

TABLE 3.1. Number and percentage of A level applications and acceptances to Cambridge by UCAS tariff scores and gender 2006

2006 Applicants with 3 or more GCE A levels

UCAS Tariff Score	Old Score	Applications						Acceptances					
		Total		Men		Women		Total		Men		Women	
		No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
360	30	8,033	72	4,108	73	3,925	70	2,805	96	1,393	96	1,412	95
340	28	1,618	14	774	14	844	15	94	3	45	3	49	3
320	26	805	7	383	7	422	8	24	1	6	0.4	18	1
300	24	345	3	148	3	197	4	7	0.2	0	0	7	0.5
280	22	156	1	77	1	79	1	3	0.1	2	0.1	1	0.1
260	20	90	1	47	1	43	1	2	0.1	0	0	2	0.1
240	18	49	0.4	27	0.5	22	0.4	0	0	0	0	0	0
220	16	31	0.3	15	0.3	16	0.3	0	0	0	0	0	0
200	14	13	0.1	4	0.1	9	0.2	1	0.0	0	0	1	0.1
180	12	16	0.1	4	0.1	12	0.2	1	0.0	0	0	1	0.1
160	10	5	0.0	3	0.1	2	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
140	8	3	0.0	1	0.0	2	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
100	6	3	0.0	1	0.0	2	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals		11,167	100	5,592	100	5,575	100	2,937	100	1,446	100	1,491	100

In Table 3.1 the three highest A level grades in all subjects, excluding General Studies, are used for scoring purposes. The UCAS tariff score refers to the scoring system where at A level A = 120, B = 100, C = 80, D = 60, E = 40 and where at AS level A = 60, B = 50, C = 40, D = 30, E = 20. More information about the UCAS tariff is available on the UCAS website at www.ucas.ac.uk. The old score refers to the scoring system where A = 10, B = 8, C = 6, D = 4, and E = 2.