |
| SUI         | 38.1 | 20.3 | 38.5 | 36.5 | 49.3 | 43.4 | 44.1 | 45.8 | 34.7 | 36.9 | 45.7  | <b>41.9</b> |
| ISU         | 40.5 | 31.6 | 42.3 | 36.9 | 41.5 | 29.3 | 37.3 | 32.7 | 38.7 | 32.5 | 37.1  | <b>40.0</b> |
| UNI         | 27.5 | 36.1 | 29.4 | 51.9 | 42.9 | 35.3 | 30.0 | 35.1 | 48.6 | 40.0 | 37.0  | <b>43.6</b> |
| 20 - 29%ile |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |             |
| SUI         | 23.1 | 23.3 | 28.6 | 46.2 | 40.0 | 43.8 | 37.5 | 37.1 | 44.4 | 30.0 | 29.6  | <b>34.5</b> |
| ISU         | 36.4 | 39.6 | 28.9 | 30.9 | 22.2 | 23.5 | 40.4 | 15.2 | 37.5 | 27.4 | 36.1  | <b>44.4</b> |
| UNI         | 11.8 | 7.7  | 33.3 | 33.3 | 16.7 | 28.6 | 20.0 | 0.0  | 25.0 | 33.3 | 10.0  | <b>45.5</b> |
| 00 - 19%ile |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |             |
| SUI         | 20.0 | 14.8 | 35.3 | 20.0 | 11.1 | 60.0 | 37.5 | 11.1 | 0.0  | 33.3 | 20.0  | <b>25.0</b> |
| ISU         | 12.5 | 21.1 | 15.4 | 17.6 | 8.3  | 19.0 | 7.7  | 29.4 | 23.1 | 17.6 | 0.0   | <b>30.0</b> |
| UNI         | 0.0  | 20.0 | 14.3 | 16.7 | 0.0  | 25.0 | 0.0  | 25.0 | 50.0 | 0.0  | 100.0 | <b>11.1</b> |
| NA          |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |             |
| SUI         | 78.0 | 72.3 | 63.9 | 67.5 | 64.3 | 61.2 | 65.1 | 59.0 | 57.7 | 51.3 | 49.5  | <b>56.1</b> |
| ISU         | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 66.7 | 70.0 | 0.0   | <b>0.0</b>  |
| UNI         | 45.8 | 36.4 | 41.7 | 33.3 | 53.8 | 57.9 | 42.6 | 50.0 | 55.9 | 54.1 | 47.6  | <b>52.9</b> |
| TOTAL       |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |             |
| SUI         | 61.1 | 60.9 | 62.6 | 63.1 | 63.7 | 62.8 | 64.0 | 64.9 | 64.4 | 64.6 | 66.2  | <b>66.1</b> |
| ISU         | 63.6 | 61.6 | 60.0 | 60.0 | 60.9 | 60.3 | 62.4 | 63.7 | 65.3 | 65.7 | 66.5  | <b>68.0</b> |
| UNI         | 60.4 | 61.9 | 59.4 | 60.4 | 62.2 | 62.9 | 62.2 | 64.2 | 66.5 | 65.2 | 64.3  | <b>65.0</b> |

**TABLE 13**  
**SIX-YEAR GRADUATION RATES BY ACT SCORE**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 - 1999**  
**FALL 2005**

|         | 1988 | 1989  | 1990 | 1991 | 1992 | 1993  | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999        |
|---------|------|-------|------|------|------|-------|------|------|------|------|------|-------------|
|         | %    | %     | %    | %    | %    | %     | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %           |
| 32 - 36 |      |       |      |      |      |       |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI     | 81.8 | 87.0  | 77.5 | 77.6 | 79.7 | 77.1  | 75.0 | 80.2 | 71.1 | 81.9 | 80.2 | <b>85.4</b> |
| ISU     | 83.6 | 80.0  | 82.8 | 82.0 | 84.9 | 76.6  | 75.0 | 85.1 | 82.4 | 84.3 | 80.3 | <b>83.4</b> |
| UNI     | 94.7 | 100.0 | 91.3 | 78.6 | 90.9 | 100.0 | 82.4 | 91.7 | 85.7 | 89.5 | 76.2 | <b>75.0</b> |
| 27 - 31 |      |       |      |      |      |       |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI     | 68.9 | 71.3  | 70.9 | 70.3 | 72.3 | 68.4  | 72.1 | 73.3 | 69.7 | 71.4 | 71.7 | <b>73.4</b> |
| ISU     | 69.8 | 67.0  | 67.8 | 69.2 | 68.0 | 65.4  | 75.6 | 71.0 | 74.3 | 73.1 | 72.7 | <b>74.2</b> |
| UNI     | 73.2 | 70.9  | 72.3 | 69.9 | 74.7 | 69.3  | 73.7 | 73.2 | 72.8 | 73.1 | 72.0 | <b>76.9</b> |
| 22 - 26 |      |       |      |      |      |       |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI     | 62.1 | 60.7  | 64.2 | 65.7 | 64.0 | 62.5  | 63.4 | 65.3 | 64.1 | 64.5 | 67.0 | <b>65.8</b> |
| ISU     | 64.5 | 62.8  | 59.6 | 58.7 | 60.5 | 60.6  | 61.9 | 62.0 | 63.8 | 63.3 | 65.9 | <b>67.9</b> |
| UNI     | 59.8 | 64.9  | 60.7 | 62.8 | 64.0 | 64.3  | 64.2 | 65.7 | 68.7 | 66.9 | 63.3 | <b>64.0</b> |
| 19 - 21 |      |       |      |      |      |       |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI     | 55.7 | 54.5  | 55.3 | 53.3 | 59.4 | 58.2  | 58.7 | 57.4 | 61.2 | 56.8 | 60.9 | <b>58.8</b> |
| ISU     | 59.6 | 57.8  | 55.3 | 54.5 | 55.9 | 56.2  | 59.3 | 60.0 | 57.7 | 62.2 | 61.5 | <b>61.7</b> |
| UNI     | 56.9 | 56.8  | 52.5 | 55.8 | 55.3 | 60.7  | 57.3 | 61.9 | 59.3 | 61.6 | 63.8 | <b>64.1</b> |
| 1 - 18  |      |       |      |      |      |       |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI     | 49.2 | 50.7  | 51.2 | 48.7 | 42.5 | 43.8  | 42.2 | 46.2 | 46.9 | 44.9 | 41.9 | <b>53.4</b> |
| ISU     | 44.4 | 49.8  | 37.7 | 49.6 | 48.0 | 48.4  | 51.0 | 54.5 | 49.8 | 56.1 | 52.6 | <b>53.0</b> |
| UNI     | 47.7 | 43.7  | 46.2 | 48.9 | 54.3 | 48.1  | 42.6 | 48.1 | 59.0 | 50.0 | 53.1 | <b>55.0</b> |
| NA      |      |       |      |      |      |       |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI     | 55.7 | 58.0  | 53.0 | 51.4 | 54.3 | 63.0  | 62.6 | 61.7 | 62.6 | 58.7 | 57.4 | <b>54.0</b> |
| ISU     | 45.5 | 37.2  | 47.7 | 54.1 | 60.1 | 53.6  | 47.4 | 54.4 | 57.0 | 54.5 | 42.9 | <b>61.0</b> |
| UNI     | 40.0 | 47.4  | 47.1 | 33.3 | 33.3 | 46.7  | 41.7 | 16.7 | 64.3 | 30.0 | 57.1 | <b>21.4</b> |
| TOTAL   |      |       |      |      |      |       |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI     | 61.1 | 60.9  | 62.6 | 63.1 | 63.7 | 62.8  | 64.0 | 64.9 | 64.4 | 64.6 | 66.2 | <b>66.1</b> |
| ISU     | 63.5 | 61.6  | 60.0 | 59.9 | 61.0 | 60.4  | 63.6 | 63.7 | 65.3 | 65.7 | 66.5 | <b>68.0</b> |
| UNI     | 60.4 | 61.9  | 59.4 | 60.4 | 62.2 | 62.9  | 62.2 | 64.2 | 66.5 | 65.2 | 64.3 | <b>65.0</b> |

**TABLE 14**  
**SIX-YEAR GRADUATION RATES BY FIRST-TERM GPA**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 - 1999**  
**FALL 2005**

|             | 1988 | 1989 | 1990 | 1991 | 1992 | 1993 | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999        |
|-------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------------|
|             | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %           |
| 3.50 - 4.00 |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI         | 88.1 | 83.0 | 86.7 | 83.7 | 84.3 | 85.9 | 83.4 | 89.7 | 87.7 | 87.4 | 86.7 | <b>85.6</b> |
| ISU         | 82.6 | 84.2 | 83.9 | 81.9 | 83.9 | 82.8 | 84.8 | 87.9 | 88.3 | 86.4 | 88.5 | <b>88.3</b> |
| UNI         | 84.6 | 83.4 | 84.2 | 82.1 | 85.4 | 82.0 | 84.9 | 87.1 | 83.1 | 85.5 | 85.5 | <b>84.0</b> |
| 3.25 - 3.49 |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI         | 81.4 | 77.5 | 79.3 | 80.6 | 79.9 | 81.1 | 85.4 | 82.8 | 79.6 | 80.3 | 81.5 | <b>83.9</b> |
| ISU         | 82.5 | 79.6 | 76.4 | 78.6 | 75.9 | 78.2 | 84.6 | 84.4 | 84.3 | 86.3 | 80.9 | <b>81.3</b> |
| UNI         | 81.4 | 82.7 | 76.2 | 75.4 | 82.5 | 77.2 | 78.9 | 75.4 | 87.8 | 80.0 | 78.3 | <b>78.4</b> |
| 3.00 - 3.24 |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI         | 76.4 | 80.9 | 77.1 | 75.1 | 77.0 | 79.9 | 78.7 | 76.5 | 79.0 | 79.8 | 81.2 | <b>78.1</b> |
| ISU         | 80.3 | 73.2 | 75.7 | 81.4 | 77.2 | 76.0 | 81.0 | 81.7 | 78.3 | 79.4 | 80.9 | <b>81.3</b> |
| UNI         | 76.9 | 69.4 | 70.6 | 71.2 | 76.4 | 75.0 | 72.0 | 72.9 | 77.7 | 76.8 | 76.2 | <b>76.2</b> |
| 2.75 - 2.99 |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI         | 73.1 | 69.1 | 72.2 | 73.8 | 72.0 | 71.1 | 70.7 | 74.7 | 78.1 | 76.1 | 75.3 | <b>72.8</b> |
| ISU         | 76.0 | 71.8 | 72.4 | 73.5 | 71.9 | 71.9 | 73.7 | 74.0 | 77.0 | 78.2 | 76.0 | <b>80.5</b> |
| UNI         | 73.2 | 74.7 | 69.5 | 65.1 | 69.3 | 68.4 | 73.5 | 74.8 | 72.2 | 68.4 | 64.7 | <b>71.0</b> |
| 2.50 - 2.74 |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI         | 67.4 | 63.1 | 66.2 | 68.7 | 68.1 | 68.3 | 64.7 | 67.7 | 71.2 | 64.6 | 68.0 | <b>70.4</b> |
| ISU         | 72.3 | 67.5 | 66.6 | 67.3 | 71.5 | 66.8 | 70.2 | 71.6 | 71.9 | 67.9 | 70.6 | <b>70.4</b> |
| UNI         | 66.9 | 65.5 | 63.0 | 72.1 | 68.0 | 71.4 | 69.4 | 68.8 | 74.6 | 67.9 | 68.8 | <b>76.8</b> |
| 2.25 - 2.49 |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI         | 59.8 | 58.1 | 63.0 | 52.3 | 56.9 | 53.1 | 59.4 | 63.7 | 59.1 | 59.7 | 59.1 | <b>59.0</b> |
| ISU         | 64.3 | 68.1 | 62.7 | 62.0 | 64.6 | 61.5 | 60.9 | 65.5 | 68.5 | 65.8 | 62.2 | <b>67.2</b> |
| UNI         | 66.8 | 63.7 | 63.0 | 55.1 | 65.2 | 60.4 | 59.9 | 67.1 | 63.2 | 64.2 | 61.1 | <b>59.0</b> |
| 2.00 - 2.24 |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI         | 50.1 | 48.4 | 47.2 | 54.9 | 52.3 | 51.8 | 53.6 | 51.2 | 49.1 | 48.8 | 49.7 | <b>48.8</b> |
| ISU         | 57.5 | 60.2 | 54.6 | 56.4 | 56.0 | 55.2 | 55.2 | 61.2 | 55.4 | 57.0 | 56.0 | <b>55.9</b> |
| UNI         | 52.0 | 50.7 | 51.1 | 54.3 | 48.8 | 60.7 | 54.8 | 63.5 | 63.6 | 57.0 | 51.0 | <b>54.1</b> |
| 1.00 - 1.99 |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI         | 27.0 | 23.0 | 23.5 | 29.3 | 29.3 | 23.7 | 30.4 | 27.3 | 28.3 | 25.5 | 9.1  | <b>24.6</b> |
| ISU         | 42.6 | 41.9 | 40.3 | 35.0 | 39.5 | 38.7 | 39.0 | 38.1 | 36.6 | 39.4 | 38.1 | <b>35.6</b> |
| UNI         | 38.1 | 37.5 | 34.7 | 22.6 | 34.5 | 38.3 | 35.3 | 37.2 | 41.5 | 40.8 | 42.5 | <b>34.5</b> |
| 0.00 - 0.99 |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI         | 0.0  | 0.0  | 3.8  | 2.1  | 7.1  | 4.5  | 2.2  | 0.0  | 4.3  | 0.0  | 0.0  | <b>3.2</b>  |
| ISU         | 12.3 | 7.0  | 8.7  | 5.2  | 6.2  | 7.6  | 9.8  | 6.7  | 3.8  | 11.6 | 9.1  | <b>12.0</b> |
| UNI         | 7.7  | 8.8  | 4.4  | 2.9  | 3.2  | 1.4  | 1.2  | 3.6  | 4.9  | 3.8  | 1.0  | <b>4.0</b>  |
| NA          |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI         | 0.0  | 0.0  | 4.3  | 0.0  | 8.2  | 7.0  | 8.3  | 9.2  | 5.3  | 11.4 | 8.1  | <b>6.9</b>  |
| ISU         | 28.6 | 33.3 | 2.3  | 7.5  | 0.0  | 3.8  | 7.7  | 2.0  | 8.8  | 7.6  | 16.4 | <b>16.1</b> |
| UNI         | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | NA   | <b>NA</b>   |
| TOTAL       |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI         | 61.1 | 60.9 | 62.6 | 63.1 | 63.7 | 62.8 | 64.0 | 64.9 | 64.4 | 64.6 | 63.7 | <b>66.1</b> |
| ISU         | 63.5 | 61.6 | 60.0 | 59.9 | 61.0 | 60.4 | 62.4 | 63.7 | 65.3 | 65.7 | 66.5 | <b>68.0</b> |
| UNI         | 60.4 | 61.9 | 59.4 | 60.4 | 62.2 | 62.9 | 62.2 | 64.2 | 66.5 | 65.2 | 64.3 | <b>65.0</b> |

**TABLE 15**  
**SIX-YEAR GRADUATION RATES BY GENDER**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 - 1999**  
**FALL 2005**

|              | 1988 | 1989 | 1990 | 1991 | 1992 | 1993 | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999        |
|--------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------------|
|              | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %           |
| <b>WOMEN</b> |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI          | 62.3 | 64.3 | 63.9 | 63.9 | 66.0 | 65.8 | 65.4 | 66.3 | 65.4 | 66.3 | 68.2 | <b>69.1</b> |
| ISU          | 67.3 | 64.6 | 63.0 | 65.0 | 64.8 | 64.0 | 66.2 | 66.0 | 68.1 | 68.4 | 68.6 | <b>70.6</b> |
| UNI          | 61.0 | 61.7 | 58.5 | 60.2 | 63.0 | 63.6 | 64.8 | 65.4 | 66.8 | 66.4 | 67.1 | <b>66.6</b> |
| <b>MEN</b>   |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI          | 59.8 | 57.3 | 61.0 | 62.1 | 61.1 | 58.9 | 62.4 | 63.0 | 63.2 | 62.3 | 63.7 | <b>62.2</b> |
| ISU          | 60.8 | 59.5 | 57.7 | 56.5 | 58.2 | 57.7 | 59.3 | 61.8 | 63.0 | 63.6 | 64.6 | <b>65.8</b> |
| UNI          | 59.5 | 62.2 | 60.9 | 60.6 | 61.0 | 61.3 | 58.1 | 62.4 | 66.1 | 63.4 | 59.3 | <b>62.3</b> |
| <b>TOTAL</b> |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI          | 61.1 | 60.9 | 62.6 | 63.1 | 63.7 | 62.8 | 64.0 | 64.9 | 64.4 | 64.6 | 66.2 | <b>66.1</b> |
| ISU          | 63.6 | 61.6 | 60.0 | 60.1 | 61.1 | 60.4 | 62.4 | 63.7 | 65.3 | 65.7 | 66.5 | <b>68.0</b> |
| UNI          | 60.4 | 61.9 | 59.4 | 60.4 | 62.2 | 62.7 | 62.2 | 64.2 | 66.5 | 65.2 | 64.3 | <b>65.0</b> |

**TABLE 16**  
**SIX-YEAR GRADUATION RATES BY RESIDENCE**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1988 - 1999**  
**FALL 2005**

|                    | 1988 | 1989 | 1990 | 1991 | 1992 | 1993 | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999        |
|--------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------------|
|                    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %           |
| <b>RESIDENT</b>    |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI                | 60.3 | 59.7 | 62.0 | 61.4 | 61.9 | 62.0 | 64.3 | 64.1 | 64.3 | 64.1 | 65.0 | <b>65.3</b> |
| ISU                | 65.9 | 64.0 | 61.9 | 61.9 | 62.9 | 63.1 | 63.1 | 65.3 | 65.9 | 66.5 | 68.0 | <b>68.9</b> |
| UNI                | 60.7 | 62.5 | 59.8 | 60.9 | 62.5 | 63.2 | 62.7 | 65.0 | 66.4 | 65.9 | 65.2 | <b>65.5</b> |
| <b>NONRESIDENT</b> |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI                | 62.9 | 63.4 | 63.6 | 66.1 | 66.6 | 64.1 | 63.6 | 66.3 | 64.6 | 65.3 | 68.6 | <b>67.3</b> |
| ISU                | 55.8 | 54.3 | 53.3 | 55.0 | 56.8 | 54.4 | 60.5 | 58.7 | 63.3 | 63.3 | 62.0 | <b>65.5</b> |
| UNI                | 51.5 | 34.8 | 45.6 | 45.7 | 55.1 | 56.3 | 51.9 | 48.9 | 68.0 | 51.6 | 45.7 | <b>53.6</b> |
| <b>TOTAL</b>       |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI                | 61.1 | 60.9 | 62.6 | 63.1 | 63.7 | 62.8 | 64.0 | 64.9 | 64.4 | 64.6 | 66.2 | <b>66.1</b> |
| ISU                | 63.6 | 61.6 | 60.0 | 60.1 | 61.1 | 60.4 | 62.4 | 63.7 | 65.3 | 65.7 | 66.5 | <b>68.0</b> |
| UNI                | 60.4 | 61.9 | 59.4 | 60.4 | 62.2 | 62.9 | 62.2 | 64.2 | 66.5 | 65.2 | 64.3 | <b>65.0</b> |

**TABLE 17**  
**ONE-YEAR RETENTION RATES BY TYPE OF TRANSFER COLLEGE**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1991 - 2004**  
**FALL 2005**

|                                | 1991 | 1992  | 1993 | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 | 2004        |
|--------------------------------|------|-------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------------|
|                                | %    | %     | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %           |
| Iowa 2-yr Public, AA Degree    |      |       |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI                            | 79.5 | 79.0  | 77.1 | 75.2 | 72.1 | 78.2 | 79.2 | 78.4 | 79.3 | 74.0 | 80.6 | 80.9 | 75.6 | <b>77.4</b> |
| ISU                            | 83.2 | 82.0  | 80.5 | 79.8 | 83.6 | 82.4 | 81.2 | 82.0 | 84.7 | 85.4 | 81.7 | 83.5 | 80.5 | <b>85.4</b> |
| UNI                            | 86.7 | 86.1  | 84.1 | 84.0 | 83.8 | 81.9 | 82.1 | 83.9 | 87.4 | 85.8 | 86.2 | 85.1 | 82.3 | <b>82.2</b> |
| Iowa 2-yr Public, No AA Degree |      |       |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI                            | 72.6 | 71.4  | 70.2 | 69.2 | 74.4 | 76.8 | 73.5 | 72.4 | 69.6 | 73.8 | 69.5 | 74.6 | 76.6 | <b>77.8</b> |
| ISU                            | 77.2 | 78.0  | 78.5 | 75.8 | 75.0 | 76.9 | 77.2 | 78.2 | 80.6 | 79.4 | 78.6 | 76.7 | 75.1 | <b>73.4</b> |
| UNI                            | 82.0 | 76.8  | 80.0 | 75.1 | 73.0 | 74.8 | 74.4 | 79.2 | 73.7 | 78.5 | 73.0 | 72.1 | 73.8 | <b>75.3</b> |
| All Iowa 2-yr Public           |      |       |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI                            | 76.3 | 75.5  | 73.8 | 72.2 | 73.0 | 77.5 | 76.4 | 75.1 | 74.2 | 73.2 | 73.0 | 79.9 | 76.1 | <b>77.6</b> |
| ISU                            | 78.3 | 79.0  | 78.9 | 76.6 | 76.9 | 78.5 | 78.2 | 79.4 | 81.8 | 80.9 | 79.4 | 78.7 | 76.6 | <b>77.0</b> |
| UNI                            | 85.2 | 83.4  | 82.7 | 80.4 | 79.8 | 78.9 | 79.4 | 81.8 | 82.0 | 82.9 | 80.9 | 79.8 | 78.8 | <b>79.2</b> |
| Iowa Private 2-yr              |      |       |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI                            | 62.5 | 100.0 | 83.3 | 40.0 | 88.9 | 50.0 | 25.0 | 41.2 | 66.7 | 66.7 | 75.0 | 50.0 | 0.0  | <b>0.0</b>  |
| ISU                            | 70.8 | 69.6  | 71.4 | 74.1 | 66.7 | 73.1 | 68.0 | 60.0 | 91.7 | 87.5 | 76.9 | 50.0 | 50.0 | <b>50.0</b> |
| UNI                            | 86.8 | 80.6  | 72.2 | 78.3 | 65.1 | 73.7 | 83.3 | 69.2 | 78.6 | 70.0 | 66.7 | 75.0 | 70.6 | <b>69.2</b> |
| Iowa Private 4-yr              |      |       |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI                            | 73.3 | 82.3  | 68.8 | 74.3 | 73.4 | 80.2 | 74.7 | 71.6 | 78.1 | 83.7 | 71.1 | 81.6 | 75.3 | <b>81.9</b> |
| ISU                            | 73.7 | 82.8  | 82.2 | 71.6 | 81.4 | 74.0 | 78.7 | 73.8 | 81.7 | 81.3 | 79.5 | 75.5 | 74.5 | <b>78.3</b> |
| UNI                            | 79.4 | 81.7  | 72.5 | 85.0 | 73.6 | 83.5 | 81.0 | 83.5 | 77.8 | 78.8 | 81.4 | 76.1 | 73.2 | <b>77.1</b> |
| Iowa Public 4-yr               |      |       |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI                            | 86.6 | 86.1  | 86.1 | 84.4 | 84.8 | 85.5 | 83.6 | 81.5 | 83.9 | 89.5 | 81.3 | 82.8 | 78.9 | <b>84.5</b> |
| ISU                            | 83.5 | 73.1  | 84.0 | 77.9 | 76.5 | 80.4 | 81.4 | 76.4 | 79.5 | 85.6 | 77.0 | 81.9 | 77.5 | <b>77.7</b> |
| UNI                            | 84.9 | 78.3  | 87.5 | 76.9 | 81.4 | 82.1 | 83.3 | 91.4 | 79.3 | 81.7 | 71.6 | 81.4 | 80.6 | <b>80.0</b> |
| Colleges Outside Iowa          |      |       |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI                            | 80.6 | 79.5  | 74.7 | 74.0 | 78.5 | 82.8 | 81.9 | 80.7 | 77.3 | 78.5 | 79.2 | 73.7 | 78.5 | <b>76.5</b> |
| ISU                            | 73.6 | 74.4  | 77.2 | 76.0 | 75.3 | 75.6 | 76.0 | 75.6 | 78.6 | 78.9 | 73.5 | 76.9 | 77.4 | <b>78.4</b> |
| UNI                            | 76.9 | 78.4  | 75.8 | 75.7 | 78.6 | 80.6 | 79.0 | 74.4 | 78.4 | 75.8 | 80.6 | 85.7 | 80.0 | <b>71.9</b> |
| TOTAL TRANSFERS                |      |       |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI                            | 79.2 | 79.3  | 75.2 | 74.5 | 76.8 | 80.5 | 78.6 | 76.9 | 76.6 | 77.7 | 76.6 | 76.7 | 76.9 | <b>78.3</b> |
| ISU                            | 76.6 | 77.5  | 78.9 | 75.9 | 76.5 | 77.2 | 77.6 | 77.3 | 80.9 | 80.8 | 77.7 | 78.1 | 76.6 | <b>77.4</b> |
| UNI                            | 83.7 | 82.1  | 80.5 | 80.2 | 78.5 | 79.8 | 79.9 | 81.4 | 81.0 | 81.3 | 80.2 | 80.1 | 78.5 | <b>78.0</b> |

**TABLE 18**  
**FOUR-YEAR GRADUATION RATES**  
**BY TYPE OF TRANSFER COLLEGE**  
**FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1991 - 2001**  
**FALL 2005**

|                                | 1991 | 1992  | 1993 | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001        |
|--------------------------------|------|-------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------------|
|                                | %    | %     | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %           |
| Iowa 2-yr Public, AA Degree    |      |       |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI                            | 58.6 | 56.8  | 55.8 | 56.6 | 54.9 | 60.7 | 59.5 | 61.2 | 62.1 | 57.5 | <b>64.4</b> |
| ISU                            | 76.8 | 75.3  | 66.7 | 60.1 | 72.1 | 63.3 | 68.8 | 72.2 | 70.3 | 79.0 | <b>71.4</b> |
| UNI                            | 71.6 | 73.0  | 72.9 | 72.3 | 72.5 | 69.9 | 71.7 | 73.5 | 75.8 | 75.0 | <b>75.4</b> |
| Iowa 2-yr Public, No AA Degree |      |       |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI                            | 40.3 | 39.4  | 36.6 | 40.9 | 47.7 | 45.3 | 42.3 | 46.3 | 47.9 | 48.3 | <b>51.9</b> |
| ISU                            | 50.8 | 49.7  | 48.2 | 50.6 | 50.4 | 55.8 | 55.7 | 53.0 | 59.0 | 59.1 | <b>50.9</b> |
| UNI                            | 44.5 | 48.8  | 53.5 | 44.7 | 51.4 | 52.3 | 50.8 | 54.4 | 55.2 | 49.8 | <b>47.6</b> |
| All Iowa 2-yr Public           |      |       |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI                            | 50.0 | 49.0  | 46.2 | 48.5 | 50.9 | 52.7 | 50.7 | 53.5 | 54.7 | 52.0 | <b>57.7</b> |
| ISU                            | 55.6 | 56.1  | 52.5 | 52.7 | 55.2 | 57.9 | 59.0 | 58.8 | 62.4 | 65.1 | <b>56.2</b> |
| UNI                            | 63.0 | 65.8  | 66.2 | 61.2 | 64.6 | 62.4 | 64.2 | 64.9 | 67.8 | 64.8 | <b>64.2</b> |
| Iowa Private 2-yr              |      |       |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI                            | 37.5 | 100.0 | 66.7 | 40.0 | 77.8 | 25.0 | 50.0 | 29.4 | 0.0  | 57.1 | <b>80.0</b> |
| ISU                            | 50.0 | 65.2  | 33.3 | 48.1 | 47.6 | 46.2 | 52.0 | 40.0 | 70.8 | 66.7 | <b>53.8</b> |
| UNI                            | 68.4 | 67.7  | 50.0 | 60.9 | 53.5 | 47.4 | 73.3 | 50.0 | 64.3 | 50.0 | <b>58.3</b> |
| Iowa Private 4-yr              |      |       |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI                            | 52.7 | 53.1  | 50.9 | 60.6 | 58.1 | 57.3 | 59.6 | 53.7 | 58.1 | 65.1 | <b>57.8</b> |
| ISU                            | 56.3 | 58.9  | 63.7 | 46.3 | 63.6 | 56.9 | 58.8 | 62.3 | 66.7 | 65.3 | <b>62.9</b> |
| UNI                            | 55.0 | 58.1  | 49.5 | 59.8 | 54.5 | 69.1 | 59.5 | 56.3 | 62.2 | 64.4 | <b>62.9</b> |
| Iowa Public 4-yr               |      |       |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI                            | 72.2 | 70.5  | 72.8 | 70.0 | 70.1 | 77.7 | 69.0 | 73.4 | 65.2 | 71.4 | <b>67.9</b> |
| ISU                            | 64.5 | 58.3  | 67.9 | 64.0 | 57.6 | 69.1 | 62.8 | 62.7 | 74.1 | 76.9 | <b>63.0</b> |
| UNI                            | 75.3 | 69.6  | 75.0 | 60.0 | 72.9 | 64.1 | 72.7 | 80.0 | 65.9 | 73.2 | <b>59.7</b> |
| Colleges Outside Iowa          |      |       |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI                            | 57.0 | 56.8  | 53.3 | 59.4 | 60.6 | 65.3 | 64.4 | 63.0 | 61.1 | 61.1 | <b>63.0</b> |
| ISU                            | 53.0 | 51.0  | 56.5 | 57.7 | 56.3 | 59.7 | 58.3 | 61.6 | 60.4 | 61.0 | <b>58.7</b> |
| UNI                            | 45.1 | 53.9  | 60.0 | 53.4 | 64.1 | 58.1 | 63.0 | 55.6 | 58.8 | 58.1 | <b>65.6</b> |
| TOTAL TRANSFERS                |      |       |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |             |
| SUI                            | 56.5 | 55.6  | 52.8 | 56.4 | 57.9 | 60.7 | 57.9 | 58.4 | 58.1 | 58.2 | <b>60.7</b> |
| ISU                            | 55.5 | 55.3  | 55.6 | 54.2 | 56.4 | 59.0 | 58.9 | 59.8 | 63.2 | 64.9 | <b>57.9</b> |
| UNI                            | 61.4 | 64.0  | 63.4 | 60.1 | 63.6 | 62.4 | 64.5 | 63.6 | 66.2 | 64.3 | <b>63.9</b> |

**TABLE 19**  
**ONE-YEAR RETENTION RATES FOR TRANSFER STUDENTS BY**  
**TRANSFER GPA FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1991 - 2004**  
**FALL 2005**

|             | 1991 | 1992  | 1993  | 1994  | 1995  | 1996  | 1997  | 1998 | 1999  | 2000 | 2001 | 2002  | 2003  | 2004         |
|-------------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|-------|------|------|-------|-------|--------------|
|             | %    | %     | %     | %     | %     | %     | %     | %    | %     | %    | %    | %     | %     | %            |
| 3.50 - 4.00 |      |       |       |       |       |       |       |      |       |      |      |       |       |              |
| SUI         | 87.2 | 89.6  | 82.2  | 80.4  | 83.0  | 86.4  | 86.2  | 84.3 | 79.7  | 89.8 | 82.7 | 85.0  | 89.2  | <b>85.3</b>  |
| ISU         | 84.1 | 84.6  | 86.7  | 84.2  | 83.9  | 87.7  | 86.0  | 84.9 | 89.4  | 86.5 | 80.9 | 83.3  | 88.1  | <b>84.5</b>  |
| UNI         | 94.0 | 90.7  | 89.6  | 84.8  | 91.0  | 87.9  | 88.7  | 90.0 | 92.3  | 88.7 | 91.7 | 93.8  | 88.7  | <b>88.8</b>  |
| 3.25 - 3.49 |      |       |       |       |       |       |       |      |       |      |      |       |       |              |
| SUI         | 84.7 | 78.8  | 78.3  | 78.6  | 82.7  | 87.3  | 84.9  | 80.8 | 79.9  | 84.1 | 83.4 | 77.6  | 78.6  | <b>80.1</b>  |
| ISU         | 83.2 | 87.2  | 88.5  | 82.4  | 83.3  | 85.3  | 81.8  | 78.4 | 85.6  | 85.4 | 83.9 | 85.8  | 78.5  | <b>78.9</b>  |
| UNI         | 86.7 | 84.5  | 91.6  | 84.5  | 79.8  | 85.5  | 82.9  | 88.2 | 87.9  | 89.9 | 86.9 | 83.6  | 88.3  | <b>87.6</b>  |
| 3.00 - 3.24 |      |       |       |       |       |       |       |      |       |      |      |       |       |              |
| SUI         | 87.5 | 85.6  | 77.8  | 80.5  | 78.8  | 80.5  | 82.3  | 81.7 | 82.4  | 79.0 | 76.1 | 79.3  | 81.8  | <b>79.0</b>  |
| ISU         | 86.7 | 83.6  | 84.0  | 76.8  | 83.3  | 80.5  | 83.2  | 76.6 | 82.8  | 82.7 | 78.0 | 81.9  | 74.7  | <b>79.5</b>  |
| UNI         | 92.4 | 90.2  | 83.2  | 84.7  | 82.4  | 85.6  | 84.9  | 80.0 | 82.4  | 87.2 | 86.7 | 82.5  | 77.2  | <b>84.0</b>  |
| 2.75 - 2.99 |      |       |       |       |       |       |       |      |       |      |      |       |       |              |
| SUI         | 77.7 | 80.1  | 79.6  | 75.2  | 72.8  | 82.4  | 81.4  | 73.5 | 76.6  | 72.8 | 83.0 | 75.2  | 71.8  | <b>76.6</b>  |
| ISU         | 75.4 | 69.8  | 75.9  | 81.4  | 78.4  | 77.2  | 80.1  | 81.5 | 84.4  | 87.1 | 86.5 | 80.9  | 77.8  | <b>85.7</b>  |
| UNI         | 84.4 | 83.6  | 73.3  | 80.9  | 78.3  | 85.0  | 75.3  | 84.7 | 82.8  | 91.3 | 81.4 | 79.6  | 81.4  | <b>72.5</b>  |
| 2.50 - 2.74 |      |       |       |       |       |       |       |      |       |      |      |       |       |              |
| SUI         | 72.4 | 73.7  | 76.5  | 66.0  | 75.8  | 79.2  | 70.9  | 71.7 | 75.3  | 73.4 | 68.4 | 77.3  | 69.3  | <b>76.2</b>  |
| ISU         | 75.2 | 77.8  | 81.8  | 76.5  | 76.5  | 78.7  | 76.7  | 77.6 | 79.7  | 74.0 | 72.2 | 74.4  | 72.2  | <b>68.1</b>  |
| UNI         | 82.1 | 80.6  | 80.8  | 77.9  | 78.8  | 74.1  | 82.5  | 80.7 | 78.7  | 75.6 | 71.1 | 80.4  | 72.1  | <b>69.5</b>  |
| 2.25 - 2.49 |      |       |       |       |       |       |       |      |       |      |      |       |       |              |
| SUI         | 66.7 | 68.8  | 62.5  | 70.3  | 66.1  | 72.9  | 67.3  | 75.2 | 66.9  | 69.3 | 65.3 | 62.6  | 59.3  | <b>68.8</b>  |
| ISU         | 72.8 | 79.2  | 75.6  | 72.1  | 72.6  | 68.3  | 66.8  | 74.2 | 75.2  | 74.7 | 66.3 | 71.8  | 73.3  | <b>69.5</b>  |
| UNI         | 74.8 | 74.1  | 76.2  | 75.0  | 67.7  | 67.7  | 70.7  | 76.0 | 68.5  | 61.6 | 68.7 | 67.7  | 66.7  | <b>65.1</b>  |
| 2.00 - 2.24 |      |       |       |       |       |       |       |      |       |      |      |       |       |              |
| SUI         | 82.3 | 74.4  | 63.2  | 59.6  | 68.9  | 66.1  | 70.4  | 54.8 | 57.5  | 61.0 | 62.9 | 67.5  | 73.3  | <b>66.7</b>  |
| ISU         | 70.4 | 69.3  | 70.5  | 67.3  | 63.4  | 71.5  | 70.6  | 67.1 | 71.8  | 79.6 | 72.2 | 62.3  | 66.0  | <b>63.9</b>  |
| UNI         | 71.4 | 63.6  | 62.1  | 67.9  | 69.1  | 64.6  | 58.5  | 53.8 | 57.7  | 68.0 | 51.6 | 51.9  | 51.4  | <b>63.8</b>  |
| 1.00 - 1.99 |      |       |       |       |       |       |       |      |       |      |      |       |       |              |
| SUI         | 78.3 | 75.0  | 57.1  | 50.0  | 88.9  | 66.7  | 66.7  | 57.1 | 57.1  | 41.7 | 66.7 | 72.7  | 33.3  | <b>25.0</b>  |
| ISU         | 62.1 | 71.9  | 72.7  | 70.5  | 53.5  | 58.3  | 71.4  | 63.6 | 81.0  | 45.5 | 52.2 | 63.6  | 43.8  | <b>50.0</b>  |
| UNI         | 66.7 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 66.7  | 100.0 | 100.0 | 75.0  | 66.7 | 57.1  | 37.5 | 70.0 | 25.0  | 50.0  | <b>75.0</b>  |
| 0.00 - 0.99 |      |       |       |       |       |       |       |      |       |      |      |       |       |              |
| SUI         | 73.2 | 77.8  | 53.3  | 91.7  | 82.4  | 63.6  | 86.7  | 66.7 | 63.6  | 81.0 | 69.7 | NA    | 100.0 | <b>0.0</b>   |
| ISU         | 93.3 | 62.5  | 88.9  | 54.5  | 71.4  | 100.0 | 50.0  | 50.0 | 35.7  | 87.5 | 75.0 | 71.4  | 66.7  | <b>100.0</b> |
| UNI         | 53.8 | 87.5  | 90.9  | 40.0  | 0.0   | 75.0  | 60.0  | 62.5 | 50.0  | 77.8 | 88.2 | 44.4  | 70.0  | <b>100.0</b> |
| NA          |      |       |       |       |       |       |       |      |       |      |      |       |       |              |
| SUI         | 75.9 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 80.0 | 100.0 | 50.0 | NA   | 71.4  | 90.9  | <b>63.2</b>  |
| ISU         | 40.0 | 26.3  | 9.5   | 10.0  | 16.7  | 0.0   | 20.0  | 16.7 | 0.0   | 12.5 | NA   | 100.0 | NA    | <b>0.0</b>   |
| UNI         | NA   | NA    | NA    | NA    | NA    | NA    | NA    | NA   | NA    | NA   | NA   | NA    | NA    | <b>0.0</b>   |
| TOTAL       |      |       |       |       |       |       |       |      |       |      |      |       |       |              |
| SUI         | 79.2 | 79.4  | 75.2  | 74.6  | 76.8  | 80.5  | 78.7  | 76.9 | 76.6  | 77.7 | 76.7 | 76.7  | 76.9  | <b>78.3</b>  |
| ISU         | 76.6 | 77.5  | 78.9  | 75.9  | 76.5  | 77.2  | 77.6  | 77.3 | 81.5  | 80.8 | 77.4 | 78.1  | 76.6  | <b>77.4</b>  |
| UNI         | 83.7 | 82.1  | 80.5  | 80.2  | 78.5  | 79.8  | 79.9  | 81.4 | 81.0  | 81.3 | 80.2 | 80.1  | 78.5  | <b>78.0</b>  |

**TABLE 20**  
**FOUR-YEAR GRADUATION RATES FOR TRANSFER STUDENTS BY**  
**TRANSFER GPA FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1991 - 2001**  
**FALL 2005**

|             | 1991 | 1992  | 1993 | 1994 | 1995  | 1996 | 1997  | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001        |
|-------------|------|-------|------|------|-------|------|-------|------|------|------|-------------|
|             | %    | %     | %    | %    | %     | %    | %     | %    | %    | %    | %           |
| 3.50 - 4.00 |      |       |      |      |       |      |       |      |      |      |             |
| SUI         | 77.7 | 71.6  | 69.1 | 72.7 | 74.9  | 74.2 | 72.8  | 76.5 | 70.3 | 78.1 | <b>73.1</b> |
| ISU         | 71.4 | 69.7  | 75.0 | 69.5 | 71.1  | 74.1 | 79.2  | 73.8 | 77.3 | 77.5 | <b>77.8</b> |
| UNI         | 82.0 | 82.6  | 79.2 | 72.0 | 82.0  | 82.9 | 81.1  | 86.4 | 82.5 | 75.7 | <b>83.3</b> |
| 3.25 - 3.49 |      |       |      |      |       |      |       |      |      |      |             |
| SUI         | 71.3 | 66.3  | 63.1 | 66.2 | 66.0  | 68.8 | 65.5  | 67.7 | 67.9 | 67.7 | <b>73.5</b> |
| ISU         | 68.8 | 70.3  | 71.2 | 67.9 | 70.8  | 69.2 | 66.7  | 62.6 | 74.9 | 70.4 | <b>66.1</b> |
| UNI         | 75.5 | 75.9  | 78.9 | 70.9 | 70.5  | 72.7 | 72.6  | 75.6 | 79.0 | 76.8 | <b>74.5</b> |
| 3.00 - 3.24 |      |       |      |      |       |      |       |      |      |      |             |
| SUI         | 69.0 | 61.4  | 57.7 | 60.5 | 64.6  | 62.4 | 62.4  | 69.6 | 65.4 | 63.1 | <b>63.2</b> |
| ISU         | 69.2 | 65.5  | 59.7 | 58.6 | 68.8  | 66.8 | 67.8  | 65.1 | 68.1 | 72.0 | <b>62.7</b> |
| UNI         | 70.8 | 76.5  | 69.3 | 68.2 | 65.3  | 72.5 | 72.7  | 64.1 | 67.3 | 75.0 | <b>72.4</b> |
| 2.75 - 2.99 |      |       |      |      |       |      |       |      |      |      |             |
| SUI         | 53.9 | 56.1  | 56.2 | 54.9 | 52.5  | 61.8 | 57.4  | 54.5 | 55.6 | 53.2 | <b>59.4</b> |
| ISU         | 55.5 | 55.9  | 58.0 | 61.8 | 64.3  | 63.4 | 59.3  | 63.8 | 67.9 | 70.7 | <b>61.5</b> |
| UNI         | 60.9 | 62.0  | 61.0 | 63.6 | 64.4  | 62.9 | 62.7  | 65.6 | 69.0 | 79.9 | <b>64.2</b> |
| 2.50 - 2.74 |      |       |      |      |       |      |       |      |      |      |             |
| SUI         | 47.7 | 42.3  | 47.5 | 47.4 | 53.1  | 58.9 | 55.6  | 45.5 | 49.4 | 50.0 | <b>49.7</b> |
| ISU         | 55.2 | 58.7  | 59.9 | 57.3 | 52.6  | 56.5 | 53.3  | 61.4 | 54.7 | 57.3 | <b>48.7</b> |
| UNI         | 54.7 | 61.2  | 59.6 | 50.0 | 63.6  | 54.5 | 61.0  | 56.9 | 59.2 | 51.2 | <b>50.3</b> |
| 2.25 - 2.49 |      |       |      |      |       |      |       |      |      |      |             |
| SUI         | 33.9 | 40.6  | 31.3 | 40.7 | 37.4  | 45.1 | 36.5  | 39.0 | 40.7 | 42.5 | <b>40.3</b> |
| ISU         | 48.2 | 49.8  | 45.1 | 44.2 | 41.1  | 43.7 | 48.1  | 52.5 | 51.4 | 53.1 | <b>43.6</b> |
| UNI         | 51.0 | 49.1  | 48.4 | 45.5 | 47.6  | 38.7 | 46.6  | 45.6 | 50.8 | 38.4 | <b>45.0</b> |
| 2.00 - 2.24 |      |       |      |      |       |      |       |      |      |      |             |
| SUI         | 40.3 | 37.2  | 26.3 | 31.9 | 42.2  | 44.1 | 38.9  | 35.7 | 22.5 | 31.7 | <b>37.1</b> |
| ISU         | 39.1 | 33.7  | 38.6 | 34.5 | 36.6  | 44.7 | 40.0  | 35.0 | 40.2 | 50.4 | <b>37.7</b> |
| UNI         | 36.4 | 36.4  | 43.1 | 43.4 | 50.9  | 46.2 | 32.1  | 32.7 | 34.6 | 44.0 | <b>31.3</b> |
| 1.00 - 1.99 |      |       |      |      |       |      |       |      |      |      |             |
| SUI         | 26.1 | 37.5  | 28.6 | 40.0 | 22.2  | 22.2 | 44.4  | 14.3 | 14.3 | 25.0 | <b>16.7</b> |
| ISU         | 27.6 | 26.3  | 21.8 | 29.5 | 23.3  | 30.6 | 38.1  | 36.4 | 52.4 | 18.2 | <b>39.1</b> |
| UNI         | 33.3 | 100.0 | 50.0 | 50.0 | 40.0  | 0.0  | 50.0  | 66.7 | 14.3 | 0.0  | <b>10.0</b> |
| 0.00 - 0.99 |      |       |      |      |       |      |       |      |      |      |             |
| SUI         | 46.3 | 55.6  | 53.3 | 91.7 | 41.2  | 27.3 | 46.7  | 27.8 | 40.9 | 38.1 | <b>57.6</b> |
| ISU         | 26.7 | 18.8  | 66.7 | 18.2 | 14.3  | 33.3 | 0.0   | 16.7 | 21.4 | 50.0 | <b>25.0</b> |
| UNI         | 23.1 | 25.0  | 63.6 | 20.0 | 0.0   | 50.0 | 40.0  | 62.5 | 25.0 | 55.6 | <b>76.5</b> |
| NA          |      |       |      |      |       |      |       |      |      |      |             |
| SUI         | 41.4 | 100.0 | 66.7 | 0.0  | 100.0 | 0.0  | 100.0 | 80.0 | 80.0 | 0.0  | <b>0.0</b>  |
| ISU         | 33.3 | 26.3  | 9.5  | 5.0  | 16.7  | 0.0  | 20.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | <b>0.0</b>  |
| UNI         | NA   | NA    | NA   | NA   | NA    | NA   | NA    | NA   | NA   | NA   | <b>0.0</b>  |
| TOTAL       |      |       |      |      |       |      |       |      |      |      |             |
| SUI         | 56.5 | 55.7  | 52.8 | 56.6 | 57.9  | 60.7 | 57.9  | 58.4 | 58.1 | 58.4 | <b>60.7</b> |
| ISU         | 55.5 | 55.3  | 55.6 | 54.2 | 56.4  | 59.0 | 58.9  | 59.8 | 63.2 | 64.9 | <b>58.1</b> |
| UNI         | 61.4 | 64.0  | 63.4 | 60.1 | 63.6  | 62.4 | 64.5  | 63.6 | 66.2 | 64.3 | <b>63.9</b> |

**TABLE 21  
GRADUATION/PERSISTENCE/TRANSFER RATES FOR ENTERING CLASSES OF 1997 TO 2004  
Fall 2005**

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| Year | Number | Non-Persisters |          |       | Graduated from SUI |        |        |        |       | Cont'd<br>7th Year | Transferred |           | Total<br>Graduated |
|------|--------|----------------|----------|-------|--------------------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------------------|-------------|-----------|--------------------|
|      |        | 1st Year       | 2nd Year | Total | 3-Year             | 4-Year | 5-Year | 6-Year | Total |                    | Elsewhere   | Graduated |                    |
| 1997 | 3,573  | 16.3%          | 7.3%     | 33.4% | 0.8%               | 36.8%  | 23.5%  | 3.4%   | 64.6% | 2.0%               | 22.7%       | 9.9%      | 74.5%              |
| 1998 | 3,896  | 16.5%          | 7.5%     | 31.4% | 0.6%               | 35.2%  | 25.1%  | 5.3%   | 66.2% | 2.4%               | 22.4%       | 8.6%      | 74.9%              |
| 1999 | 3,747  | 16.1%          | 8.7%     | 32.2% | 0.8%               | 37.2%  | 24.1%  | 4.0%   | 66.1% | 1.7%               | 23.0%       | 8.6%      | 74.7%              |
| 2000 | 3,647  | 17.5%          | 7.9%     | 33.2% | 0.5%               | 39.0%  | 22.9%  |        | 62.4% |                    | 25.6%       | 6.9%      | 69.3%              |
| 2001 | 3,930  | 17.7%          | 9.0%     | 32.5% | 0.5%               | 39.1%  |        |        | 39.6% |                    | 15.3%       | 2.2%      | 41.8%              |
| 2002 | 4,097  | 17.7%          | 8.5%     | 30.9% | 0.8%               |        |        |        | 0.8%  |                    | 15.5%       | 0.0%      | 0.9%               |
| 2003 | 4,014  | 16.9%          | 7.1%     | 16.8% |                    |        |        |        |       |                    | 14.9%       | 0.0%      | 0.0%               |
| 2004 | 3,982  | 15.7%          |          | 15.7% |                    |        |        |        |       |                    | 12.5%       | 0.0%      | 0.0%               |

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| Year | Number | Non-Persisters |          |       | Graduated from ISU |        |        |        |       | Cont'd<br>7th Year | Transferred |           | Total<br>Graduated |
|------|--------|----------------|----------|-------|--------------------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------------------|-------------|-----------|--------------------|
|      |        | 1st Year       | 2nd Year | Total | 3-Year             | 4-Year | 5-Year | 6-Year | Total |                    | Elsewhere   | Graduated |                    |
| 1997 | 4,007  | 16.4%          | 8.6%     | 31.5% | 1.0%               | 26.0%  | 32.3%  | 6.5%   | 65.7% | 2.8%               | 15.4%       | 6.6%      | 72.3%              |
| 1998 | 3,800  | 15.6%          | 7.9%     | 30.9% | 0.7%               | 28.5%  | 31.0%  | 6.3%   | 66.5% | 2.6%               | 15.8%       | 6.7%      | 73.2%              |
| 1999 | 4,020  | 14.9%          | 8.3%     | 29.6% | 0.6%               | 30.7%  | 31.3%  | 5.3%   | 68.0% | 2.4%               | 16.2%       | 5.6%      | 73.6%              |
| 2000 | 4,289  | 16.3%          | 9.0%     | 31.9% | 0.8%               | 30.4%  | 29.0%  |        | 60.2% |                    | 17.3%       | 4.8%      | 65.1%              |
| 2001 | 4,598  | 16.6%          | 9.5%     | 30.5% | 0.8%               | 31.0%  |        |        | 31.8% |                    | 20.3%       | 1.4%      | 33.2%              |
| 2002 | 4,167  | 15.8%          | 8.5%     | 27.8% | 1.1%               |        |        |        | 1.1%  |                    | 18.8%       | 0.1%      | 1.2%               |
| 2003 | 3,863  | 15.4%          | 6.9%     | 22.2% |                    |        |        |        |       |                    | 13.1%       |           | 0.0%               |
| 2004 | 3,674  | 14.2%          |          | 14.2% |                    |        |        |        |       |                    | 2.9%        |           | 0.0%               |

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| Year | Number | Non-Persisters |          |       | Graduated from UNI |        |        |        | Total | Cont'd<br>7th Year | Transferred |           | Total<br>Graduated |
|------|--------|----------------|----------|-------|--------------------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------------------|-------------|-----------|--------------------|
|      |        | 1st Year       | 2nd Year | Total | 3-Year             | 4-Year | 5-Year | 6-Year |       |                    | Elsewhere   | Graduated |                    |
| 1997 | 1,919  | 17.6%          | 8.6%     | 32.5% | 0.5%               | 28.2%  | 32.1%  | 4.4%   | 65.2% | 2.2%               | 24.1%       | 11.5%     | 76.7%              |
| 1998 | 1,982  | 19.0%          | 7.2%     | 33.7% | 0.7%               | 28.8%  | 30.8%  | 3.9%   | 64.3% | 2.0%               | 24.8%       | 11.4%     | 75.6%              |
| 1999 | 2,124  | 18.6%          | 8.5%     | 33.0% | 1.1%               | 32.4%  | 27.3%  | 4.1%   | 65.0% | 2.0%               | 24.1%       | 7.6%      | 72.6%              |
| 2000 | 2,218  | 16.0%          | 8.0%     | 31.2% | 0.6%               | 33.2%  | 28.2%  |        | 62.1% |                    | 22.8%       | 8.5%      | 70.6%              |
| 2001 | 2,064  | 18.6%          | 8.0%     | 31.4% | 0.8%               | 31.5%  |        |        | 32.3% |                    | 18.1%       | 6.2%      | 38.5%              |
| 2002 | 1,822  | 19.4%          | 7.6%     | 29.6% | 1.4%               |        |        |        | 1.4%  |                    | 23.3%       | 3.1%      | 4.5%               |
| 2003 | 1,740  | 18.6%          | 6.9%     | 25.5% |                    |        |        |        |       |                    | 20.5%       | 0.6%      | 0.6%               |
| 2004 | 1,652  | 19.1%          |          | 19.1% |                    |        |        |        |       |                    | 15.1%       | 0.2%      | 0.2%               |

**TABLE 22 - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
UNDUPLICATED RESPONSES BY CATEGORY  
REGENT TOTAL  
FALL 2005**

| <b>Academic Reasons - Student</b> |              |              |              |             |                         |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------------|
|                                   | Major Reason | Minor Reason | Not a Reason | Grand Total | Percent of Major Reason |
| Nonresident - not probation       | 18           | 30           | 77           | 125         | 14.4%                   |
| Nonresident - on probation        | 6            | 6            | 3            | 15          | 40.0%                   |
| Resident - not probation          | 61           | 67           | 231          | 359         | 17.0%                   |
| Resident - on probation           | 19           | 21           | 19           | 59          | 32.2%                   |
| <b>Grand Total</b>                | <b>104</b>   | <b>124</b>   | <b>330</b>   | <b>558</b>  | <b>18.6%</b>            |

| <b>Academic Reasons - Institutional</b> |              |              |              |             |                         |
|---|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------------|
|   | Major Reason | Minor Reason | Not a Reason | Grand Total | Percent of Major Reason |
| Nonresident - not probation             | 27           | 21           | 71           | 119         | 22.7%                   |
| Nonresident - on probation              | 6            | 4            | 2            | 12          | 50.0%                   |
| Resident - not probation                | 76           | 47           | 110          | 233         | 32.6%                   |
| Resident - on probation                 | 17           | 14           | 7            | 38          | 44.7%                   |
| <b>Grand Total</b>                      | <b>126</b>   | <b>86</b>    | <b>190</b>   | <b>402</b>  | <b>31.3%</b>            |

| <b>Financial Reasons</b>    |              |              |              |             |                         |
|-----------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------------|
|                             | Major Reason | Minor Reason | Not a Reason | Grand Total | Percent of Major Reason |
| Nonresident - not probation | 63           | 21           | 35           | 119         | 52.9%                   |
| Nonresident - on probation  | 5            | 3            | 4            | 12          | 41.7%                   |
| Resident - not probation    | 77           | 58           | 98           | 233         | 33.0%                   |
| Resident - on probation     | 18           | 8            | 12           | 38          | 47.4%                   |
| <b>Grand Total</b>          | <b>163</b>   | <b>90</b>    | <b>149</b>   | <b>402</b>  | <b>40.5%</b>            |

| <b>Personal Reasons</b>     |              |              |              |             |                         |
|-----------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------------|
|                             | Major Reason | Minor Reason | Not a Reason | Grand Total | Percent of Major Reason |
| Nonresident - not probation | 61           | 30           | 28           | 119         | 51.3%                   |
| Nonresident - on probation  | 6            | 5            | 1            | 12          | 50.0%                   |
| Resident - not probation    | 113          | 59           | 61           | 233         | 48.5%                   |
| Resident - on probation     | 20           | 7            | 11           | 38          | 52.6%                   |
| <b>Grand Total</b>          | <b>200</b>   | <b>101</b>   | <b>101</b>   | <b>402</b>  | <b>49.8%</b>            |

**TABLE 22A - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
UNDUPLICATED RESPONSES BY CATEGORY  
UNIVERSITY OF IOWA  
FALL 2005**

| <b>Academic Reasons - Student</b> |              |              |              |             |                         |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------------|
|                                   | Major Reason | Minor Reason | Not a Reason | Grand Total | Percent of Major Reason |
| Nonresident - not probation       | 10           | 15           | 44           | 69          | 14.5%                   |
| Nonresident - on probation        | 3            | 2            | 1            | 6           | 50.0%                   |
| Resident - not probation          | 19           | 23           | 53           | 95          | 20.0%                   |
| Resident - on probation           | 6            | 8            | 1            | 15          | 40.0%                   |
| Grand Total                       | 38           | 48           | 99           | 185         | 20.5%                   |

| <b>Academic Reasons - Institutional</b> |              |              |              |             |                         |
|---|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------------|
|   | Major Reason | Minor Reason | Not a Reason | Grand Total | Percent of Major Reason |
| Nonresident - not probation             | 10           | 15           | 44           | 69          | 14.5%                   |
| Nonresident - on probation              | 3            | 2            | 1            | 6           | 50.0%                   |
| Resident - not probation                | 19           | 23           | 53           | 95          | 20.0%                   |
| Resident - on probation                 | 6            | 8            | 1            | 15          | 40.0%                   |
| Grand Total                             | 38           | 48           | 99           | 185         | 20.5%                   |

| <b>Financial Reasons</b>    |              |              |              |             |                         |
|-----------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------------|
|                             | Major Reason | Minor Reason | Not a Reason | Grand Total | Percent of Major Reason |
| Nonresident - not probation | 35           | 11           | 23           | 69          | 50.7%                   |
| Nonresident - on probation  | 1            | 2            | 3            | 6           | 16.7%                   |
| Resident - not probation    | 27           | 26           | 42           | 95          | 28.4%                   |
| Resident - on probation     | 6            | 4            | 5            | 15          | 40.0%                   |
| Grand Total                 | 69           | 43           | 73           | 185         | 37.3%                   |

| <b>Personal Reasons</b>     |              |              |              |             |                         |
|-----------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------------|
|                             | Major Reason | Minor Reason | Not a Reason | Grand Total | Percent of Major Reason |
| Nonresident - not probation | 34           | 22           | 13           | 69          | 49.3%                   |
| Nonresident - on probation  | 4            | 2            | 0            | 6           | 66.7%                   |
| Resident - not probation    | 50           | 25           | 20           | 95          | 52.6%                   |
| Resident - on probation     | 8            | 2            | 5            | 15          | 53.3%                   |
| Grand Total                 | 96           | 51           | 38           | 185         | 51.9%                   |

**TABLE 22B - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
UNDUPLICATED RESPONSES BY CATEGORY  
IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY  
FALL 2005**

| <b>Academic Reasons - Student</b> |              |              |              |             |                         |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------------|
|                                   | Major Reason | Minor Reason | Not a Reason | Grand Total | Percent of Major Reason |
| Nonresident - not probation       | 8            | 14           | 26           | 48          | 16.7%                   |
| Nonresident - on probation        | 3            | 2            | 0            | 5           | 60.0%                   |
| Resident - not probation          | 29           | 22           | 45           | 96          | 30.2%                   |
| Resident - on probation           | 11           | 2            | 3            | 16          | 68.8%                   |
| Grand Total                       | 51           | 40           | 74           | 165         | 30.9%                   |

| <b>Academic Reasons - Institutional</b> |              |              |              |             |                         |
|---|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------------|
|   | Major Reason | Minor Reason | Not a Reason | Grand Total | Percent of Major Reason |
| Nonresident - not probation             | 17           | 5            | 26           | 48          | 35.4%                   |
| Nonresident - on probation              | 3            | 1            | 1            | 5           | 60.0%                   |
| Resident - not probation                | 47           | 14           | 35           | 96          | 49.0%                   |
| Resident - on probation                 | 9            | 3            | 4            | 16          | 56.3%                   |
| Grand Total                             | 76           | 23           | 66           | 165         | 46.1%                   |

| <b>Financial Reasons</b>    |              |              |              |             |                         |
|-----------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------------|
|                             | Major Reason | Minor Reason | Not a Reason | Grand Total | Percent of Major Reason |
| Nonresident - not probation | 27           | 10           | 11           | 48          | 56.3%                   |
| Nonresident - on probation  | 3            | 1            | 1            | 5           | 60.0%                   |
| Resident - not probation    | 29           | 26           | 41           | 96          | 30.2%                   |
| Resident - on probation     | 9            | 2            | 5            | 16          | 56.3%                   |
| Grand Total                 | 68           | 39           | 58           | 165         | 41.2%                   |

| <b>Personal Reasons</b>     |              |              |              |             |                         |
|-----------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------------|
|                             | Major Reason | Minor Reason | Not a Reason | Grand Total | Percent of Major Reason |
| Nonresident - not probation | 26           | 8            | 14           | 48          | 54.2%                   |
| Nonresident - on probation  | 2            | 2            | 1            | 5           | 40.0%                   |
| Resident - not probation    | 44           | 25           | 27           | 96          | 45.8%                   |
| Resident - on probation     | 10           | 3            | 3            | 16          | 62.5%                   |
| Grand Total                 | 82           | 38           | 45           | 165         | 49.7%                   |

**TABLE 22C - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
UNDUPLICATED RESPONSES BY CATEGORY  
UNIVERSITY OF NORTHERN IOWA  
FALL 2005**

| <b>Academic Reasons - Student</b> |              |              |              |             |                         |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------------|
|                                   | Major Reason | Minor Reason | Not a Reason | Grand Total | Percent of Major Reason |
| Nonresident - not probation       | 0            | 1            | 7            | 8           | 0.0%                    |
| Nonresident - on probation        | 0            | 2            | 2            | 4           | 0.0%                    |
| Resident - not probation          | 13           | 22           | 133          | 168         | 7.7%                    |
| Resident - on probation           | 2            | 11           | 15           | 28          | 7.1%                    |
| Grand Total                       | 15           | 36           | 157          | 208         | 7.2%                    |

| <b>Academic Reasons - Institutional</b> |              |              |              |             |                         |
|---|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------------|
|   | Major Reason | Minor Reason | Not a Reason | Grand Total | Percent of Major Reason |
| Nonresident - not probation             | 0            | 1            | 1            | 2           | 0.0%                    |
| Nonresident - on probation              | 0            | 1            | 0            | 1           | 0.0%                    |
| Resident - not probation                | 10           | 10           | 22           | 42          | 23.8%                   |
| Resident - on probation                 | 2            | 3            | 2            | 7           | 28.6%                   |
| Grand Total                             | 12           | 15           | 25           | 52          | 23.1%                   |

| <b>Financial Reasons</b>    |              |              |              |             |                         |
|-----------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------------|
|                             | Major Reason | Minor Reason | Not a Reason | Grand Total | Percent of Major Reason |
| Nonresident - not probation | 1            | 0            | 1            | 2           | 50.0%                   |
| Nonresident - on probation  | 1            | 0            | 0            | 1           | 100.0%                  |
| Resident - not probation    | 21           | 6            | 15           | 42          | 50.0%                   |
| Resident - on probation     | 3            | 2            | 2            | 7           | 42.9%                   |
| Grand Total                 | 26           | 8            | 18           | 52          | 50.0%                   |

| <b>Personal Reasons</b>     |              |              |              |             |                         |
|-----------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------------|
|                             | Major Reason | Minor Reason | Not a Reason | Grand Total | Percent of Major Reason |
| Nonresident - not probation | 1            | 0            | 1            | 2           | 50.0%                   |
| Nonresident - on probation  | 0            | 1            | 0            | 1           | 0.0%                    |
| Resident - not probation    | 19           | 9            | 14           | 42          | 45.2%                   |
| Resident - on probation     | 2            | 2            | 3            | 7           | 28.6%                   |
| Grand Total                 | 22           | 12           | 18           | 52          | 42.3%                   |

**TABLE 23 - FIRST-YEAR NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REGENT TOTAL  
FALL 2005**

**PART I**

|   | <b>RESIDENT</b> | <b>NONRESIDENT</b> | <b>TOTAL</b> |
|---|-----------------|--------------------|--------------|
| <b>NUMBER IN FALL 2003 COHORT</b>                               |                 |                    |              |
| University of Iowa  | 2,545           | 1,538              | 4,083        |
| Iowa State University   | 2,853           | 1,010              | 3,863        |
| University of Northern Iowa                                     | 1,647           | 93                 | 1,740        |
| <b>Regent Total</b>   | <b>7,045</b>    | <b>2,641</b>       | <b>9,686</b> |
| <b>NUMBER OF COHORT NONRETURNEES IN FALL 2004</b>               |                 |                    |              |
| University of Iowa  | 424             | 258                | 682          |
| Iowa State University   | 417             | 166                | 583          |
| University of Northern Iowa                                     | 304             | 19                 | 323          |
| <b>Regent Total</b>   | <b>1,145</b>    | <b>443</b>         | <b>1,588</b> |
| <b>NUMBER OF COHORT NONRETURNEES INELIGIBLE TO RETURN</b>       |                 |                    |              |
| University of Iowa  | 144             | 76                 | 220          |
| Iowa State University   | 74              | 23                 | 97           |
| University of Northern Iowa                                     | 84              | 7                  | 91           |
| <b>Regent Total</b>   | <b>302</b>      | <b>106</b>         | <b>408</b>   |
| <b>NUMBER OF COHORT NONRETURNEES NOT AVAILABLE FOR CONTACT*</b> |                 |                    |              |
| University of Iowa  | 1               | 5                  | 6            |
| Iowa State University   | 0               | 3                  | 3            |
| University of Northern Iowa                                     | 4               | 1                  | 5            |
| <b>Regent Total</b>   | <b>5</b>        | <b>9</b>           | <b>14</b>    |
| <b>NUMBER OF COHORT NONRETURNEES CONTACTED</b>                  |                 |                    |              |
| University of Iowa  | 279             | 177                | 456          |
| Iowa State University   | 343             | 141                | 484          |
| University of Northern Iowa                                     | 216             | 11                 | 227          |
| <b>Regent Total</b>   | <b>838</b>      | <b>329</b>         | <b>1,167</b> |
| <b>NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS</b>                                    |                 |                    |              |
| University of Iowa  | 110             | 75                 | 185          |
| Iowa State University   | 112             | 53                 | 165          |
| University of Northern Iowa                                     | 49              | 3                  | 52           |
| <b>Regent Total</b>   | <b>271</b>      | <b>131</b>         | <b>402</b>   |

\*International students; incorrect addresses.

**TABLE 24 - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY - SUMMARY OF FIRST YEAR STUDENT SURVEY  
REGENT TOTAL  
FALL 2005**

|   | RESIDENT      |       |           |       |       |       | NONRESIDENT   |        |           |        |           |        | GRAND TOTAL |       |
|---|---------------|-------|-----------|-------|-------|-------|---------------|--------|-----------|--------|-----------|--------|-------------|-------|
|   | Not Probation |       | Probation |       | Total |       | Not Probation |        | Probation |        | Probation |        | #           | %     |
|   | #             | %     | #         | %     | #     | %     | #             | %      | #         | %      | #         | %      |             |       |
| Number of cohort nonreturnees contacted                 | 664           |       | 174       |       | 838   |       | 290           |        | 39        |        | 329       |        | 1,167       |       |
| Number of respondents                                   | 233           | 35.1% | 38        | 21.8% | 271   | 32.3% | 119           | 41.0%  | 12        | 30.8%  | 131       | 39.8%  | 402         | 34.4% |
| <b>Question 1. Current Employment Status.</b>           |               |       |           |       |       |       |               |        |           |        |           |        |             |       |
| Number employed full-time                               | 31            | 13.3% | 8         | 21.1% | 39    | 14.4% | 7             | 5.9%   | 3         | 25.0%  | 10        | 7.6%   | 49          | 12.2% |
| Number employed part-time                               | 126           | 54.1% | 24        | 63.2% | 150   | 55.4% | 63            | 52.9%  | 4         | 33.3%  | 67        | 51.1%  | 217         | 54.0% |
| Number not employed and not seeking employment          | 48            | 20.6% | 2         | 5.3%  | 50    | 18.5% | 35            | 29.4%  | 0         | 0.0%   | 35        | 26.7%  | 85          | 21.1% |
| Number not employed and seeking employment              | 14            | 6.0%  | 1         | 2.6%  | 15    | 5.5%  | 12            | 10.1%  | 4         | 33.3%  | 16        | 12.2%  | 31          | 7.7%  |
| Number in the Armed Forces                              | 6             | 2.6%  | 2         | 5.3%  | 8     | 3.0%  | 1             | 0.8%   | 1         | 8.3%   | 2         | 1.5%   | 10          | 2.5%  |
| Total   | 225           | 96.6% | 37        | 97.4% | 262   | 96.7% | 118           | 99.2%  | 12        | 100.0% | 130       | 99.2%  | 392         | 97.5% |
| <b>Question 2. Student Status.</b>                      |               |       |           |       |       |       |               |        |           |        |           |        |             |       |
| Number enrolled as a student                            | 202           | 86.7% | 27        | 71.1% | 229   | 84.5% | 112           | 94.1%  | 9         | 75.0%  | 121       | 92.4%  | 350         | 87.1% |
| Number not enrolled as a student                        | 26            | 11.2% | 10        | 26.3% | 36    | 13.3% | 7             | 5.9%   | 3         | 25.0%  | 10        | 7.6%   | 46          | 11.4% |
| Total   | 228           | 97.9% | 37        | 97.4% | 265   | 97.8% | 119           | 100.0% | 12        | 100.0% | 131       | 100.0% | 396         | 98.5% |
| Type of institution enrolled in:                        |               |       |           |       |       |       |               |        |           |        |           |        |             |       |
| Number in another Regent university                     | 52            | 22.3% | 0         | 0.0%  | 52    | 19.2% | 0             | 0.0%   | 0         | 0.0%   | 0         | 0.0%   | 52          | 12.9% |
| Number in an Iowa community college                     | 71            | 30.5% | 27        | 71.1% | 98    | 36.2% | 3             | 2.5%   | 0         | 0.0%   | 3         | 2.3%   | 101         | 25.1% |
| Number in an Iowa private college/university            | 33            | 14.2% | 2         | 5.3%  | 35    | 12.9% | 0             | 0.0%   | 0         | 0.0%   | 0         | 0.0%   | 35          | 8.7%  |
| Number in an out of state institution                   | 32            | 13.7% | 2         | 5.3%  | 34    | 12.5% | 101           | 84.9%  | 8         | 66.7%  | 109       | 83.2%  | 143         | 35.6% |
| Number can't determine type of institution              | 5             | 2.1%  | 0         | 0.0%  | 5     | 1.8%  | 1             | 0.8%   | 1         | 8.3%   | 2         | 1.5%   | 7           | 1.7%  |
| Total   | 193           | 82.8% | 31        | 81.6% | 224   | 82.7% | 105           | 88.2%  | 9         | 75.0%  | 114       | 87.0%  | 338         | 84.1% |
| <b>Question 3. Current Educational Goal.</b>            |               |       |           |       |       |       |               |        |           |        |           |        |             |       |
| Number who chose associate's degree                     | 36            | 15.5% | 5         | 13.2% | 41    | 15.1% | 9             | 7.6%   | 2         | 16.7%  | 11        | 8.4%   | 52          | 12.9% |
| Number who chose bachelor's degree                      | 120           | 51.5% | 13        | 34.2% | 133   | 49.1% | 69            | 58.0%  | 6         | 50.0%  | 75        | 57.3%  | 208         | 51.7% |
| Number who chose graduate or professional degree        | 45            | 19.3% | 6         | 15.8% | 51    | 18.8% | 31            | 26.1%  | 3         | 25.0%  | 34        | 26.0%  | 85          | 21.1% |
| Number who said unsure                                  | 18            | 7.7%  | 9         | 23.7% | 27    | 10.0% | 4             | 3.4%   | 0         | 0.0%   | 4         | 3.1%   | 31          | 7.7%  |
| Number who said other (summarize)                       | 7             | 3.0%  | 4         | 10.5% | 11    | 4.1%  | 5             | 4.2%   | 0         | 0.0%   | 5         | 3.8%   | 16          | 4.0%  |
| Total   | 226           | 97.0% | 37        | 97.4% | 263   | 97.0% | 118           | 99.2%  | 11        | 91.7%  | 129       | 98.5%  | 392         | 97.5% |
| <b>Question 4. Plans to Re-Enroll.</b>                  |               |       |           |       |       |       |               |        |           |        |           |        |             |       |
| Number who plan to re-enroll in same institution        | 41            | 17.6% | 12        | 31.6% | 53    | 19.6% | 12            | 10.1%  | 4         | 33.3%  | 16        | 12.2%  | 69          | 17.2% |
| Number who do not plan to re-enroll in same institution | 175           | 75.1% | 23        | 60.5% | 198   | 73.1% | 103           | 86.6%  | 7         | 58.3%  | 110       | 84.0%  | 308         | 76.6% |
| Total   | 216           | 92.7% | 35        | 92.1% | 251   | 92.6% | 115           | 96.6%  | 11        | 91.7%  | 126       | 96.2%  | 377         | 93.8% |

**TABLE 24A - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY - SUMMARY OF FIRST YEAR STUDENT SURVEY  
UNIVERSITY OF IOWA  
FALL 2005**

|   | RESIDENT      |       |           |        |       |       | NONRESIDENT   |        |           |        |       |        | GRAND TOTAL |       |
|---|---------------|-------|-----------|--------|-------|-------|---------------|--------|-----------|--------|-------|--------|-------------|-------|
|   | Not Probation |       | Probation |        | Total |       | Not Probation |        | Probation |        | Total |        | #           | %     |
|   | #             | %     | #         | %      | #     | %     | #             | %      | #         | %      | #     | %      |             |       |
| Number of cohort nonreturnees contacted                 | 228           |       | 51        |        | 279   |       | 157           |        | 20        |        | 177   |        | 456         |       |
| Number of respondents                                   | 95            | 41.7% | 15        | 29.4%  | 110   | 39.4% | 69            | 43.9%  | 6         | 30.0%  | 75    | 42.4%  | 185         | 40.6% |
| <b>Question 1. Current Employment Status.</b>           |               |       |           |        |       |       |               |        |           |        |       |        |             |       |
| Number employed full-time                               | 13            | 13.7% | 2         | 13.3%  | 15    | 13.6% | 2             | 2.9%   | 0         | 0.0%   | 2     | 2.7%   | 17          | 9.2%  |
| Number employed part-time                               | 51            | 53.7% | 11        | 73.3%  | 62    | 56.4% | 37            | 53.6%  | 4         | 66.7%  | 41    | 54.7%  | 103         | 55.7% |
| Number not employed and not seeking employment          | 20            | 21.1% | 1         | 6.7%   | 21    | 19.1% | 21            | 30.4%  | 0         | 0.0%   | 21    | 28.0%  | 42          | 22.7% |
| Number not employed and seeking employment              | 6             | 6.3%  | 1         | 6.7%   | 7     | 6.4%  | 9             | 13.0%  | 2         | 33.3%  | 11    | 14.7%  | 18          | 9.7%  |
| Number in the Armed Forces                              | 1             | 1.1%  | 0         | 0.0%   | 1     | 0.9%  | 0             | 0.0%   | 0         | 0.0%   | 0     | 0.0%   | 1           | 0.5%  |
| Total   | 91            | 95.8% | 15        | 100.0% | 106   | 96.4% | 69            | 100.0% | 6         | 100.0% | 75    | 100.0% | 181         | 97.8% |
| <b>Question 2. Student Status.</b>                      |               |       |           |        |       |       |               |        |           |        |       |        |             |       |
| Number enrolled as a student                            | 80            | 84.2% | 13        | 86.7%  | 93    | 84.5% | 65            | 94.2%  | 5         | 83.3%  | 70    | 93.3%  | 163         | 88.1% |
| Number not enrolled as a student                        | 13            | 13.7% | 2         | 13.3%  | 15    | 13.6% | 4             | 5.8%   | 1         | 16.7%  | 5     | 6.7%   | 20          | 10.8% |
| Total   | 93            | 97.9% | 15        | 100.0% | 108   | 98.2% | 69            | 100.0% | 6         | 100.0% | 75    | 100.0% | 183         | 98.9% |
| Type of institution enrolled in:                        |               |       |           |        |       |       |               |        |           |        |       |        |             |       |
| Number in another Regent university                     | 21            | 22.1% | 0         | 0.0%   | 21    | 19.1% | 0             | 0.0%   | 0         | 0.0%   | 0     | 0.0%   | 21          | 11.4% |
| Number in an Iowa community college                     | 31            | 32.6% | 11        | 73.3%  | 42    | 38.2% | 2             | 2.9%   | 0         | 0.0%   | 2     | 2.7%   | 44          | 23.8% |
| Number in an Iowa private college/university            | 13            | 13.7% | 1         | 6.7%   | 14    | 12.7% | 0             | 0.0%   | 0         | 0.0%   | 0     | 0.0%   | 14          | 7.6%  |
| Number in an out of state institution                   | 11            | 11.6% | 1         | 6.7%   | 12    | 10.9% | 62            | 89.9%  | 4         | 66.7%  | 66    | 88.0%  | 78          | 42.2% |
| Number can't determine type of institution              | 4             | 4.2%  | 0         | 0.0%   | 4     | 3.6%  | 1             | 1.4%   | 1         | 16.7%  | 2     | 2.7%   | 6           | 3.2%  |
| Total   | 80            | 84.2% | 13        | 86.7%  | 93    | 84.5% | 65            | 94.2%  | 5         | 83.3%  | 70    | 93.3%  | 163         | 88.1% |
| <b>Question 3. Current Educational Goal.</b>            |               |       |           |        |       |       |               |        |           |        |       |        |             |       |
| Number who chose associate's degree                     | 13            | 13.7% | 1         | 6.7%   | 14    | 12.7% | 4             | 5.8%   | 1         | 16.7%  | 5     | 6.7%   | 19          | 10.3% |
| Number who chose bachelor's degree                      | 51            | 53.7% | 7         | 46.7%  | 58    | 52.7% | 39            | 56.5%  | 3         | 50.0%  | 42    | 56.0%  | 100         | 54.1% |
| Number who chose graduate or professional degree        | 22            | 23.2% | 2         | 13.3%  | 24    | 21.8% | 18            | 26.1%  | 1         | 16.7%  | 19    | 25.3%  | 43          | 23.2% |
| Number who said unsure                                  | 4             | 4.2%  | 4         | 26.7%  | 8     | 7.3%  | 2             | 2.9%   | 0         | 0.0%   | 2     | 2.7%   | 10          | 5.4%  |
| Number who said other (summarize)                       | 3             | 3.2%  | 1         | 6.7%   | 4     | 3.6%  | 5             | 7.2%   | 0         | 0.0%   | 5     | 6.7%   | 9           | 4.9%  |
| Total   | 93            | 97.9% | 15        | 100.0% | 108   | 98.2% | 68            | 98.6%  | 5         | 83.3%  | 73    | 97.3%  | 181         | 97.8% |
| <b>Question 4. Plans to Re-Enroll.</b>                  |               |       |           |        |       |       |               |        |           |        |       |        |             |       |
| Number who plan to re-enroll in same institution        | 20            | 21.1% | 6         | 40.0%  | 26    | 23.6% | 7             | 10.1%  | 3         | 50.0%  | 10    | 13.3%  | 36          | 19.5% |
| Number who do not plan to re-enroll in same institution | 69            | 72.6% | 9         | 60.0%  | 78    | 70.9% | 60            | 87.0%  | 2         | 33.3%  | 62    | 82.7%  | 140         | 75.7% |
| Total   | 89            | 93.7% | 15        | 100.0% | 104   | 94.5% | 67            | 97.1%  | 5         | 83.3%  | 72    | 96.0%  | 176         | 95.1% |

**TABLE 24B - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY(NPS) - SUMMARY OF FIRST YEAR STUDENT SURVEY  
IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY  
FALL 2005**

|   | RESIDENT      |       |           |       |       |       | NONRESIDENT   |        |           |        |       |        | GRAND TOTAL |       |
|---|---------------|-------|-----------|-------|-------|-------|---------------|--------|-----------|--------|-------|--------|-------------|-------|
|   | Not Probation |       | Probation |       | Total |       | Not Probation |        | Probation |        | Total |        | #           | %     |
|   | #             | %     | #         | %     | #     | %     | #             | %      | #         | %      | #     | %      |             |       |
| Number of cohort nonreturnees contacted                 | 265           |       | 78        |       | 343   |       | 124           |        | 17        |        | 141   |        | 484         |       |
| Number of respondents                                   | 96            | 36.2% | 16        | 20.5% | 112   | 32.7% | 48            | 38.7%  | 5         | 29.4%  | 53    | 37.6%  | 165         | 34.1% |
| <b>Question 1. Current Employment Status.</b>           |               |       |           |       |       |       |               |        |           |        |       |        |             |       |
| Number employed full-time                               | 13            | 13.5% | 5         | 31.3% | 18    | 16.1% | 4             | 8.3%   | 3         | 60.0%  | 7     | 13.2%  | 25          | 15.2% |
| Number employed part-time                               | 52            | 54.2% | 8         | 50.0% | 60    | 53.6% | 25            | 52.1%  | 0         | 0.0%   | 25    | 47.2%  | 85          | 51.5% |
| Number not employed and not seeking employment          | 18            | 18.8% | 0         | 0.0%  | 18    | 16.1% | 14            | 29.2%  | 0         | 0.0%   | 14    | 26.4%  | 32          | 19.4% |
| Number not employed and seeking employment              | 5             | 5.2%  | 0         | 0.0%  | 5     | 4.5%  | 3             | 6.3%   | 1         | 20.0%  | 4     | 7.5%   | 9           | 5.5%  |
| Number in the Armed Forces                              | 4             | 4.2%  | 2         | 12.5% | 6     | 5.4%  | 1             | 2.1%   | 1         | 20.0%  | 2     | 3.8%   | 8           | 4.8%  |
| Total   | 92            | 95.8% | 15        | 93.8% | 107   | 95.5% | 47            | 97.9%  | 5         | 100.0% | 52    | 98.1%  | 159         | 96.4% |
| <b>Question 2. Student Status.</b>                      |               |       |           |       |       |       |               |        |           |        |       |        |             |       |
| Number enrolled as a student                            | 84            | 87.5% | 7         | 43.8% | 91    | 81.3% | 45            | 93.8%  | 3         | 60.0%  | 48    | 90.6%  | 139         | 84.2% |
| Number not enrolled as a student                        | 9             | 9.4%  | 8         | 50.0% | 17    | 15.2% | 3             | 6.3%   | 2         | 40.0%  | 5     | 9.4%   | 22          | 13.3% |
| Total   | 93            | 96.9% | 15        | 93.8% | 108   | 96.4% | 48            | 100.0% | 5         | 100.0% | 53    | 100.0% | 161         | 97.6% |
| Type of institution enrolled in:                        |               |       |           |       |       |       |               |        |           |        |       |        |             |       |
| Number in another Regent university                     | 20            | 20.8% | 0         | 0.0%  | 20    | 17.9% | 0             | 0.0%   | 0         | 0.0%   | 0     | 0.0%   | 20          | 12.1% |
| Number in an Iowa community college                     | 29            | 30.2% | 11        | 68.8% | 40    | 35.7% | 1             | 2.1%   | 0         | 0.0%   | 1     | 1.9%   | 41          | 24.8% |
| Number in an Iowa private college/university            | 12            | 12.5% | 0         | 0.0%  | 12    | 10.7% | 0             | 0.0%   | 0         | 0.0%   | 0     | 0.0%   | 12          | 7.3%  |
| Number in an out of state institution                   | 14            | 14.6% | 0         | 0.0%  | 14    | 12.5% | 37            | 77.1%  | 3         | 60.0%  | 40    | 75.5%  | 54          | 32.7% |
| Number can't determine type of institution              | 0             | 0.0%  | 0         | 0.0%  | 0     | 0.0%  | 0             | 0.0%   | 0         | 0.0%   | 0     | 0.0%   | 0           | 0.0%  |
| Total   | 75            | 78.1% | 11        | 68.8% | 86    | 76.8% | 38            | 79.2%  | 3         | 60.0%  | 41    | 77.4%  | 127         | 77.0% |
| <b>Question 3. Current Educational Goal.</b>            |               |       |           |       |       |       |               |        |           |        |       |        |             |       |
| Number who chose associate's degree                     | 16            | 16.7% | 3         | 18.8% | 19    | 17.0% | 5             | 10.4%  | 1         | 20.0%  | 6     | 11.3%  | 25          | 15.2% |
| Number who chose bachelor's degree                      | 47            | 49.0% | 3         | 18.8% | 50    | 44.6% | 28            | 58.3%  | 3         | 60.0%  | 31    | 58.5%  | 81          | 49.1% |
| Number who chose graduate or professional degree        | 16            | 16.7% | 2         | 12.5% | 18    | 16.1% | 13            | 27.1%  | 1         | 20.0%  | 14    | 26.4%  | 32          | 19.4% |
| Number who said unsure                                  | 10            | 10.4% | 5         | 31.3% | 15    | 13.4% | 2             | 4.2%   | 0         | 0.0%   | 2     | 3.8%   | 17          | 10.3% |
| Number who said other (summarize)                       | 2             | 2.1%  | 2         | 12.5% | 4     | 3.6%  | 0             | 0.0%   | 0         | 0.0%   | 0     | 0.0%   | 4           | 2.4%  |
| Total   | 91            | 94.8% | 15        | 93.8% | 106   | 94.6% | 48            | 100.0% | 5         | 100.0% | 53    | 100.0% | 159         | 96.4% |
| <b>Question 4. Plans to Re-Enroll.</b>                  |               |       |           |       |       |       |               |        |           |        |       |        |             |       |
| Number who plan to re-enroll in same institution        | 17            | 17.7% | 4         | 25.0% | 21    | 18.8% | 5             | 10.4%  | 1         | 20.0%  | 6     | 11.3%  | 27          | 16.4% |
| Number who do not plan to re-enroll in same institution | 68            | 70.8% | 9         | 56.3% | 77    | 68.8% | 41            | 85.4%  | 4         | 80.0%  | 45    | 84.9%  | 122         | 73.9% |
| Total   | 85            | 88.5% | 13        | 81.3% | 98    | 87.5% | 46            | 95.8%  | 5         | 100.0% | 51    | 96.2%  | 149         | 90.3% |

**TABLE 24C - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY- SUMMARY OF FIRST YEAR STUDENT SURVEY  
UNIVERSITY OF NORTHERN IOWA  
FALL 2005**

|   | RESIDENT      |        |           |        |       |        | NONRESIDENT   |        |           |        |       |        | GRAND TOTAL |        |
|---|---------------|--------|-----------|--------|-------|--------|---------------|--------|-----------|--------|-------|--------|-------------|--------|
|   | Not Probation |        | Probation |        | Total |        | Not Probation |        | Probation |        | Total |        | #           | %      |
|   | #             | %      | #         | %      | #     | %      | #             | %      | #         | %      | #     | %      |             |        |
| Number of cohort nonreturnees contacted                 | 171           |        | 45        |        | 216   |        | 9             |        | 2         |        | 11    |        | 227         |        |
| Number of respondents                                   | 42            | 24.6%  | 7         | 15.6%  | 49    | 22.7%  | 2             | 22.2%  | 1         | 50.0%  | 3     | 27.3%  | 52          | 22.9%  |
| <b>Question 1. Current Employment Status.</b>           |               |        |           |        |       |        |               |        |           |        |       |        |             |        |
| Number employed full-time                               | 5             | 11.9%  | 1         | 14.3%  | 6     | 12.2%  | 1             | 50.0%  | 0         | 0.0%   | 1     | 33.3%  | 7           | 13.5%  |
| Number employed part-time                               | 23            | 54.8%  | 5         | 71.4%  | 28    | 57.1%  | 1             | 50.0%  | 0         | 0.0%   | 1     | 33.3%  | 29          | 55.8%  |
| Number not employed and not seeking employment          | 10            | 23.8%  | 1         | 14.3%  | 11    | 22.4%  | 0             | 0.0%   | 0         | 0.0%   | 0     | 0.0%   | 11          | 21.2%  |
| Number not employed and seeking employment              | 3             | 7.1%   | 0         | 0.0%   | 3     | 6.1%   | 0             | 0.0%   | 1         | 100.0% | 1     | 33.3%  | 4           | 7.7%   |
| Number in the Armed Forces                              | 1             | 2.4%   | 0         | 0.0%   | 1     | 2.0%   | 0             | 0.0%   | 0         | 0.0%   | 0     | 0.0%   | 1           | 1.9%   |
| Total   | 42            | 100.0% | 7         | 100.0% | 49    | 100.0% | 2             | 100.0% | 1         | 100.0% | 3     | 100.0% | 52          | 100.0% |
| <b>Question 2. Student Status.</b>                      |               |        |           |        |       |        |               |        |           |        |       |        |             |        |
| Number enrolled as a student                            | 38            | 90.5%  | 7         | 100.0% | 45    | 91.8%  | 2             | 100.0% | 1         | 100.0% | 3     | 100.0% | 48          | 92.3%  |
| Number not enrolled as a student                        | 4             | 9.5%   | 0         | 0.0%   | 4     | 8.2%   | 0             | 0.0%   | 0         | 0.0%   | 0     | 0.0%   | 4           | 7.7%   |
| Total   | 42            | 100.0% | 7         | 100.0% | 49    | 100.0% | 2             | 100.0% | 1         | 100.0% | 3     | 100.0% | 52          | 100.0% |
| Type of institution enrolled in:                        |               |        |           |        |       |        |               |        |           |        |       |        |             |        |
| Number in another Regent university                     | 11            | 26.2%  | 0         | 0.0%   | 11    | 22.4%  | 0             | 0.0%   | 0         | 0.0%   | 0     | 0.0%   | 11          | 21.2%  |
| Number in an Iowa community college                     | 11            | 26.2%  | 5         | 71.4%  | 16    | 32.7%  | 0             | 0.0%   | 0         | 0.0%   | 0     | 0.0%   | 16          | 30.8%  |
| Number in an Iowa private college/university            | 8             | 19.0%  | 1         | 14.3%  | 9     | 18.4%  | 0             | 0.0%   | 0         | 0.0%   | 0     | 0.0%   | 9           | 17.3%  |
| Number in an out of state institution                   | 7             | 16.7%  | 1         | 14.3%  | 8     | 16.3%  | 2             | 100.0% | 1         | 100.0% | 3     | 100.0% | 11          | 21.2%  |
| Number can't determine type of institution              | 1             | 2.4%   | 0         | 0.0%   | 1     | 2.0%   | 0             | 0.0%   | 0         | 0.0%   | 0     | 0.0%   | 1           | 1.9%   |
| Total   | 38            | 90.5%  | 7         | 100.0% | 45    | 91.8%  | 2             | 100.0% | 1         | 100.0% | 3     | 100.0% | 48          | 92.3%  |
| <b>Question 3. Current Educational Goal.</b>            |               |        |           |        |       |        |               |        |           |        |       |        |             |        |
| Number who chose associate's degree                     | 7             | 16.7%  | 1         | 14.3%  | 8     | 16.3%  | 0             | 0.0%   | 0         | 0.0%   | 0     | 0.0%   | 8           | 15.4%  |
| Number who chose bachelor's degree                      | 22            | 52.4%  | 3         | 42.9%  | 25    | 51.0%  | 2             | 100.0% | 0         | 0.0%   | 2     | 66.7%  | 27          | 51.9%  |
| Number who chose graduate or professional degree        | 7             | 16.7%  | 2         | 28.6%  | 9     | 18.4%  | 0             | 0.0%   | 1         | 100.0% | 1     | 33.3%  | 10          | 19.2%  |
| Number who said unsure                                  | 4             | 9.5%   | 0         | 0.0%   | 4     | 8.2%   | 0             | 0.0%   | 0         | 0.0%   | 0     | 0.0%   | 4           | 7.7%   |
| Number who said other (summarize)                       | 2             | 4.8%   | 1         | 14.3%  | 3     | 6.1%   | 0             | 0.0%   | 0         | 0.0%   | 0     | 0.0%   | 3           | 5.8%   |
| Total   | 42            | 100.0% | 7         | 100.0% | 49    | 100.0% | 2             | 100.0% | 1         | 100.0% | 3     | 100.0% | 52          | 100.0% |
| <b>Question 4. Plans to Re-Enroll.</b>                  |               |        |           |        |       |        |               |        |           |        |       |        |             |        |
| Number who plan to re-enroll in same institution        | 4             | 9.5%   | 2         | 28.6%  | 6     | 12.2%  | 0             | 0.0%   | 0         | 0.0%   | 0     | 0.0%   | 6           | 11.5%  |
| Number who do not plan to re-enroll in same institution | 38            | 90.5%  | 5         | 71.4%  | 43    | 87.8%  | 2             | 100.0% | 1         | 100.0% | 3     | 100.0% | 46          | 88.5%  |
| Total   | 42            | 100.0% | 7         | 100.0% | 49    | 100.0% | 2             | 100.0% | 1         | 100.0% | 3     | 100.0% | 52          | 100.0% |

**TABLE 25 - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
PART II - RESIDENTS NOT ON PROBATION  
REGENT TOTAL  
FALL 2005**

| NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS                                   | 233          |         |              |         |                                |         |
|---|--------------|---------|--------------|---------|--------------------------------|---------|
|   | Major Reason |         | Minor Reason |         | Not a Reason<br>or No Response |         |
|   | Number       | Percent | Number       | Percent | Number                         | Percent |
| <b>Academic Reasons - Student</b>                       |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 5. Academically unprepared for course(s)                | 10           | 4.3%    | 30           | 12.9%   | 193                            | 82.8%   |
| 6. Poor academic performance                            | 13           | 5.6%    | 38           | 16.3%   | 182                            | 78.1%   |
| 8. Inadequate study techniques or habits                | 15           | 6.4%    | 29           | 12.4%   | 189                            | 81.1%   |
| 13. Undecided about my major or vocation                | 44           | 18.9%   | 41           | 17.6%   | 148                            | 63.5%   |
| <b>Academic Reasons - Institutional</b>                 |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 7. Courses were not interesting                         | 11           | 4.7%    | 35           | 15.0%   | 187                            | 80.3%   |
| 9. Desired program was not available                    | 51           | 21.9%   | 26           | 11.2%   | 156                            | 67.0%   |
| 10. Quality of instruction did not meet my expectations | 26           | 11.2%   | 46           | 19.7%   | 161                            | 69.1%   |
| 11. Needed courses not available                        | 33           | 14.2%   | 23           | 9.9%    | 177                            | 76.0%   |
| 12. Classes too large                                   | 51           | 21.9%   | 35           | 15.0%   | 147                            | 63.1%   |
| <b>Financial Reasons</b>                                |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 14. Did not have enough money to continue               | 23           | 9.9%    | 27           | 11.6%   | 183                            | 78.5%   |
| 15. Change in family financial circumstances            | 11           | 4.7%    | 16           | 6.9%    | 206                            | 88.4%   |
| 16. Incurred too much debt                              | 15           | 6.4%    | 21           | 9.0%    | 197                            | 84.5%   |
| 17. Scholarship/grant was not renewed                   | 9            | 3.9%    | 4            | 1.7%    | 220                            | 94.4%   |
| 18. Financial aid was not sufficient                    | 22           | 9.4%    | 32           | 13.7%   | 179                            | 76.8%   |
| 19. Transferred to a lower cost institution             | 46           | 19.7%   | 46           | 19.7%   | 141                            | 60.5%   |
| 20. Increases in tuition and fees                       | 23           | 9.9%    | 47           | 20.2%   | 163                            | 70.0%   |
| <b>Personal Reasons</b>                                 |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 21. Medical (physical)                                  | 7            | 3.0%    | 7            | 3.0%    | 219                            | 94.0%   |
| 22. Emotional (depression/anxiety)                      | 33           | 14.2%   | 46           | 19.7%   | 154                            | 66.1%   |
| 23. Addiction (alcohol/drugs)                           | 1            | 0.4%    | 5            | 2.1%    | 227                            | 97.4%   |
| 24. Family illness/responsibility                       | 13           | 5.6%    | 9            | 3.9%    | 211                            | 90.6%   |
| 25. Housing was unsatisfactory                          | 23           | 9.9%    | 28           | 12.0%   | 182                            | 78.1%   |
| 26. Homesick  | 14           | 6.0%    | 36           | 15.5%   | 183                            | 78.5%   |
| 27. Unmotivated or tired of school                      | 13           | 5.6%    | 30           | 12.9%   | 190                            | 81.5%   |
| 28. Too much social life                                | 7            | 3.0%    | 22           | 9.4%    | 204                            | 87.6%   |
| 29. Military obligations                                | 5            | 2.1%    | 1            | 0.4%    | 227                            | 97.4%   |
| 30. Issues with roommate or other students              | 19           | 8.2%    | 25           | 10.7%   | 189                            | 81.1%   |
| 31. Moved out of the area                               | 15           | 6.4%    | 10           | 4.3%    | 208                            | 89.3%   |
| 32. Insufficient time for both job and studies          | 7            | 3.0%    | 15           | 6.4%    | 211                            | 90.6%   |
| 33. Did not achieve a feeling of belonging              | 42           | 18.0%   | 44           | 18.9%   | 147                            | 63.1%   |
| 34. Afraid for personal safety                          | 7            | 3.0%    | 15           | 6.4%    | 211                            | 90.6%   |

**TABLE 25A - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
PART II - RESIDENTS NOT ON PROBATION  
UNIVERSITY OF IOWA  
FALL 2005**

| NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS                                   | 95           |         |              |         |                                |         |
|---|--------------|---------|--------------|---------|--------------------------------|---------|
|   | Major Reason |         | Minor Reason |         | Not a Reason<br>or No Response |         |
|   | Number       | Percent | Number       | Percent | Number                         | Percent |
| <b>Academic Reasons - Student</b>                       |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 5. Academically unprepared for course(s)                | 4            | 4.2%    | 9            | 9.5%    | 82                             | 86.3%   |
| 6. Poor academic performance                            | 6            | 6.3%    | 17           | 17.9%   | 72                             | 75.8%   |
| 8. Inadequate study techniques or habits                | 3            | 3.2%    | 13           | 13.7%   | 79                             | 83.2%   |
| 13. Undecided about my major or vocation                | 12           | 12.6%   | 15           | 15.8%   | 68                             | 71.6%   |
| <b>Academic Reasons - Institutional</b>                 |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 7. Courses were not interesting                         | 4            | 4.2%    | 13           | 13.7%   | 78                             | 82.1%   |
| 9. Desired program was not available                    | 13           | 13.7%   | 7            | 7.4%    | 75                             | 78.9%   |
| 10. Quality of instruction did not meet my expectations | 17           | 17.9%   | 20           | 21.1%   | 58                             | 61.1%   |
| 11. Needed courses not available                        | 5            | 5.3%    | 9            | 9.5%    | 81                             | 85.3%   |
| 12. Classes too large                                   | 21           | 22.1%   | 19           | 20.0%   | 55                             | 57.9%   |
| <b>Financial Reasons</b>                                |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 14. Did not have enough money to continue               | 12           | 12.6%   | 12           | 12.6%   | 71                             | 74.7%   |
| 15. Change in family financial circumstances            | 7            | 7.4%    | 7            | 7.4%    | 81                             | 85.3%   |
| 16. Incurred too much debt                              | 9            | 9.5%    | 7            | 7.4%    | 79                             | 83.2%   |
| 17. Scholarship/grant was not renewed                   | 5            | 5.3%    | 2            | 2.1%    | 88                             | 92.6%   |
| 18. Financial aid was not sufficient                    | 12           | 12.6%   | 13           | 13.7%   | 70                             | 73.7%   |
| 19. Transferred to a lower cost institution             | 15           | 15.8%   | 22           | 23.2%   | 58                             | 61.1%   |
| 20. Increases in tuition and fees                       | 10           | 10.5%   | 17           | 17.9%   | 68                             | 71.6%   |
| <b>Personal Reasons</b>                                 |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 21. Medical (physical)                                  | 2            | 2.1%    | 3            | 3.2%    | 90                             | 94.7%   |
| 22. Emotional (depression/anxiety)                      | 14           | 14.7%   | 19           | 20.0%   | 62                             | 65.3%   |
| 23. Addiction (alcohol/drugs)                           | 1            | 1.1%    | 1            | 1.1%    | 93                             | 97.9%   |
| 24. Family illness/responsibility                       | 8            | 8.4%    | 3            | 3.2%    | 84                             | 88.4%   |
| 25. Housing was unsatisfactory                          | 13           | 13.7%   | 11           | 11.6%   | 71                             | 74.7%   |
| 26. Homesick  | 2            | 2.1%    | 19           | 20.0%   | 74                             | 77.9%   |
| 27. Unmotivated or tired of school                      | 1            | 1.1%    | 14           | 14.7%   | 80                             | 84.2%   |
| 28. Too much social life                                | 3            | 3.2%    | 9            | 9.5%    | 83                             | 87.4%   |
| 29. Military obligations                                | 1            | 1.1%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 94                             | 98.9%   |
| 30. Issues with roommate or other students              | 12           | 12.6%   | 14           | 14.7%   | 69                             | 72.6%   |
| 31. Moved out of the area                               | 7            | 7.4%    | 4            | 4.2%    | 84                             | 88.4%   |
| 32. Insufficient time for both job and studies          | 5            | 5.3%    | 7            | 7.4%    | 83                             | 87.4%   |
| 33. Did not achieve a feeling of belonging              | 23           | 24.2%   | 20           | 21.1%   | 52                             | 54.7%   |
| 34. Afraid for personal safety                          | 5            | 5.3%    | 9            | 9.5%    | 81                             | 85.3%   |

**TABLE 25B - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
PART II - RESIDENTS NOT ON PROBATION  
IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY  
FALL 2005**

| NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS                                   | 96           |         |              |         |                                |         |
|---|--------------|---------|--------------|---------|--------------------------------|---------|
|   | Major Reason |         | Minor Reason |         | Not a Reason<br>or No Response |         |
|   | Number       | Percent | Number       | Percent | Number                         | Percent |
| <b>Academic Reasons - Student</b>                       |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 5. Academically unprepared for course(s)                | 5            | 5.2%    | 16           | 16.7%   | 75                             | 78.1%   |
| 6. Poor academic performance                            | 6            | 6.3%    | 17           | 17.7%   | 73                             | 76.0%   |
| 7. Inadequate study techniques or habits                | 9            | 9.4%    | 11           | 11.5%   | 76                             | 79.2%   |
| 8. Undecided about my major or vocation                 | 24           | 25.0%   | 18           | 18.8%   | 54                             | 56.3%   |
| <b>Academic Reasons - Institutional</b>                 |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 9. Courses were not interesting                         | 4            | 4.2%    | 13           | 13.5%   | 79                             | 82.3%   |
| 10. Desired program was not available                   | 27           | 28.1%   | 11           | 11.5%   | 58                             | 60.4%   |
| 11. Quality of instruction did not meet my expectations | 6            | 6.3%    | 20           | 20.8%   | 70                             | 72.9%   |
| 12. Needed courses not available                        | 20           | 20.8%   | 10           | 10.4%   | 66                             | 68.8%   |
| 13. Classes too large                                   | 22           | 22.9%   | 11           | 11.5%   | 63                             | 65.6%   |
| <b>Financial Reasons</b>                                |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 14. Did not have enough money to continue               | 8            | 8.3%    | 12           | 12.5%   | 76                             | 79.2%   |
| 15. Change in family financial circumstances            | 3            | 3.1%    | 7            | 7.3%    | 86                             | 89.6%   |
| 16. Incurred too much debt                              | 6            | 6.3%    | 10           | 10.4%   | 80                             | 83.3%   |
| 17. Scholarship/grant was not renewed                   | 2            | 2.1%    | 2            | 2.1%    | 92                             | 95.8%   |
| 18. Financial aid was not sufficient                    | 9            | 9.4%    | 14           | 14.6%   | 73                             | 76.0%   |
| 19. Transferred to a lower cost institution             | 21           | 21.9%   | 21           | 21.9%   | 54                             | 56.3%   |
| 20. Increases in tuition and fees                       | 10           | 10.4%   | 23           | 24.0%   | 63                             | 65.6%   |
| <b>Personal Reasons</b>                                 |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 21. Medical (physical)                                  | 3            | 3.1%    | 4            | 4.2%    | 89                             | 92.7%   |
| 22. Emotional (depression/anxiety)                      | 16           | 16.7%   | 19           | 19.8%   | 61                             | 63.5%   |
| 23. Addiction (alcohol/drugs)                           | 0            | 0.0%    | 4            | 4.2%    | 92                             | 95.8%   |
| 24. Family illness/responsibility                       | 4            | 4.2%    | 5            | 5.2%    | 87                             | 90.6%   |
| 25. Housing was unsatisfactory                          | 8            | 8.3%    | 10           | 10.4%   | 78                             | 81.3%   |
| 26. Homesick  | 10           | 10.4%   | 13           | 13.5%   | 73                             | 76.0%   |
| 27. Unmotivated or tired of school                      | 8            | 8.3%    | 13           | 13.5%   | 75                             | 78.1%   |
| 28. Too much social life                                | 3            | 3.1%    | 8            | 8.3%    | 85                             | 88.5%   |
| 29. Military obligations                                | 3            | 3.1%    | 1            | 1.0%    | 92                             | 95.8%   |
| 30. Issues with roommate or other students              | 5            | 5.2%    | 7            | 7.3%    | 84                             | 87.5%   |
| 31. Moved out of the area                               | 6            | 6.3%    | 3            | 3.1%    | 87                             | 90.6%   |
| 32. Insufficient time for both job and studies          | 1            | 1.0%    | 6            | 6.3%    | 89                             | 92.7%   |
| 33. Did not achieve a feeling of belonging              | 11           | 11.5%   | 20           | 20.8%   | 65                             | 67.7%   |
| 34. Afraid for personal safety                          | 0            | 0.0%    | 5            | 5.2%    | 91                             | 94.8%   |

**TABLE 25C - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
PART II - RESIDENTS NOT ON PROBATION  
UNIVERSITY OF NORTHERN IOWA  
FALL 2005**

| NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS                                   | 42           |         |              |         |                                |         |
|---|--------------|---------|--------------|---------|--------------------------------|---------|
|   | Major Reason |         | Minor Reason |         | Not a Reason<br>or No Response |         |
|   | Number       | Percent | Number       | Percent | Number                         | Percent |
| <b>Academic Reasons - Student</b>                       |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 5. Academically unprepared for course(s)                | 1            | 2.4%    | 5            | 11.9%   | 36                             | 85.7%   |
| 6. Poor academic performance                            | 1            | 2.4%    | 4            | 9.5%    | 37                             | 88.1%   |
| 8. Inadequate study techniques or habits                | 3            | 7.1%    | 5            | 11.9%   | 34                             | 81.0%   |
| 13. Undecided about my major or vocation                | 8            | 19.0%   | 8            | 19.0%   | 26                             | 61.9%   |
| <b>Academic Reasons - Institutional</b>                 |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 7. Courses were not interesting                         | 3            | 7.1%    | 9            | 21.4%   | 30                             | 71.4%   |
| 9. Desired program was not available                    | 11           | 26.2%   | 8            | 19.0%   | 23                             | 54.8%   |
| 10. Quality of instruction did not meet my expectations | 3            | 7.1%    | 6            | 14.3%   | 33                             | 78.6%   |
| 11. Needed courses not available                        | 8            | 19.0%   | 4            | 9.5%    | 30                             | 71.4%   |
| 12. Classes too large                                   | 8            | 19.0%   | 5            | 11.9%   | 29                             | 69.0%   |
| <b>Financial Reasons</b>                                |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 14. Did not have enough money to continue               | 3            | 7.1%    | 3            | 7.1%    | 36                             | 85.7%   |
| 15. Change in family financial circumstances            | 1            | 2.4%    | 2            | 4.8%    | 39                             | 92.9%   |
| 16. Incurred too much debt                              | 0            | 0.0%    | 4            | 9.5%    | 38                             | 90.5%   |
| 17. Scholarship/grant was not renewed                   | 2            | 4.8%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 40                             | 95.2%   |
| 18. Financial aid was not sufficient                    | 1            | 2.4%    | 5            | 11.9%   | 36                             | 85.7%   |
| 19. Transferred to a lower cost institution             | 10           | 23.8%   | 3            | 7.1%    | 29                             | 69.0%   |
| 20. Increases in tuition and fees                       | 3            | 7.1%    | 7            | 16.7%   | 32                             | 76.2%   |
| <b>Personal Reasons</b>                                 |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 21. Medical (physical)                                  | 2            | 4.8%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 40                             | 95.2%   |
| 22. Emotional (depression/anxiety)                      | 3            | 7.1%    | 8            | 19.0%   | 31                             | 73.8%   |
| 23. Addiction (alcohol/drugs)                           | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 42                             | 100.0%  |
| 24. Family illness/responsibility                       | 1            | 2.4%    | 1            | 2.4%    | 40                             | 95.2%   |
| 25. Housing was unsatisfactory                          | 2            | 4.8%    | 7            | 16.7%   | 33                             | 78.6%   |
| 26. Homesick  | 2            | 4.8%    | 4            | 9.5%    | 36                             | 85.7%   |
| 27. Unmotivated or tired of school                      | 4            | 9.5%    | 3            | 7.1%    | 35                             | 83.3%   |
| 28. Too much social life                                | 1            | 2.4%    | 5            | 11.9%   | 36                             | 85.7%   |
| 29. Military obligations                                | 1            | 2.4%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 41                             | 97.6%   |
| 30. Issues with roommate or other students              | 2            | 4.8%    | 4            | 9.5%    | 36                             | 85.7%   |
| 31. Moved out of the area                               | 2            | 4.8%    | 3            | 7.1%    | 37                             | 88.1%   |
| 32. Insufficient time for both job and studies          | 1            | 2.4%    | 2            | 4.8%    | 39                             | 92.9%   |
| 33. Did not achieve a feeling of belonging              | 8            | 19.0%   | 4            | 9.5%    | 30                             | 71.4%   |
| 34. Afraid for personal safety                          | 2            | 4.8%    | 1            | 2.4%    | 39                             | 92.9%   |

**TABLE 25C - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
PART II - RESIDENTS NOT ON PROBATION  
UNIVERSITY OF NORTHERN IOWA  
FALL 2005**

**Other Reasons**

Fiance too far away  
Way too impersonal of a school  
Will be attending medical school  
Too big  
Too far from home  
Felt lost in the education program; needed help with concerns  
Felt unsafe in dorms  
Felt like a number in a large program  
Boring night life; no sports  
Too much alcohol and drugs on and around campus, including in the dorms  
Uncertain of educational goals; decided to explore at lower cost community college  
Too small of a school; small selection of classes  
Was not academically challenged at UNI (was Provost scholar); ISU is a better individual fit for me  
Lack of diversity  
Didn't have my major  
Too large of a campus  
Roommate problems and nothing done about it  
Had a baby  
Transferred to school that offered film production  
Transferred to play baseball  
Accepted at University of Iowa Music Therapy program  
Mindset of students - closed minded

**TABLE 26 - NPS  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
PART II - RESIDENTS ON PROBATION  
REGENT TOTAL  
FALL 2005**

| NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS                                   | 38           |         |              |         | Not a Reason<br>or No Response |         |
|---|--------------|---------|--------------|---------|--------------------------------|---------|
|   | Major Reason |         | Minor Reason |         |                                |         |
|   | Number       | Percent | Number       | Percent | Number                         | Percent |
| <b>Academic Reasons - Student</b>                       |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 5. Academically unprepared for course(s)                | 4            | 10.5%   | 9            | 23.7%   | 25                             | 65.8%   |
| 6. Poor academic performance                            | 7            | 18.4%   | 17           | 44.7%   | 14                             | 36.8%   |
| 7. Inadequate study techniques or habits                | 12           | 31.6%   | 7            | 18.4%   | 19                             | 50.0%   |
| 8. Undecided about my major or vocation                 | 12           | 31.6%   | 8            | 21.1%   | 18                             | 47.4%   |
| <b>Academic Reasons - Institutional</b>                 |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 9. Courses were not interesting                         | 10           | 26.3%   | 9            | 23.7%   | 19                             | 50.0%   |
| 10. Desired program was not available                   | 5            | 13.2%   | 9            | 23.7%   | 24                             | 63.2%   |
| 11. Quality of instruction did not meet my expectations | 10           | 26.3%   | 5            | 13.2%   | 23                             | 60.5%   |
| 12. Needed courses not available                        | 4            | 10.5%   | 4            | 10.5%   | 30                             | 78.9%   |
| 13. Classes too large                                   | 11           | 28.9%   | 9            | 23.7%   | 18                             | 47.4%   |
| <b>Financial Reasons</b>                                |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 14. Did not have enough money to continue               | 7            | 18.4%   | 6            | 15.8%   | 25                             | 65.8%   |
| 15. Change in family financial circumstances            | 4            | 10.5%   | 5            | 13.2%   | 29                             | 76.3%   |
| 16. Incurred too much debt                              | 3            | 7.9%    | 12           | 31.6%   | 23                             | 60.5%   |
| 17. Scholarship/grant was not renewed                   | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 38                             | 100.0%  |
| 18. Financial aid was not sufficient                    | 6            | 15.8%   | 2            | 5.3%    | 30                             | 78.9%   |
| 19. Transferred to a lower cost institution             | 13           | 34.2%   | 8            | 21.1%   | 17                             | 44.7%   |
| 20. Increases in tuition and fees                       | 8            | 21.1%   | 8            | 21.1%   | 22                             | 57.9%   |
| <b>Personal Reasons</b>                                 |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 21. Medical (physical)                                  | 1            | 2.6%    | 1            | 2.6%    | 36                             | 94.7%   |
| 22. Emotional (depression/anxiety)                      | 7            | 18.4%   | 4            | 10.5%   | 27                             | 71.1%   |
| 23. Addiction (alcohol/drugs)                           | 2            | 5.3%    | 2            | 5.3%    | 34                             | 89.5%   |
| 24. Family illness/responsibility                       | 1            | 2.6%    | 4            | 10.5%   | 33                             | 86.8%   |
| 25. Housing was unsatisfactory                          | 2            | 5.3%    | 2            | 5.3%    | 34                             | 89.5%   |
| 26. Homesick  | 2            | 5.3%    | 2            | 5.3%    | 34                             | 89.5%   |
| 27. Unmotivated or tired of school                      | 8            | 21.1%   | 11           | 28.9%   | 19                             | 50.0%   |
| 28. Too much social life                                | 3            | 7.9%    | 5            | 13.2%   | 30                             | 78.9%   |
| 29. Military obligations                                | 1            | 2.6%    | 1            | 2.6%    | 36                             | 94.7%   |
| 30. Issues with roommate or other students              | 4            | 10.5%   | 2            | 5.3%    | 32                             | 84.2%   |
| 31. Moved out of the area                               | 2            | 5.3%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 36                             | 94.7%   |
| 32. Insufficient time for both job and studies          | 2            | 5.3%    | 4            | 10.5%   | 32                             | 84.2%   |
| 33. Did not achieve a feeling of belonging              | 6            | 15.8%   | 2            | 5.3%    | 30                             | 78.9%   |
| 34. Afraid for personal safety                          | 1            | 2.6%    | 2            | 5.3%    | 35                             | 92.1%   |

**TABLE 26A - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
PART II - RESIDENTS ON PROBATION  
UNIVERSITY OF IOWA  
FALL 2005**

| NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS                                   | 15           |         |              |         | Not a Reason or No Response |         |
|---|--------------|---------|--------------|---------|-----------------------------|---------|
|   | Major Reason |         | Minor Reason |         |                             |         |
|   | Number       | Percent | Number       | Percent | Number                      | Percent |
| <b>Academic Reasons - Student</b>                       |              |         |              |         |                             |         |
| 5. Academically unprepared for course(s)                | 1            | 6.7%    | 6            | 40.0%   | 8                           | 53.3%   |
| 6. Poor academic performance                            | 3            | 20.0%   | 9            | 60.0%   | 3                           | 20.0%   |
| 7. Inadequate study techniques or habits                | 4            | 26.7%   | 3            | 20.0%   | 8                           | 53.3%   |
| 8. Undecided about my major or vocation                 | 3            | 20.0%   | 4            | 26.7%   | 8                           | 53.3%   |
| <b>Academic Reasons - Institutional</b>                 |              |         |              |         |                             |         |
| 9. Courses were not interesting                         | 1            | 6.7%    | 5            | 33.3%   | 9                           | 60.0%   |
| 10. Desired program was not available                   | 2            | 13.3%   | 5            | 33.3%   | 8                           | 53.3%   |
| 11. Quality of instruction did not meet my expectations | 5            | 33.3%   | 4            | 26.7%   | 6                           | 40.0%   |
| 12. Needed courses not available                        | 3            | 20.0%   | 1            | 6.7%    | 11                          | 73.3%   |
| 13. Classes too large                                   | 7            | 46.7%   | 4            | 26.7%   | 4                           | 26.7%   |
| <b>Financial Reasons</b>                                |              |         |              |         |                             |         |
| 14. Did not have enough money to continue               | 3            | 20.0%   | 2            | 13.3%   | 10                          | 66.7%   |
| 15. Change in family financial circumstances            | 1            | 6.7%    | 4            | 26.7%   | 10                          | 66.7%   |
| 16. Incurred too much debt                              | 1            | 6.7%    | 6            | 40.0%   | 8                           | 53.3%   |
| 17. Scholarship/grant was not renewed                   | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 15                          | 100.0%  |
| 18. Financial aid was not sufficient                    | 1            | 6.7%    | 1            | 6.7%    | 13                          | 86.7%   |
| 19. Transferred to a lower cost institution             | 3            | 20.0%   | 5            | 33.3%   | 7                           | 46.7%   |
| 20. Increases in tuition and fees                       | 2            | 13.3%   | 3            | 20.0%   | 10                          | 66.7%   |
| <b>Personal Reasons</b>                                 |              |         |              |         |                             |         |
| 21. Medical (physical)                                  | 1            | 6.7%    | 1            | 6.7%    | 13                          | 86.7%   |
| 22. Emotional (depression/anxiety)                      | 4            | 26.7%   | 1            | 6.7%    | 10                          | 66.7%   |
| 23. Addiction (alcohol/drugs)                           | 1            | 6.7%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 14                          | 93.3%   |
| 24. Family illness/responsibility                       | 1            | 6.7%    | 2            | 13.3%   | 12                          | 80.0%   |
| 25. Housing was unsatisfactory                          | 0            | 0.0%    | 1            | 6.7%    | 14                          | 93.3%   |
| 26. Homesick  | 0            | 0.0%    | 1            | 6.7%    | 14                          | 93.3%   |
| 27. Unmotivated or tired of school                      | 1            | 6.7%    | 6            | 40.0%   | 8                           | 53.3%   |
| 28. Too much social life                                | 1            | 6.7%    | 2            | 13.3%   | 12                          | 80.0%   |
| 29. Military obligations                                | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 15                          | 100.0%  |
| 30. Issues with roommate or other students              | 1            | 6.7%    | 1            | 6.7%    | 13                          | 86.7%   |
| 31. Moved out of the area                               | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 15                          | 100.0%  |
| 32. Insufficient time for both job and studies          | 1            | 6.7%    | 2            | 13.3%   | 12                          | 80.0%   |
| 33. Did not achieve a feeling of belonging              | 3            | 20.0%   | 0            | 0.0%    | 12                          | 80.0%   |
| 34. Afraid for personal safety                          | 0            | 0.0%    | 1            | 6.7%    | 14                          | 93.3%   |

**TABLE 26B - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
PART II - RESIDENTS ON PROBATION  
IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY  
FALL 2005**

| NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS                                   | 16           |         |              |         | Not a Reason or No Response |         |
|---|--------------|---------|--------------|---------|-----------------------------|---------|
|   | Major Reason |         | Minor Reason |         |                             |         |
|   | Number       | Percent | Number       | Percent | Number                      | Percent |
| <b>Academic Reasons - Student</b>                       |              |         |              |         |                             |         |
| 5. Academically unprepared for course(s)                | 3            | 18.8%   | 1            | 6.3%    | 12                          | 75.0%   |
| 6. Poor academic performance                            | 4            | 25.0%   | 3            | 18.8%   | 9                           | 56.3%   |
| 7. Inadequate study techniques or habits                | 7            | 43.8%   | 1            | 6.3%    | 8                           | 50.0%   |
| 8. Undecided about my major or vocation                 | 8            | 50.0%   | 3            | 18.8%   | 5                           | 31.3%   |
| <b>Academic Reasons - Institutional</b>                 |              |         |              |         |                             |         |
| 9. Courses were not interesting                         | 7            | 43.8%   | 3            | 18.8%   | 6                           | 37.5%   |
| 10. Desired program was not available                   | 1            | 6.3%    | 3            | 18.8%   | 12                          | 75.0%   |
| 11. Quality of instruction did not meet my expectations | 4            | 25.0%   | 1            | 6.3%    | 11                          | 68.8%   |
| 12. Needed courses not available                        | 0            | 0.0%    | 3            | 18.8%   | 13                          | 81.3%   |
| 13. Classes too large                                   | 2            | 12.5%   | 4            | 25.0%   | 10                          | 62.5%   |
| <b>Financial Reasons</b>                                |              |         |              |         |                             |         |
| 14. Did not have enough money to continue               | 2            | 12.5%   | 3            | 18.8%   | 11                          | 68.8%   |
| 15. Change in family financial circumstances            | 1            | 6.3%    | 1            | 6.3%    | 14                          | 87.5%   |
| 16. Incurred too much debt                              | 1            | 6.3%    | 4            | 25.0%   | 11                          | 68.8%   |
| 17. Scholarship/grant was not renewed                   | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 16                          | 100.0%  |
| 18. Financial aid was not sufficient                    | 3            | 18.8%   | 1            | 6.3%    | 12                          | 75.0%   |
| 19. Transferred to a lower cost institution             | 6            | 37.5%   | 2            | 12.5%   | 8                           | 50.0%   |
| 20. Increases in tuition and fees                       | 4            | 25.0%   | 3            | 18.8%   | 9                           | 56.3%   |
| <b>Personal Reasons</b>                                 |              |         |              |         |                             |         |
| 21. Medical (physical)                                  | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 16                          | 100.0%  |
| 22. Emotional (depression/anxiety)                      | 2            | 12.5%   | 3            | 18.8%   | 11                          | 68.8%   |
| 23. Addiction (alcohol/drugs)                           | 1            | 6.3%    | 2            | 12.5%   | 13                          | 81.3%   |
| 24. Family illness/responsibility                       | 0            | 0.0%    | 1            | 6.3%    | 15                          | 93.8%   |
| 25. Housing was unsatisfactory                          | 2            | 12.5%   | 0            | 0.0%    | 14                          | 87.5%   |
| 26. Homesick  | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 16                          | 100.0%  |
| 27. Unmotivated or tired of school                      | 6            | 37.5%   | 4            | 25.0%   | 6                           | 37.5%   |
| 28. Too much social life                                | 2            | 12.5%   | 2            | 12.5%   | 12                          | 75.0%   |
| 29. Military obligations                                | 1            | 6.3%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 15                          | 93.8%   |
| 30. Issues with roommate or other students              | 2            | 12.5%   | 1            | 6.3%    | 13                          | 81.3%   |
| 31. Moved out of the area                               | 1            | 6.3%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 15                          | 93.8%   |
| 32. Insufficient time for both job and studies          | 1            | 6.3%    | 2            | 12.5%   | 13                          | 81.3%   |
| 33. Did not achieve a feeling of belonging              | 2            | 12.5%   | 2            | 12.5%   | 12                          | 75.0%   |
| 34. Afraid for personal safety                          | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 16                          | 100.0%  |

**TABLE 26C - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
PART II - RESIDENTS ON PROBATION  
UNIVERSITY OF NORTHERN IOWA  
FALL 2005**

| NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS                                   | 7            |         |              |         | Not a Reason or No Response |         |
|---|--------------|---------|--------------|---------|-----------------------------|---------|
|   | Major Reason |         | Minor Reason |         |                             |         |
|   | Number       | Percent | Number       | Percent | Number                      | Percent |
| <b>Academic Reasons - Student</b>                       |              |         |              |         |                             |         |
| 5. Academically unprepared for course(s)                | 0            | 0.0%    | 2            | 28.6%   | 5                           | 71.4%   |
| 6. Poor academic performance                            | 0            | 0.0%    | 5            | 71.4%   | 2                           | 28.6%   |
| 8. Inadequate study techniques or habits                | 1            | 14.3%   | 3            | 42.9%   | 3                           | 42.9%   |
| 13. Undecided about my major or vocation                | 1            | 14.3%   | 1            | 14.3%   | 5                           | 71.4%   |
| <b>Academic Reasons - Institutional</b>                 |              |         |              |         |                             |         |
| 7. Courses were not interesting                         | 2            | 28.6%   | 1            | 14.3%   | 4                           | 57.1%   |
| 9. Desired program was not available                    | 2            | 28.6%   | 1            | 14.3%   | 4                           | 57.1%   |
| 10. Quality of instruction did not meet my expectations | 1            | 14.3%   | 0            | 0.0%    | 6                           | 85.7%   |
| 11. Needed courses not available                        | 1            | 14.3%   | 0            | 0.0%    | 6                           | 85.7%   |
| 12. Classes too large                                   | 2            | 28.6%   | 1            | 14.3%   | 4                           | 57.1%   |
| <b>Financial Reasons</b>                                |              |         |              |         |                             |         |
| 14. Did not have enough money to continue               | 2            | 28.6%   | 1            | 14.3%   | 4                           | 57.1%   |
| 15. Change in family financial circumstances            | 2            | 28.6%   | 0            | 0.0%    | 5                           | 71.4%   |
| 16. Incurred too much debt                              | 1            | 14.3%   | 2            | 28.6%   | 4                           | 57.1%   |
| 17. Scholarship/grant was not renewed                   | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 7                           | 100.0%  |
| 18. Financial aid was not sufficient                    | 2            | 28.6%   | 0            | 0.0%    | 5                           | 71.4%   |
| 19. Transferred to a lower cost institution             | 4            | 57.1%   | 1            | 14.3%   | 2                           | 28.6%   |
| 20. Increases in tuition and fees                       | 2            | 28.6%   | 2            | 28.6%   | 3                           | 42.9%   |
| <b>Personal Reasons</b>                                 |              |         |              |         |                             |         |
| 21. Medical (physical)                                  | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 7                           | 100.0%  |
| 22. Emotional (depression/anxiety)                      | 1            | 14.3%   | 0            | 0.0%    | 6                           | 85.7%   |
| 23. Addiction (alcohol/drugs)                           | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 7                           | 100.0%  |
| 24. Family illness/responsibility                       | 0            | 0.0%    | 1            | 14.3%   | 6                           | 85.7%   |
| 25. Housing was unsatisfactory                          | 0            | 0.0%    | 1            | 14.3%   | 6                           | 85.7%   |
| 26. Homesick  | 2            | 28.6%   | 1            | 14.3%   | 4                           | 57.1%   |
| 27. Unmotivated or tired of school                      | 1            | 14.3%   | 1            | 14.3%   | 5                           | 71.4%   |
| 28. Too much social life                                | 0            | 0.0%    | 1            | 14.3%   | 6                           | 85.7%   |
| 29. Military obligations                                | 0            | 0.0%    | 1            | 14.3%   | 6                           | 85.7%   |
| 30. Issues with roommate or other students              | 1            | 14.3%   | 0            | 0.0%    | 6                           | 85.7%   |
| 31. Moved out of the area                               | 1            | 14.3%   | 0            | 0.0%    | 6                           | 85.7%   |
| 32. Insufficient time for both job and studies          | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 7                           | 100.0%  |
| 33. Did not achieve a feeling of belonging              | 1            | 14.3%   | 0            | 0.0%    | 6                           | 85.7%   |
| 34. Afraid for personal safety                          | 1            | 14.3%   | 1            | 14.3%   | 5                           | 71.4%   |

**TABLE 26C - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
PART II - RESIDENTS ON PROBATION  
UNIVERSITY OF NORTHERN IOWA  
FALL 2005**

**Other Reasons**

Wanted to play softball again

Dissatisfied with available meal plans

Dissatisfied with assigned advisor

High cost of tuition

Class sizes way too big

Roommate not well matched; Resident Assistant not responsive or helpful

Changed to program not offered at UNI

Weather

**TABLE 27 - NPS  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
PART II - NONRESIDENTS NOT ON PROBATION  
REGENT TOTAL  
FALL 2005**

| NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS                                   | 119          |         |              |         | Not a Reason<br>or No Response |         |
|---|--------------|---------|--------------|---------|--------------------------------|---------|
|   | Major Reason |         | Minor Reason |         |                                |         |
|   | Number       | Percent | Number       | Percent | Number                         | Percent |
| <b>Academic Reasons - Student</b>                       |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 5. Academically unprepared for course(s)                | 2            | 1.7%    | 5            | 4.2%    | 112                            | 94.1%   |
| 6. Poor academic performance                            | 5            | 4.2%    | 12           | 10.1%   | 102                            | 85.7%   |
| 7. Inadequate study techniques or habits                | 4            | 3.4%    | 11           | 9.2%    | 104                            | 87.4%   |
| 8. Undecided about my major or vocation                 | 15           | 12.6%   | 24           | 20.2%   | 80                             | 67.2%   |
| <b>Academic Reasons - Institutional</b>                 |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 9. Courses were not interesting                         | 7            | 5.9%    | 19           | 16.0%   | 93                             | 78.2%   |
| 10. Desired program was not available                   | 16           | 13.4%   | 11           | 9.2%    | 92                             | 77.3%   |
| 11. Quality of instruction did not meet my expectations | 18           | 15.1%   | 19           | 16.0%   | 82                             | 68.9%   |
| 12. Needed courses not available                        | 10           | 8.4%    | 12           | 10.1%   | 97                             | 81.5%   |
| 13. Classes too large                                   | 20           | 16.8%   | 22           | 18.5%   | 77                             | 64.7%   |
| <b>Financial Reasons</b>                                |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 14. Did not have enough money to continue               | 29           | 24.4%   | 21           | 17.6%   | 69                             | 58.0%   |
| 15. Change in family financial circumstances            | 11           | 9.2%    | 22           | 18.5%   | 86                             | 72.3%   |
| 16. Incurred too much debt                              | 17           | 14.3%   | 13           | 10.9%   | 89                             | 74.8%   |
| 17. Scholarship/grant was not renewed                   | 4            | 3.4%    | 7            | 5.9%    | 108                            | 90.8%   |
| 18. Financial aid was not sufficient                    | 27           | 22.7%   | 24           | 20.2%   | 68                             | 57.1%   |
| 19. Transferred to a lower cost institution             | 55           | 46.2%   | 16           | 13.4%   | 48                             | 40.3%   |
| 20. Increases in tuition and fees                       | 28           | 23.5%   | 25           | 21.0%   | 66                             | 55.5%   |
| <b>Personal Reasons</b>                                 |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 21. Medical (physical)                                  | 4            | 3.4%    | 1            | 0.8%    | 114                            | 95.8%   |
| 22. Emotional (depression/anxiety)                      | 16           | 13.4%   | 26           | 21.8%   | 77                             | 64.7%   |
| 23. Addiction (alcohol/drugs)                           | 0            | 0.0%    | 4            | 3.4%    | 115                            | 96.6%   |
| 24. Family illness/responsibility                       | 2            | 1.7%    | 8            | 6.7%    | 109                            | 91.6%   |
| 25. Housing was unsatisfactory                          | 15           | 12.6%   | 11           | 9.2%    | 93                             | 78.2%   |
| 26. Homesick  | 7            | 5.9%    | 31           | 26.1%   | 81                             | 68.1%   |
| 27. Unmotivated or tired of school                      | 6            | 5.0%    | 15           | 12.6%   | 98                             | 82.4%   |
| 28. Too much social life                                | 3            | 2.5%    | 7            | 5.9%    | 109                            | 91.6%   |
| 29. Military obligations                                | 1            | 0.8%    | 1            | 0.8%    | 117                            | 98.3%   |
| 30. Issues with roommate or other students              | 12           | 10.1%   | 11           | 9.2%    | 96                             | 80.7%   |
| 31. Moved out of the area                               | 9            | 7.6%    | 5            | 4.2%    | 105                            | 88.2%   |
| 32. Insufficient time for both job and studies          | 4            | 3.4%    | 2            | 1.7%    | 113                            | 95.0%   |
| 33. Did not achieve a feeling of belonging              | 21           | 17.6%   | 30           | 25.2%   | 68                             | 57.1%   |
| 34. Afraid for personal safety                          | 3            | 2.5%    | 6            | 5.0%    | 110                            | 92.4%   |

**TABLE 27A - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
PART II - NONRESIDENTS NOT ON PROBATION  
UNIVERSITY OF IOWA  
FALL 2005**

| NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS                                   | 69           |         |              |         | Not a Reason or No Response |         |
|---|--------------|---------|--------------|---------|-----------------------------|---------|
|   | Major Reason |         | Minor Reason |         |                             |         |
|   | Number       | Percent | Number       | Percent | Number                      | Percent |
| <b>Academic Reasons - Student</b>                       |              |         |              |         |                             |         |
| 5. Academically unprepared for course(s)                | 1            | 1.4%    | 3            | 4.3%    | 65                          | 94.2%   |
| 6. Poor academic performance                            | 4            | 5.8%    | 7            | 10.1%   | 58                          | 84.1%   |
| 7. Inadequate study techniques or habits                | 2            | 2.9%    | 6            | 8.7%    | 61                          | 88.4%   |
| 8. Undecided about my major or vocation                 | 8            | 11.6%   | 11           | 15.9%   | 50                          | 72.5%   |
| <b>Academic Reasons - Institutional</b>                 |              |         |              |         |                             |         |
| 9. Courses were not interesting                         | 2            | 2.9%    | 12           | 17.4%   | 55                          | 79.7%   |
| 10. Desired program was not available                   | 11           | 15.9%   | 7            | 10.1%   | 51                          | 73.9%   |
| 11. Quality of instruction did not meet my expectations | 11           | 15.9%   | 12           | 17.4%   | 46                          | 66.7%   |
| 12. Needed courses not available                        | 7            | 10.1%   | 8            | 11.6%   | 54                          | 78.3%   |
| 13. Classes too large                                   | 13           | 18.8%   | 12           | 17.4%   | 44                          | 63.8%   |
| <b>Financial Reasons</b>                                |              |         |              |         |                             |         |
| 14. Did not have enough money to continue               | 13           | 18.8%   | 15           | 21.7%   | 41                          | 59.4%   |
| 15. Change in family financial circumstances            | 6            | 8.7%    | 12           | 17.4%   | 51                          | 73.9%   |
| 16. Incurred too much debt                              | 6            | 8.7%    | 7            | 10.1%   | 56                          | 81.2%   |
| 17. Scholarship/grant was not renewed                   | 2            | 2.9%    | 4            | 5.8%    | 63                          | 91.3%   |
| 18. Financial aid was not sufficient                    | 12           | 17.4%   | 15           | 21.7%   | 42                          | 60.9%   |
| 19. Transferred to a lower cost institution             | 31           | 44.9%   | 7            | 10.1%   | 31                          | 44.9%   |
| 20. Increases in tuition and fees                       | 13           | 18.8%   | 11           | 15.9%   | 45                          | 65.2%   |
| <b>Personal Reasons</b>                                 |              |         |              |         |                             |         |
| 21. Medical (physical)                                  | 1            | 1.4%    | 1            | 1.4%    | 67                          | 97.1%   |
| 22. Emotional (depression/anxiety)                      | 12           | 17.4%   | 16           | 23.2%   | 41                          | 59.4%   |
| 23. Addiction (alcohol/drugs)                           | 0            | 0.0%    | 3            | 4.3%    | 66                          | 95.7%   |
| 24. Family illness/responsibility                       | 2            | 2.9%    | 5            | 7.2%    | 62                          | 89.9%   |
| 25. Housing was unsatisfactory                          | 7            | 10.1%   | 8            | 11.6%   | 54                          | 78.3%   |
| 26. Homesick  | 5            | 7.2%    | 18           | 26.1%   | 46                          | 66.7%   |
| 27. Unmotivated or tired of school                      | 4            | 5.8%    | 8            | 11.6%   | 57                          | 82.6%   |
| 28. Too much social life                                | 1            | 1.4%    | 7            | 10.1%   | 61                          | 88.4%   |
| 29. Military obligations                                | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 69                          | 100.0%  |
| 30. Issues with roommate or other students              | 9            | 13.0%   | 9            | 13.0%   | 51                          | 73.9%   |
| 31. Moved out of the area                               | 3            | 4.3%    | 4            | 5.8%    | 62                          | 89.9%   |
| 32. Insufficient time for both job and studies          | 1            | 1.4%    | 2            | 2.9%    | 66                          | 95.7%   |
| 33. Did not achieve a feeling of belonging              | 17           | 24.6%   | 19           | 27.5%   | 33                          | 47.8%   |
| 34. Afraid for personal safety                          | 1            | 1.4%    | 2            | 2.9%    | 66                          | 95.7%   |

**TABLE 27B - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
PART II - NONRESIDENTS NOT ON PROBATION  
IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY  
FALL 2005**

| NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS                                   | 48           |         |              |         | Not a Reason<br>or No Response |         |
|---|--------------|---------|--------------|---------|--------------------------------|---------|
|   | Major Reason |         | Minor Reason |         |                                |         |
|   | Number       | Percent | Number       | Percent | Number                         | Percent |
| <b>Academic Reasons - Student</b>                       |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 5. Academically unprepared for course(s)                | 1            | 2.1%    | 2            | 4.2%    | 45                             | 93.8%   |
| 6. Poor academic performance                            | 1            | 2.1%    | 5            | 10.4%   | 42                             | 87.5%   |
| 7. Inadequate study techniques or habits                | 2            | 4.2%    | 5            | 10.4%   | 41                             | 85.4%   |
| 8. Undecided about my major or vocation                 | 7            | 14.6%   | 12           | 25.0%   | 29                             | 60.4%   |
| <b>Academic Reasons - Institutional</b>                 |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 9. Courses were not interesting                         | 5            | 10.4%   | 6            | 12.5%   | 37                             | 77.1%   |
| 10. Desired program was not available                   | 4            | 8.3%    | 4            | 8.3%    | 40                             | 83.3%   |
| 11. Quality of instruction did not meet my expectations | 7            | 14.6%   | 7            | 14.6%   | 34                             | 70.8%   |
| 12. Needed courses not available                        | 2            | 4.2%    | 4            | 8.3%    | 42                             | 87.5%   |
| 13. Classes too large                                   | 7            | 14.6%   | 10           | 20.8%   | 31                             | 64.6%   |
| <b>Financial Reasons</b>                                |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 14. Did not have enough money to continue               | 16           | 33.3%   | 6            | 12.5%   | 26                             | 54.2%   |
| 15. Change in family financial circumstances            | 5            | 10.4%   | 10           | 20.8%   | 33                             | 68.8%   |
| 16. Incurred too much debt                              | 11           | 22.9%   | 6            | 12.5%   | 31                             | 64.6%   |
| 17. Scholarship/grant was not renewed                   | 2            | 4.2%    | 3            | 6.3%    | 43                             | 89.6%   |
| 18. Financial aid was not sufficient                    | 15           | 31.3%   | 9            | 18.8%   | 24                             | 50.0%   |
| 19. Transferred to a lower cost institution             | 24           | 50.0%   | 9            | 18.8%   | 15                             | 31.3%   |
| 20. Increases in tuition and fees                       | 15           | 31.3%   | 14           | 29.2%   | 19                             | 39.6%   |
| <b>Personal Reasons</b>                                 |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 21. Medical (physical)                                  | 2            | 4.2%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 46                             | 95.8%   |
| 22. Emotional (depression/anxiety)                      | 3            | 6.3%    | 10           | 20.8%   | 35                             | 72.9%   |
| 23. Addiction (alcohol/drugs)                           | 0            | 0.0%    | 1            | 2.1%    | 47                             | 97.9%   |
| 24. Family illness/responsibility                       | 0            | 0.0%    | 3            | 6.3%    | 45                             | 93.8%   |
| 25. Housing was unsatisfactory                          | 8            | 16.7%   | 3            | 6.3%    | 37                             | 77.1%   |
| 26. Homesick  | 2            | 4.2%    | 12           | 25.0%   | 34                             | 70.8%   |
| 27. Unmotivated or tired of school                      | 2            | 4.2%    | 7            | 14.6%   | 39                             | 81.3%   |
| 28. Too much social life                                | 2            | 4.2%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 46                             | 95.8%   |
| 29. Military obligations                                | 1            | 2.1%    | 1            | 2.1%    | 46                             | 95.8%   |
| 30. Issues with roommate or other students              | 3            | 6.3%    | 2            | 4.2%    | 43                             | 89.6%   |
| 31. Moved out of the area                               | 6            | 12.5%   | 1            | 2.1%    | 41                             | 85.4%   |
| 32. Insufficient time for both job and studies          | 3            | 6.3%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 45                             | 93.8%   |
| 33. Did not achieve a feeling of belonging              | 4            | 8.3%    | 11           | 22.9%   | 33                             | 68.8%   |
| 34. Afraid for personal safety                          | 1            | 2.1%    | 3            | 6.3%    | 44                             | 91.7%   |

**TABLE 27C - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
PART II - NONRESIDENTS NOT ON PROBATION  
UNIVERSITY OF NORTHERN IOWA  
FALL 2005**

| NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS                                   | 2            |         |              |         | Not a Reason<br>or No Response |         |
|---|--------------|---------|--------------|---------|--------------------------------|---------|
|   | Major Reason |         | Minor Reason |         |                                |         |
|   | Number       | Percent | Number       | Percent | Number                         | Percent |
| <b>Academic Reasons - Student</b>                       |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 5. Academically unprepared for course(s)                | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 2                              | 100.0%  |
| 6. Poor academic performance                            | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 2                              | 100.0%  |
| 8. Inadequate study techniques or habits                | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 2                              | 100.0%  |
| 13. Undecided about my major or vocation                | 0            | 0.0%    | 1            | 50.0%   | 1                              | 50.0%   |
| <b>Academic Reasons - Institutional</b>                 |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 7. Courses were not interesting                         | 0            | 0.0%    | 1            | 50.0%   | 1                              | 50.0%   |
| 9. Desired program was not available                    | 1            | 50.0%   | 0            | 0.0%    | 1                              | 50.0%   |
| 10. Quality of instruction did not meet my expectations | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 2                              | 100.0%  |
| 11. Needed courses not available                        | 1            | 50.0%   | 0            | 0.0%    | 1                              | 50.0%   |
| 12. Classes too large                                   | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 2                              | 100.0%  |
| <b>Financial Reasons</b>                                |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 14. Did not have enough money to continue               | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 2                              | 100.0%  |
| 15. Change in family financial circumstances            | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 2                              | 100.0%  |
| 16. Incurred too much debt                              | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 2                              | 100.0%  |
| 17. Scholarship/grant was not renewed                   | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 2                              | 100.0%  |
| 18. Financial aid was not sufficient                    | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 2                              | 100.0%  |
| 19. Transferred to a lower cost institution             | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 2                              | 100.0%  |
| 20. Increases in tuition and fees                       | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 2                              | 100.0%  |
| <b>Personal Reasons</b>                                 |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 21. Medical (physical)                                  | 1            | 50.0%   | 0            | 0.0%    | 1                              | 50.0%   |
| 22. Emotional (depression/anxiety)                      | 1            | 50.0%   | 0            | 0.0%    | 1                              | 50.0%   |
| 23. Addiction (alcohol/drugs)                           | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 2                              | 100.0%  |
| 24. Family illness/responsibility                       | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 2                              | 100.0%  |
| 25. Housing was unsatisfactory                          | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 2                              | 100.0%  |
| 26. Homesick  | 0            | 0.0%    | 1            | 50.0%   | 1                              | 50.0%   |
| 27. Unmotivated or tired of school                      | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 2                              | 100.0%  |
| 28. Too much social life                                | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 2                              | 100.0%  |
| 29. Military obligations                                | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 2                              | 100.0%  |
| 30. Issues with roommate or other students              | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 2                              | 100.0%  |
| 31. Moved out of the area                               | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 2                              | 100.0%  |
| 32. Insufficient time for both job and studies          | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 2                              | 100.0%  |
| 33. Did not achieve a feeling of belonging              | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 2                              | 100.0%  |
| 34. Afraid for personal safety                          | 1            | 50.0%   | 1            | 50.0%   | 0                              | 0.0%    |

**TABLE 27C - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
PART II - NONRESIDENTS NOT ON PROBATION  
UNIVERSITY OF NORTHERN IOWA  
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**Other Reasons**

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**TABLE 28 - NPS  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
PART II - NONRESIDENTS ON PROBATION  
REGENT TOTAL  
FALL 2005**

| NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS                                   | 12           |         |              |         | Not a Reason<br>or No Response |         |
|---|--------------|---------|--------------|---------|--------------------------------|---------|
|   | Major Reason |         | Minor Reason |         |                                |         |
|   | Number       | Percent | Number       | Percent | Number                         | Percent |
| <b>Academic Reasons - Student</b>                       |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 5. Academically unprepared for course(s)                | 2            | 16.7%   | 6            | 50.0%   | 4                              | 33.3%   |
| 6. Poor academic performance                            | 6            | 50.0%   | 5            | 41.7%   | 1                              | 8.3%    |
| 7. Inadequate study techniques or habits                | 5            | 41.7%   | 3            | 25.0%   | 4                              | 33.3%   |
| 8. Undecided about my major or vocation                 | 0            | 0.0%    | 1            | 8.3%    | 10                             | 83.3%   |
| <b>Academic Reasons - Institutional</b>                 |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 9. Courses were not interesting                         | 1            | 8.3%    | 4            | 33.3%   | 7                              | 58.3%   |
| 10. Desired program was not available                   | 1            | 8.3%    | 1            | 8.3%    | 10                             | 83.3%   |
| 11. Quality of instruction did not meet my expectations | 2            | 16.7%   | 2            | 16.7%   | 8                              | 66.7%   |
| 12. Needed courses not available                        | 2            | 16.7%   | 0            | 0.0%    | 10                             | 83.3%   |
| 13. Classes too large                                   | 2            | 16.7%   | 1            | 8.3%    | 9                              | 75.0%   |
| <b>Financial Reasons</b>                                |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 14. Did not have enough money to continue               | 3            | 25.0%   | 0            | 0.0%    | 9                              | 75.0%   |
| 15. Change in family financial circumstances            | 1            | 8.3%    | 3            | 25.0%   | 8                              | 66.7%   |
| 16. Incurred too much debt                              | 1            | 8.3%    | 2            | 16.7%   | 9                              | 75.0%   |
| 17. Scholarship/grant was not renewed                   | 1            | 8.3%    | 2            | 16.7%   | 9                              | 75.0%   |
| 18. Financial aid was not sufficient                    | 2            | 16.7%   | 3            | 25.0%   | 7                              | 58.3%   |
| 19. Transferred to a lower cost institution             | 2            | 16.7%   | 2            | 16.7%   | 8                              | 66.7%   |
| 20. Increases in tuition and fees                       | 1            | 8.3%    | 2            | 16.7%   | 9                              | 75.0%   |
| <b>Personal Reasons</b>                                 |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 21. Medical (physical)                                  | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 12                             | 100.0%  |
| 22. Emotional (depression/anxiety)                      | 4            | 33.3%   | 4            | 33.3%   | 4                              | 33.3%   |
| 23. Addiction (alcohol/drugs)                           | 0            | 0.0%    | 1            | 8.3%    | 11                             | 91.7%   |
| 24. Family illness/responsibility                       | 0            | 0.0%    | 1            | 8.3%    | 11                             | 91.7%   |
| 25. Housing was unsatisfactory                          | 2            | 16.7%   | 0            | 0.0%    | 10                             | 83.3%   |
| 26. Homesick  | 2            | 16.7%   | 3            | 25.0%   | 7                              | 58.3%   |
| 27. Unmotivated or tired of school                      | 3            | 25.0%   | 4            | 33.3%   | 5                              | 41.7%   |
| 28. Too much social life                                | 3            | 25.0%   | 2            | 16.7%   | 7                              | 58.3%   |
| 29. Military obligations                                | 1            | 8.3%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 11                             | 91.7%   |
| 30. Issues with roommate or other students              | 2            | 16.7%   | 1            | 8.3%    | 9                              | 75.0%   |
| 31. Moved out of the area                               | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 12                             | 100.0%  |
| 32. Insufficient time for both job and studies          | 1            | 8.3%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 11                             | 91.7%   |
| 33. Did not achieve a feeling of belonging              | 2            | 16.7%   | 2            | 16.7%   | 8                              | 66.7%   |
| 34. Afraid for personal safety                          | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 12                             | 100.0%  |

**TABLE 28A - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
PART II - NONRESIDENTS ON PROBATION  
UNIVERSITY OF IOWA  
FALL 2005**

| NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS                                   | 6            |         |              |         | Not a Reason<br>or No Response |         |
|---|--------------|---------|--------------|---------|--------------------------------|---------|
|   | Major Reason |         | Minor Reason |         |                                |         |
|   | Number       | Percent | Number       | Percent | Number                         | Percent |
| <b>Academic Reasons - Student</b>                       |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 5. Academically unprepared for course(s)                | 1            | 16.7%   | 3            | 50.0%   | 2                              | 33.3%   |
| 6. Poor academic performance                            | 3            | 50.0%   | 2            | 33.3%   | 1                              | 16.7%   |
| 7. Inadequate study techniques or habits                | 3            | 50.0%   | 1            | 16.7%   | 2                              | 33.3%   |
| 8. Undecided about my major or vocation                 | 0            | 0.0%    | 1            | 16.7%   | 5                              | 83.3%   |
| <b>Academic Reasons - Institutional</b>                 |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 9. Courses were not interesting                         | 0            | 0.0%    | 1            | 16.7%   | 5                              | 83.3%   |
| 10. Desired program was not available                   | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 6                              | 100.0%  |
| 11. Quality of instruction did not meet my expectations | 0            | 0.0%    | 1            | 16.7%   | 5                              | 83.3%   |
| 12. Needed courses not available                        | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 6                              | 100.0%  |
| 13. Classes too large                                   | 1            | 16.7%   | 0            | 0.0%    | 5                              | 83.3%   |
| <b>Financial Reasons</b>                                |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 14. Did not have enough money to continue               | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 6                              | 100.0%  |
| 15. Change in family financial circumstances            | 0            | 0.0%    | 1            | 16.7%   | 5                              | 83.3%   |
| 16. Incurred too much debt                              | 0            | 0.0%    | 1            | 16.7%   | 5                              | 83.3%   |
| 17. Scholarship/grant was not renewed                   | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 6                              | 100.0%  |
| 18. Financial aid was not sufficient                    | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 6                              | 100.0%  |
| 19. Transferred to a lower cost institution             | 1            | 16.7%   | 2            | 33.3%   | 3                              | 50.0%   |
| 20. Increases in tuition and fees                       | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 6                              | 100.0%  |
| <b>Personal Reasons</b>                                 |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 21. Medical (physical)                                  | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 6                              | 100.0%  |
| 22. Emotional (depression/anxiety)                      | 3            | 50.0%   | 2            | 33.3%   | 1                              | 16.7%   |
| 23. Addiction (alcohol/drugs)                           | 0            | 0.0%    | 1            | 16.7%   | 5                              | 83.3%   |
| 24. Family illness/responsibility                       | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 6                              | 100.0%  |
| 25. Housing was unsatisfactory                          | 1            | 16.7%   | 0            | 0.0%    | 5                              | 83.3%   |
| 26. Homesick  | 1            | 16.7%   | 2            | 33.3%   | 3                              | 50.0%   |
| 27. Unmotivated or tired of school                      | 1            | 16.7%   | 1            | 16.7%   | 4                              | 66.7%   |
| 28. Too much social life                                | 2            | 33.3%   | 0            | 0.0%    | 4                              | 66.7%   |
| 29. Military obligations                                | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 6                              | 100.0%  |
| 30. Issues with roommate or other students              | 1            | 16.7%   | 0            | 0.0%    | 5                              | 83.3%   |
| 31. Moved out of the area                               | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 6                              | 100.0%  |
| 32. Insufficient time for both job and studies          | 1            | 16.7%   | 0            | 0.0%    | 5                              | 83.3%   |
| 33. Did not achieve a feeling of belonging              | 1            | 16.7%   | 0            | 0.0%    | 5                              | 83.3%   |
| 34. Afraid for personal safety                          | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 6                              | 100.0%  |

**TABLE 28B - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
PART II - NONRESIDENTS ON PROBATION  
IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY  
FALL 2005**

| NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS                                   | 5            |         |              |         | Not a Reason<br>or No Response |         |
|---|--------------|---------|--------------|---------|--------------------------------|---------|
|   | Major Reason |         | Minor Reason |         |                                |         |
|   | Number       | Percent | Number       | Percent | Number                         | Percent |
| <b>Academic Reasons - Student</b>                       |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 5. Academically unprepared for course(s)                | 1            | 20.0%   | 3            | 60.0%   | 1                              | 20.0%   |
| 6. Poor academic performance                            | 3            | 60.0%   | 2            | 40.0%   | 0                              | 0.0%    |
| 7. Inadequate study techniques or habits                | 2            | 40.0%   | 1            | 20.0%   | 2                              | 40.0%   |
| 8. Undecided about my major or vocation                 | 1            | 20.0%   | 0            | 0.0%    | 4                              | 80.0%   |
| <b>Academic Reasons - Institutional</b>                 |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 9. Courses were not interesting                         | 0            | 0.0%    | 3            | 60.0%   | 2                              | 40.0%   |
| 10. Desired program was not available                   | 1            | 20.0%   | 1            | 20.0%   | 3                              | 60.0%   |
| 11. Quality of instruction did not meet my expectations | 1            | 20.0%   | 1            | 20.0%   | 3                              | 60.0%   |
| 12. Needed courses not available                        | 2            | 40.0%   | 0            | 0.0%    | 3                              | 60.0%   |
| 13. Classes too large                                   | 1            | 20.0%   | 0            | 0.0%    | 4                              | 80.0%   |
| <b>Financial Reasons</b>                                |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 14. Did not have enough money to continue               | 3            | 60.0%   | 0            | 0.0%    | 2                              | 40.0%   |
| 15. Change in family financial circumstances            | 1            | 20.0%   | 2            | 40.0%   | 2                              | 40.0%   |
| 16. Incurred too much debt                              | 1            | 20.0%   | 1            | 20.0%   | 3                              | 60.0%   |
| 17. Scholarship/grant was not renewed                   | 1            | 20.0%   | 1            | 20.0%   | 3                              | 60.0%   |
| 18. Financial aid was not sufficient                    | 2            | 40.0%   | 2            | 40.0%   | 1                              | 20.0%   |
| 19. Transferred to a lower cost institution             | 1            | 20.0%   | 0            | 0.0%    | 4                              | 80.0%   |
| 20. Increases in tuition and fees                       | 1            | 20.0%   | 2            | 40.0%   | 2                              | 40.0%   |
| <b>Personal Reasons</b>                                 |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 21. Medical (physical)                                  | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 5                              | 100.0%  |
| 22. Emotional (depression/anxiety)                      | 1            | 20.0%   | 1            | 20.0%   | 3                              | 60.0%   |
| 23. Addiction (alcohol/drugs)                           | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 5                              | 100.0%  |
| 24. Family illness/responsibility                       | 0            | 0.0%    | 1            | 20.0%   | 4                              | 80.0%   |
| 25. Housing was unsatisfactory                          | 1            | 20.0%   | 0            | 0.0%    | 4                              | 80.0%   |
| 26. Homesick  | 1            | 20.0%   | 1            | 20.0%   | 3                              | 60.0%   |
| 27. Unmotivated or tired of school                      | 2            | 40.0%   | 2            | 40.0%   | 1                              | 20.0%   |
| 28. Too much social life                                | 1            | 20.0%   | 2            | 40.0%   | 2                              | 40.0%   |
| 29. Military obligations                                | 1            | 20.0%   | 0            | 0.0%    | 4                              | 80.0%   |
| 30. Issues with roommate or other students              | 1            | 20.0%   | 1            | 20.0%   | 3                              | 60.0%   |
| 31. Moved out of the area                               | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 5                              | 100.0%  |
| 32. Insufficient time for both job and studies          | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 5                              | 100.0%  |
| 33. Did not achieve a feeling of belonging              | 1            | 20.0%   | 1            | 20.0%   | 3                              | 60.0%   |
| 34. Afraid for personal safety                          | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 5                              | 100.0%  |

**TABLE 28C - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
PART II - NONRESIDENTS ON PROBATION  
UNIVERSITY OF NORTHERN IOWA  
FALL 2005**

| NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS                                   | 1            |         |              |         | Not a Reason or No Response |         |
|---|--------------|---------|--------------|---------|-----------------------------|---------|
|   | Major Reason |         | Minor Reason |         |                             |         |
|   | Number       | Percent | Number       | Percent | Number                      | Percent |
| <b>Academic Reasons - Student</b>                       |              |         |              |         |                             |         |
| 5. Academically unprepared for course(s)                | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 1                           | 100.0%  |
| 6. Poor academic performance                            | 0            | 0.0%    | 1            | 100.0%  | 0                           | 0.0%    |
| 8. Inadequate study techniques or habits                | 0            | 0.0%    | 1            | 100.0%  | 0                           | 0.0%    |
| 13. Undecided about my major or vocation                | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 1                           | 100.0%  |
| <b>Academic Reasons - Institutional</b>                 |              |         |              |         |                             |         |
| 7. Courses were not interesting                         | 1            | 100.0%  | 0            | 0.0%    | 0                           | 0.0%    |
| 9. Desired program was not available                    | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 1                           | 100.0%  |
| 10. Quality of instruction did not meet my expectations | 1            | 100.0%  | 0            | 0.0%    | 0                           | 0.0%    |
| 11. Needed courses not available                        | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 1                           | 100.0%  |
| 12. Classes too large                                   | 0            | 0.0%    | 1            | 100.0%  | 0                           | 0.0%    |
| <b>Financial Reasons</b>                                |              |         |              |         |                             |         |
| 14. Did not have enough money to continue               | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 1                           | 100.0%  |
| 15. Change in family financial circumstances            | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 1                           | 100.0%  |
| 16. Incurred too much debt                              | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 1                           | 100.0%  |
| 17. Scholarship/grant was not renewed                   | 0            | 0.0%    | 1            | 100.0%  | 0                           | 0.0%    |
| 18. Financial aid was not sufficient                    | 0            | 0.0%    | 1            | 100.0%  | 0                           | 0.0%    |
| 19. Transferred to a lower cost institution             | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 1                           | 100.0%  |
| 20. Increases in tuition and fees                       | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 1                           | 100.0%  |
| <b>Personal Reasons</b>                                 |              |         |              |         |                             |         |
| 21. Medical (physical)                                  | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 1                           | 100.0%  |
| 22. Emotional (depression/anxiety)                      | 0            | 0.0%    | 1            | 100.0%  | 0                           | 0.0%    |
| 23. Addiction (alcohol/drugs)                           | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 1                           | 100.0%  |
| 24. Family illness/responsibility                       | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 1                           | 100.0%  |
| 25. Housing was unsatisfactory                          | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 1                           | 100.0%  |
| 26. Homesick  | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 1                           | 100.0%  |
| 27. Unmotivated or tired of school                      | 0            | 0.0%    | 1            | 100.0%  | 0                           | 0.0%    |
| 28. Too much social life                                | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 1                           | 100.0%  |
| 29. Military obligations                                | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 1                           | 100.0%  |
| 30. Issues with roommate or other students              | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 1                           | 100.0%  |
| 31. Moved out of the area                               | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 1                           | 100.0%  |
| 32. Insufficient time for both job and studies          | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 1                           | 100.0%  |
| 33. Did not achieve a feeling of belonging              | 0            | 0.0%    | 1            | 100.0%  | 0                           | 0.0%    |
| 34. Afraid for personal safety                          | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 1                           | 100.0%  |

**TABLE 28C - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
PART II - NONRESIDENTS ON PROBATION  
UNIVERSITY OF NORTHERN IOWA  
FALL 2005**

**Other Reasons**

African/American Population

Limited opportunity for minority and prejudice in Theatre program

**TABLE 29 - NPS  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
PART II - ALL RESPONDENTS  
REGENT TOTAL  
FALL 2005**

| NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS                                   | 402          |         |              |         |                                |         |
|---|--------------|---------|--------------|---------|--------------------------------|---------|
|   | Major Reason |         | Minor Reason |         | Not a Reason<br>or No Response |         |
|   | Number       | Percent | Number       | Percent | Number                         | Percent |
| <b>Academic Reasons - Student</b>                       |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 5. Academically unprepared for course(s)                | 18           | 4.5%    | 50           | 12.4%   | 334                            | 83.1%   |
| 6. Poor academic performance                            | 31           | 7.7%    | 72           | 17.9%   | 299                            | 74.4%   |
| 7. Inadequate study techniques or habits                | 36           | 9.0%    | 50           | 12.4%   | 316                            | 78.6%   |
| 8. Undecided about my major or vocation                 | 72           | 17.9%   | 74           | 18.4%   | 256                            | 63.7%   |
| <b>Academic Reasons - Institutional</b>                 |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 9. Courses were not interesting                         | 29           | 7.2%    | 67           | 16.7%   | 306                            | 76.1%   |
| 10. Desired program was not available                   | 73           | 18.2%   | 47           | 11.7%   | 282                            | 70.1%   |
| 11. Quality of instruction did not meet my expectations | 56           | 13.9%   | 72           | 17.9%   | 274                            | 68.2%   |
| 12. Needed courses not available                        | 49           | 12.2%   | 39           | 9.7%    | 314                            | 78.1%   |
| 13. Classes too large                                   | 84           | 20.9%   | 67           | 16.7%   | 251                            | 62.4%   |
| <b>Financial Reasons</b>                                |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 14. Did not have enough money to continue               | 62           | 15.4%   | 54           | 13.4%   | 286                            | 71.1%   |
| 15. Change in family financial circumstances            | 27           | 6.7%    | 46           | 11.4%   | 329                            | 81.8%   |
| 16. Incurred too much debt                              | 36           | 9.0%    | 48           | 11.9%   | 318                            | 79.1%   |
| 17. Scholarship/grant was not renewed                   | 14           | 3.5%    | 13           | 3.2%    | 375                            | 93.3%   |
| 18. Financial aid was not sufficient                    | 57           | 14.2%   | 61           | 15.2%   | 284                            | 70.6%   |
| 19. Transferred to a lower cost institution             | 116          | 28.9%   | 72           | 17.9%   | 214                            | 53.2%   |
| 20. Increases in tuition and fees                       | 60           | 14.9%   | 82           | 20.4%   | 260                            | 64.7%   |
| <b>Personal Reasons</b>                                 |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 21. Medical (physical)                                  | 12           | 3.0%    | 9            | 2.2%    | 381                            | 94.8%   |
| 22. Emotional (depression/anxiety)                      | 60           | 14.9%   | 80           | 19.9%   | 262                            | 65.2%   |
| 23. Addiction (alcohol/drugs)                           | 3            | 0.7%    | 12           | 3.0%    | 387                            | 96.3%   |
| 24. Family illness/responsibility                       | 16           | 4.0%    | 22           | 5.5%    | 364                            | 90.5%   |
| 25. Housing was unsatisfactory                          | 42           | 10.4%   | 41           | 10.2%   | 319                            | 79.4%   |
| 26. Homesick  | 25           | 6.2%    | 72           | 17.9%   | 305                            | 75.9%   |
| 27. Unmotivated or tired of school                      | 30           | 7.5%    | 60           | 14.9%   | 312                            | 77.6%   |
| 28. Too much social life                                | 16           | 4.0%    | 36           | 9.0%    | 350                            | 87.1%   |
| 29. Military obligations                                | 8            | 2.0%    | 3            | 0.7%    | 391                            | 97.3%   |
| 30. Issues with roommate or other students              | 37           | 9.2%    | 39           | 9.7%    | 326                            | 81.1%   |
| 31. Moved out of the area                               | 26           | 6.5%    | 15           | 3.7%    | 361                            | 89.8%   |
| 32. Insufficient time for both job and studies          | 14           | 3.5%    | 21           | 5.2%    | 367                            | 91.3%   |
| 33. Did not achieve a feeling of belonging              | 71           | 17.7%   | 78           | 19.4%   | 253                            | 62.9%   |
| 34. Afraid for personal safety                          | 11           | 2.7%    | 23           | 5.7%    | 368                            | 91.5%   |

**TABLE 29A - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
PART II - ALL RESPONDENTS  
UNIVERSITY OF IOWA  
FALL 2005**

| NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS                                   | 185          |         |              |         |                                |         |
|---|--------------|---------|--------------|---------|--------------------------------|---------|
|   | Major Reason |         | Minor Reason |         | Not a Reason<br>or No Response |         |
|   | Number       | Percent | Number       | Percent | Number                         | Percent |
| <b>Academic Reasons - Student</b>                       |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 5. Academically unprepared for course(s)                | 7            | 3.8%    | 21           | 11.4%   | 157                            | 84.9%   |
| 6. Poor academic performance                            | 16           | 8.6%    | 35           | 18.9%   | 134                            | 72.4%   |
| 7. Inadequate study techniques or habits                | 12           | 6.5%    | 23           | 12.4%   | 150                            | 81.1%   |
| 8. Undecided about my major or vocation                 | 23           | 12.4%   | 31           | 16.8%   | 131                            | 70.8%   |
| <b>Academic Reasons - Institutional</b>                 |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 9. Courses were not interesting                         | 7            | 3.8%    | 31           | 16.8%   | 147                            | 79.5%   |
| 10. Desired program was not available                   | 26           | 14.1%   | 19           | 10.3%   | 140                            | 75.7%   |
| 11. Quality of instruction did not meet my expectations | 33           | 17.8%   | 37           | 20.0%   | 115                            | 62.2%   |
| 12. Needed courses not available                        | 15           | 8.1%    | 18           | 9.7%    | 152                            | 82.2%   |
| 13. Classes too large                                   | 42           | 22.7%   | 35           | 18.9%   | 108                            | 58.4%   |
| <b>Financial Reasons</b>                                |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 14. Did not have enough money to continue               | 28           | 15.1%   | 29           | 15.7%   | 128                            | 69.2%   |
| 15. Change in family financial circumstances            | 14           | 7.6%    | 24           | 13.0%   | 147                            | 79.5%   |
| 16. Incurred too much debt                              | 16           | 8.6%    | 21           | 11.4%   | 148                            | 80.0%   |
| 17. Scholarship/grant was not renewed                   | 7            | 3.8%    | 6            | 3.2%    | 172                            | 93.0%   |
| 18. Financial aid was not sufficient                    | 25           | 13.5%   | 29           | 15.7%   | 131                            | 70.8%   |
| 19. Transferred to a lower cost institution             | 50           | 27.0%   | 36           | 19.5%   | 99                             | 53.5%   |
| 20. Increases in tuition and fees                       | 25           | 13.5%   | 31           | 16.8%   | 129                            | 69.7%   |
| <b>Personal Reasons</b>                                 |              |         |              |         |                                |         |
| 21. Medical (physical)                                  | 4            | 2.2%    | 5            | 2.7%    | 176                            | 95.1%   |
| 22. Emotional (depression/anxiety)                      | 33           | 17.8%   | 38           | 20.5%   | 114                            | 61.6%   |
| 23. Addiction (alcohol/drugs)                           | 2            | 1.1%    | 5            | 2.7%    | 178                            | 96.2%   |
| 24. Family illness/responsibility                       | 11           | 5.9%    | 10           | 5.4%    | 164                            | 88.6%   |
| 25. Housing was unsatisfactory                          | 21           | 11.4%   | 20           | 10.8%   | 144                            | 77.8%   |
| 26. Homesick  | 8            | 4.3%    | 40           | 21.6%   | 137                            | 74.1%   |
| 27. Unmotivated or tired of school                      | 7            | 3.8%    | 29           | 15.7%   | 149                            | 80.5%   |
| 28. Too much social life                                | 7            | 3.8%    | 18           | 9.7%    | 160                            | 86.5%   |
| 29. Military obligations                                | 1            | 0.5%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 184                            | 99.5%   |
| 30. Issues with roommate or other students              | 23           | 12.4%   | 24           | 13.0%   | 138                            | 74.6%   |
| 31. Moved out of the area                               | 10           | 5.4%    | 8            | 4.3%    | 167                            | 90.3%   |
| 32. Insufficient time for both job and studies          | 8            | 4.3%    | 11           | 5.9%    | 166                            | 89.7%   |
| 33. Did not achieve a feeling of belonging              | 44           | 23.8%   | 39           | 21.1%   | 102                            | 55.1%   |
| 34. Afraid for personal safety                          | 6            | 3.2%    | 12           | 6.5%    | 167                            | 90.3%   |

**TABLE 29B - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
PART II - ALL RESPONDENTS  
IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY  
FALL 2005**

| NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS                                   | 165          |         |              |         |                             |         |
|---|--------------|---------|--------------|---------|-----------------------------|---------|
|   | Major Reason |         | Minor Reason |         | Not a Reason or No Response |         |
|   | Number       | Percent | Number       | Percent | Number                      | Percent |
| <b>Academic Reasons - Student</b>                       |              |         |              |         |                             |         |
| 5. Academically unprepared for course(s)                | 10           | 6.1%    | 22           | 13.3%   | 133                         | 80.6%   |
| 6. Poor academic performance                            | 14           | 8.5%    | 27           | 16.4%   | 124                         | 75.2%   |
| 7. Inadequate study techniques or habits                | 20           | 12.1%   | 18           | 10.9%   | 127                         | 77.0%   |
| 8. Undecided about my major or vocation                 | 40           | 24.2%   | 33           | 20.0%   | 92                          | 55.8%   |
| <b>Academic Reasons - Institutional</b>                 |              |         |              |         |                             |         |
| 9. Courses were not interesting                         | 16           | 9.7%    | 25           | 15.2%   | 124                         | 75.2%   |
| 10. Desired program was not available                   | 33           | 20.0%   | 19           | 11.5%   | 113                         | 68.5%   |
| 11. Quality of instruction did not meet my expectations | 18           | 10.9%   | 29           | 17.6%   | 118                         | 71.5%   |
| 12. Needed courses not available                        | 24           | 14.5%   | 17           | 10.3%   | 124                         | 75.2%   |
| 13. Classes too large                                   | 32           | 19.4%   | 25           | 15.2%   | 108                         | 65.5%   |
| <b>Financial Reasons</b>                                |              |         |              |         |                             |         |
| 14. Did not have enough money to continue               | 29           | 17.6%   | 21           | 12.7%   | 115                         | 69.7%   |
| 15. Change in family financial circumstances            | 10           | 6.1%    | 20           | 12.1%   | 135                         | 81.8%   |
| 16. Incurred too much debt                              | 19           | 11.5%   | 21           | 12.7%   | 125                         | 75.8%   |
| 17. Scholarship/grant was not renewed                   | 5            | 3.0%    | 6            | 3.6%    | 154                         | 93.3%   |
| 18. Financial aid was not sufficient                    | 29           | 17.6%   | 26           | 15.8%   | 110                         | 66.7%   |
| 19. Transferred to a lower cost institution             | 52           | 31.5%   | 32           | 19.4%   | 81                          | 49.1%   |
| 20. Increases in tuition and fees                       | 30           | 18.2%   | 42           | 25.5%   | 93                          | 56.4%   |
| <b>Personal Reasons</b>                                 |              |         |              |         |                             |         |
| 21. Medical (physical)                                  | 5            | 3.0%    | 4            | 2.4%    | 156                         | 94.5%   |
| 22. Emotional (depression/anxiety)                      | 22           | 13.3%   | 33           | 20.0%   | 110                         | 66.7%   |
| 23. Addiction (alcohol/drugs)                           | 1            | 0.6%    | 7            | 4.2%    | 157                         | 95.2%   |
| 24. Family illness/responsibility                       | 4            | 2.4%    | 10           | 6.1%    | 151                         | 91.5%   |
| 25. Housing was unsatisfactory                          | 19           | 11.5%   | 13           | 7.9%    | 133                         | 80.6%   |
| 26. Homesick  | 13           | 7.9%    | 26           | 15.8%   | 126                         | 76.4%   |
| 27. Unmotivated or tired of school                      | 18           | 10.9%   | 26           | 15.8%   | 121                         | 73.3%   |
| 28. Too much social life                                | 8            | 4.8%    | 12           | 7.3%    | 145                         | 87.9%   |
| 29. Military obligations                                | 6            | 3.6%    | 2            | 1.2%    | 157                         | 95.2%   |
| 30. Issues with roommate or other students              | 11           | 6.7%    | 11           | 6.7%    | 143                         | 86.7%   |
| 31. Moved out of the area                               | 13           | 7.9%    | 4            | 2.4%    | 148                         | 89.7%   |
| 32. Insufficient time for both job and studies          | 5            | 3.0%    | 8            | 4.8%    | 152                         | 92.1%   |
| 33. Did not achieve a feeling of belonging              | 18           | 10.9%   | 34           | 20.6%   | 113                         | 68.5%   |
| 34. Afraid for personal safety                          | 1            | 0.6%    | 8            | 4.8%    | 156                         | 94.5%   |

**TABLE 29B - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
PART II - ALL RESPONDENTS  
IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY  
FALL 2005**

**Explanatory comments regarding reasons for leaving**

| <b>Resident students</b> (includes on probation and not on probation): |                  |
|--|------------------|
| <b>REASON</b>  | <b>Frequency</b> |
| Academically unprepared  | 2                |
| Academically unsatisfied   | 5                |
| Advising issues  | 2                |
| Athletics (opportunity elsewhere)                                      | 5                |
| Classes/university too large   | 4                |
| Didn't like ISU  | 6                |
| Disliked city/location   | 4                |
| Employment   | 2                |
| Family/significant other   | 9                |
| Issues with services/offices   | 2                |
| Major discontinued   | 1                |
| Major/career goals changed   | 10               |
| Medical reasons  | 2                |
| Military duty  | 3                |
| Mission/religious calling or school                                    | 3                |
| Not accepted into program  | 0                |
| Pursued extracurricular activity elsewhere                             | 2                |
| Residence Halls (roommate or other issues)                             | 3                |
| Tuition/money issues   | 7                |
| Instructor/TA issues   | 8                |
|  | 80               |

| <b>Non-resident students</b> (includes on probation and not on probation): |                  |
|--|------------------|
| <b>REASON</b>  | <b>Frequency</b> |
| Academically unsatisfied   | 1                |
| Athletics (opportunity elsewhere)  | 5                |
| Classes/university too large   | 1                |
| Didn't like ISU  | 0                |
| Disliked city/location   | 2                |
| Employment   | 2                |
| Family/significant other   | 5                |
| Instructor/TA issues   | 1                |
| Issues with services/offices   | 2                |
| Major discontinued   | 2                |
| Major/career goals changed   | 4                |
| Mission/religious calling or school  | 1                |
| Not accepted into program  | 0                |
| Residence Halls (roommate or other issues)                                 | 2                |
| Tuition/money issues   | 11               |
|  | 39               |

**TABLE 29C - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
PART II - ALL RESPONDENTS  
UNIVERSITY OF NORTHERN IOWA  
FALL 2005**

| NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS                                   | 52           |         |              |         | Not a Reason or No Response |         |
|---|--------------|---------|--------------|---------|-----------------------------|---------|
|   | Major Reason |         | Minor Reason |         |                             |         |
|   | Number       | Percent | Number       | Percent | Number                      | Percent |
| <b>Academic Reasons - Student</b>                       |              |         |              |         |                             |         |
| 5. Academically unprepared for course(s)                | 1            | 1.9%    | 7            | 13.5%   | 44                          | 84.6%   |
| 6. Poor academic performance                            | 1            | 1.9%    | 10           | 19.2%   | 41                          | 78.8%   |
| 8. Inadequate study techniques or habits                | 4            | 7.7%    | 9            | 17.3%   | 39                          | 75.0%   |
| 13. Undecided about my major or vocation                | 9            | 17.3%   | 10           | 19.2%   | 33                          | 63.5%   |
| <b>Academic Reasons - Institutional</b>                 |              |         |              |         |                             |         |
| 7. Courses were not interesting                         | 6            | 11.5%   | 11           | 21.2%   | 35                          | 67.3%   |
| 9. Desired program was not available                    | 14           | 26.9%   | 9            | 17.3%   | 29                          | 55.8%   |
| 10. Quality of instruction did not meet my expectations | 5            | 9.6%    | 6            | 11.5%   | 41                          | 78.8%   |
| 11. Needed courses not available                        | 10           | 19.2%   | 4            | 7.7%    | 38                          | 73.1%   |
| 12. Classes too large                                   | 10           | 19.2%   | 7            | 13.5%   | 35                          | 67.3%   |
| <b>Financial Reasons</b>                                |              |         |              |         |                             |         |
| 14. Did not have enough money to continue               | 5            | 9.6%    | 4            | 7.7%    | 43                          | 82.7%   |
| 15. Change in family financial circumstances            | 3            | 5.8%    | 2            | 3.8%    | 47                          | 90.4%   |
| 16. Incurred too much debt                              | 1            | 1.9%    | 6            | 11.5%   | 45                          | 86.5%   |
| 17. Scholarship/grant was not renewed                   | 2            | 3.8%    | 1            | 1.9%    | 49                          | 94.2%   |
| 18. Financial aid was not sufficient                    | 3            | 5.8%    | 6            | 11.5%   | 43                          | 82.7%   |
| 19. Transferred to a lower cost institution             | 14           | 26.9%   | 4            | 7.7%    | 34                          | 65.4%   |
| 20. Increases in tuition and fees                       | 5            | 9.6%    | 9            | 17.3%   | 38                          | 73.1%   |
| <b>Personal Reasons</b>                                 |              |         |              |         |                             |         |
| 21. Medical (physical)                                  | 3            | 5.8%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 49                          | 94.2%   |
| 22. Emotional (depression/anxiety)                      | 5            | 9.6%    | 9            | 17.3%   | 38                          | 73.1%   |
| 23. Addiction (alcohol/drugs)                           | 0            | 0.0%    | 0            | 0.0%    | 52                          | 100.0%  |
| 24. Family illness/responsibility                       | 1            | 1.9%    | 2            | 3.8%    | 49                          | 94.2%   |
| 25. Housing was unsatisfactory                          | 2            | 3.8%    | 8            | 15.4%   | 42                          | 80.8%   |
| 26. Homesick  | 4            | 7.7%    | 6            | 11.5%   | 42                          | 80.8%   |
| 27. Unmotivated or tired of school                      | 5            | 9.6%    | 5            | 9.6%    | 42                          | 80.8%   |
| 28. Too much social life                                | 1            | 1.9%    | 6            | 11.5%   | 45                          | 86.5%   |
| 29. Military obligations                                | 1            | 1.9%    | 1            | 1.9%    | 50                          | 96.2%   |
| 30. Issues with roommate or other students              | 3            | 5.8%    | 4            | 7.7%    | 45                          | 86.5%   |
| 31. Moved out of the area                               | 3            | 5.8%    | 3            | 5.8%    | 46                          | 88.5%   |
| 32. Insufficient time for both job and studies          | 1            | 1.9%    | 2            | 3.8%    | 49                          | 94.2%   |
| 33. Did not achieve a feeling of belonging              | 9            | 17.3%   | 5            | 9.6%    | 38                          | 73.1%   |
| 34. Afraid for personal safety                          | 4            | 7.7%    | 3            | 5.8%    | 45                          | 86.5%   |

**TABLE 29C - NON-PERSISTENCE STUDY  
REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING  
PART II - ALL RESPONDENTS  
UNIVERSITY OF NORTHERN IOWA  
FALL 2005**

UNI Comments on 2003-04 First Year Non-Persisters Study

The results are similar to the past years since the same 5 reasons surfaced in all reports as major reasons for not returning. The top five reasons from the class of 2003 were:

- Desired program was not available
- Transferred to a lower cost institution
- Needed courses not available
- Undecided on my major or vocation
- Did not achieve a feeling of belonging

In the 2001 and 2002 studies students ranked financial and academic reasons as their top two category while the 2003 class listed academic and personal. The reduction in the number of students listing financial reasons is of particular note. Over 90% of the students responding were enrolled in a different college or university, a total of 52.4% either at another Regent's institution or an Iowa community college. Although the response rate was lower than in the past, all methodology and timing were the same.