

## Appendix B:

### National Score Distributions Over Time

U.S. Public Schools

Score	Number of Exams for Each Graduating Class			
	2002	2007	2011	2012
1	167,039	373,119	613,834	637,343
2	295,620	458,990	579,208	624,502
3	327,380	487,922	640,824	682,471
4	239,942	380,127	511,072	560,008
5	159,577	247,992	378,006	415,009

Score	Percentage of Exams for Each Graduating Class			
	2002	2007	2011	2012
1	14.0	19.2	22.5	21.8
2	24.9	23.6	21.3	21.4
3	27.5	25.0	23.5	23.4
4	20.2	19.5	18.8	19.2
5	13.4	12.7	13.9	14.2

### American Indian/Alaska Native Graduates

Score	Number of Exams for Each Graduating Class			
	2002	2007	2011	2012
1	1,171	2,458	3,787	4,220
2	1,513	2,714	3,393	3,837
3	1,172	2,082	2,913	3,377
4	677	1,172	1,589	1,994
5	275	494	796	960

Score	Percentage of Exams for Each Graduating Class			
	2002	2007	2011	2012
1	24.4	27.6	30.3	29.3
2	31.5	30.4	27.2	26.7
3	24.4	23.3	23.3	23.5
4	14.1	13.1	12.7	13.9
5	5.7	5.5	6.4	6.7

### Asian/Asian American/Pacific Islander Graduates

Score	Number of Exams for Each Graduating Class			
	2002	2007	2011	2012
1	22,814	43,955	65,769	67,301
2	38,083	57,075	69,952	75,433
3	43,638	65,723	88,709	97,096
4	34,500	59,026	84,453	95,485
5	26,733	50,609	83,499	97,191

Score	Percentage of Exams for Each Graduating Class			
	2002	2007	2011	2012
1	13.8	15.9	16.8	15.6
2	23.0	20.7	17.8	17.4
3	26.3	23.8	22.6	22.4
4	20.8	21.4	21.5	22.1
5	16.1	18.3	21.3	22.5

### Black/African American Graduates

Score	Number of Exams for Each Graduating Class			
	2002	2007	2011	2012
1	20,140	52,180	98,783	104,646
2	17,735	31,748	49,459	54,745
3	10,372	17,314	29,356	33,938
4	4,521	8,431	14,479	17,489
5	1,792	2,915	5,963	7,085

Score	Percentage of Exams for Each Graduating Class			
	2002	2007	2011	2012
1	36.9	46.3	49.9	48.0
2	32.5	28.2	25.0	25.1
3	19.0	15.4	14.8	15.6
4	8.3	7.5	7.3	8.0
5	3.3	2.6	3.0	3.3

### Hispanic/Latino Graduates

Score	Number of Exams for Each Graduating Class			
	2002	2007	2011	2012
1	29,029	77,478	150,174	163,182
2	28,559	59,248	98,219	113,039
3	22,968	46,846	76,056	87,743
4	17,971	33,057	53,485	62,398
5	18,703	22,852	36,387	40,557

Score	Percentage of Exams for Each Graduating Class			
	2002	2007	2011	2012
1	24.8	32.4	36.2	34.9
2	24.4	24.7	23.7	24.2
3	19.6	19.6	18.4	18.8
4	15.3	13.8	12.9	13.4
5	16.0	9.5	8.8	8.7

### White Graduates

Score	Number of Exams for Each Graduating Class			
	2002	2007	2011	2012
1	84,007	173,145	257,491	264,591
2	193,017	279,638	323,898	346,794
3	231,085	326,894	408,005	429,942
4	168,611	255,941	329,577	359,678
5	102,931	156,883	232,005	253,039

Score	Percentage of Exams for Each Graduating Class			
	2002	2007	2011	2012
1	10.8	14.5	16.6	16.0
2	24.8	23.4	20.9	21.0
3	29.6	27.4	26.3	26.0
4	21.6	21.5	21.2	21.7
5	13.2	13.2	15.0	15.3