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Acceptees Race/Ethnicity Responses		2016-2017*	2017-2018	2018-2019	2019-2020	2020-2021
American Indian or Alaska Native	Alone	57	47	44	46	37
	In Combination	147	168	184	195	221
	Alone or In Combination	204	215	228	241	258
Asian	Alone	4,647	4,623	4,948	4,849	4,954
	In Combination	684	705	722	772	769
	Alone or In Combination	5,331	5,328	5,670	5,621	5,723
Black or African American	Alone	1,538	1,559	1,596	1,685	1,806
	In Combination	287	287	324	302	368
	Alone or In Combination	1,825	1,846	1,920	1,987	2,174
Hispanic, Latino, or of Spanish Origin	Alone	1,393	1,445	1,402	1,445	1,570
	In Combination	907	945	1,000	1,085	1,195
	Alone or In Combination	2,300	2,390	2,402	2,530	2,765
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	Alone	13	14	24	13	14
	In Combination	55	55	54	83	69
	Alone or In Combination	68	69	78	96	83
White	Alone	11,332	11,038	11,198	10,560	10,367
	In Combination	1,612	1,619	1,760	1,926	2,006
	Alone or In Combination	12,944	12,657	12,958	12,486	12,373
Other	Alone	375	413	393	393	479
	In Combination	368	321	361	350	396
	Alone or In Combination	743	734	754	743	875
Unknown Race/Ethnicity		366	801	408	1,114	1,131
Non-U.S. Citizen and Non-Permanent Resident		364	351	355	325	345
<b>Unduplicated Total Acceptees</b>		<b>22,036</b>	<b>22,266</b>	<b>22,483</b>	<b>22,687</b>	<b>23,105</b>

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Percent of Acceptees Race/Ethnicity Responses		2016-2017*	2017-2018	2018-2019	2019-2020	2020-2021
American Indian or Alaska Native	Alone	27.9	21.9	19.3	19.1	14.3
	In Combination	72.1	78.1	80.7	80.9	85.7
	Alone or In Combination	0.9	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.1
Asian	Alone	87.2	86.8	87.3	86.3	86.6
	In Combination	12.8	13.2	12.7	13.7	13.4
	Alone or In Combination	24.2	23.9	25.2	24.8	24.8
Black or African American	Alone	84.3	84.5	83.1	84.8	83.1
	In Combination	15.7	15.5	16.9	15.2	16.9
	Alone or In Combination	8.3	8.3	8.5	8.8	9.4
Hispanic, Latino, or of Spanish Origin	Alone	60.6	60.5	58.4	57.1	56.8
	In Combination	39.4	39.5	41.6	42.9	43.2
	Alone or In Combination	10.4	10.7	10.7	11.2	12.0
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	Alone	19.1	20.3	30.8	13.5	16.9
	In Combination	80.9	79.7	69.2	86.5	83.1
	Alone or In Combination	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4
White	Alone	87.5	87.2	86.4	84.6	83.8
	In Combination	12.5	12.8	13.6	15.4	16.2
	Alone or In Combination	58.7	56.8	57.6	55.0	53.6
Other	Alone	50.5	56.3	52.1	52.9	54.7
	In Combination	49.5	43.7	47.9	47.1	45.3
	Alone or In Combination	3.4	3.3	3.4	3.3	3.8
Unknown Race/Ethnicity		1.7	3.6	1.8	4.9	4.9
Non-U.S. Citizen and Non-Permanent Resident		1.7	1.6	1.6	1.4	1.5
<b>Unduplicated Total Acceptees</b>		<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>

\*During the 2016 application cycle, a technical malfunction in the collection of race/ethnicity data necessitated a request that applicants review and re-submit responses to the race/ethnicity question in their AMCAS applications. No applicants were asked to review this question prior to or after 2016.

Notes: The "Non-U.S. Citizen and Non-Permanent Resident" category may include students with unknown citizenship.

Each academic year includes applicants and matriculants that applied to enter medical school in the fall of the given year. For example, academic year 2020-2021 represents the applicants and matriculants that applied to enter medical school during the 2020 application cycle.