



Table D6
Average ACT Area Scores of New First-Time Students Recently Out of School by Gender
2008-2012 Autumn Semester Census

ACT TEST AREA	GENDER	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
English	Females	24.1	24.1	24.3	21.6	24.3
	Males	23.7	23.9	24.3	23.3	24.6
	Total	23.9	24.0	24.3	22.4	24.4
	<i>Utah Average</i>	21.4	21.4	21.4	21.4	20.0
	<i>National Average</i>	20.6	20.6	20.5	20.6	20.5
Mathematics	Females	22.4	22.5	22.2	20.0	22.8
	Males	24.5	24.3	25.0	22.2	25.2
	Total	23.4	23.4	23.6	21.2	24.0
	<i>Utah Average</i>	21.1	21.1	21.1	21.2	20.3
	<i>National Average</i>	21.0	21.0	21.0	21.1	21.1
Reading	Females	24.9	24.7	24.9	23.1	24.6
	Males	25.1	25.2	25.5	24.5	25.6
	Total	25.0	25.0	25.2	23.9	25.1
	<i>Utah Average</i>	22.5	22.6	22.5	22.3	21.3
	<i>National Average</i>	21.4	21.4	21.3	21.3	21.3
Science Reasoning	Females	22.7	22.9	23.0	21.7	23.0
	Males	24.7	24.5	25.1	23.9	25.4
	Total	23.7	23.7	24.0	22.9	24.2
	<i>Utah Average</i>	21.6	21.6	21.7	21.7	20.8
	<i>National Average</i>	20.8	20.9	20.9	20.9	20.9
Composite	Females	23.7	23.7	23.8	23.8	23.8
	Males	24.6	24.6	25.1	25.1	25.3
	Total	24.1	24.1	24.4	24.4	24.5
	<i>Utah Average</i>	21.8	21.8	21.8	21.8	20.7
	<i>National Average</i>	21.1	21.1	21	21.1	21.1