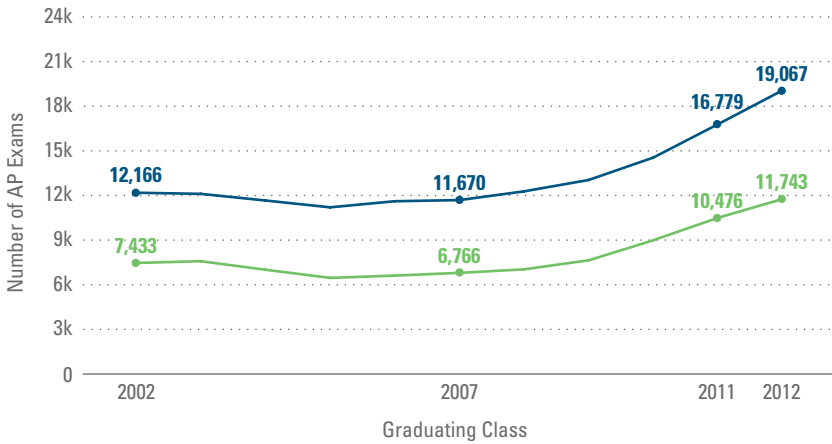


# Computer Science A

## Change in AP® Exam participation and success over time

- Taken by graduates during high school
- Taken by graduates during high school scoring 3+

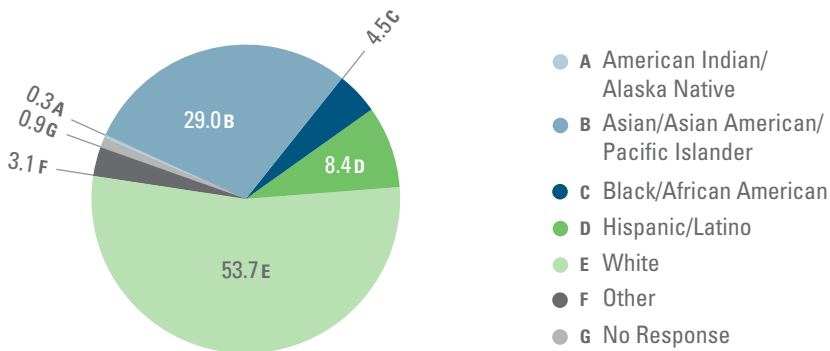


## Score Distributions

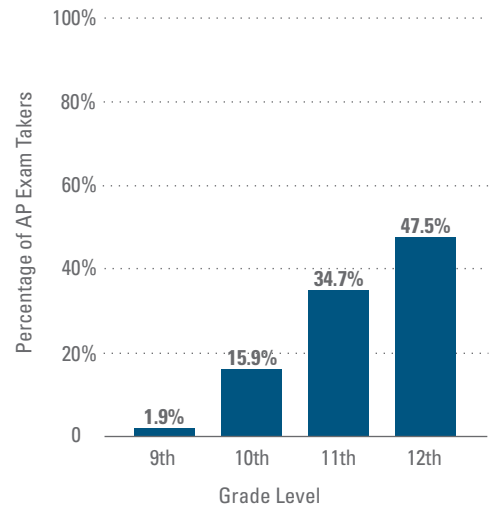
	2002	2007	2011	2012
5	2,128 17.5%	2,360 20.2%	3,951 23.5%	4,357 22.9%
4	3,028 24.9%	2,766 23.7%	4,149 24.7%	4,568 24.0%
3	2,277 18.7%	1,640 14.1%	2,376 14.2%	2,818 14.8%
2	1,114 9.2%	982 8.4%	1,338 8.0%	1,452 7.6%
1	3,619 29.7%	3,922 33.6%	4,965 29.6%	5,872 30.8%

## AP Exam takers, class of 2012

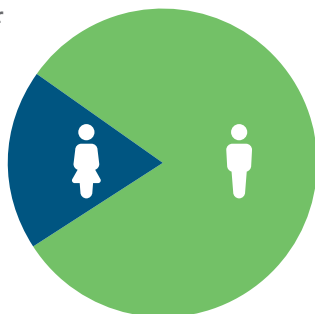
### Race/Ethnicity Percentages†



## Exams taken by grade level, class of 2012



### Gender



**19%**  
Female

**81%**  
Male

These data are for U.S. public schools only and reflect exams taken by members of particular graduating classes at any point in high school, as opposed to exams taken by all students in a given year's exam administration.

†Due to rounding, percentages do not always add up to 100.0.