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Ohio

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Ohio



	State	% of National
Population	11,646,273	3.6%
18-55 Population	5,357,286	3.5%
Number of Institutions	212	4.4%

Ohio has 212 degree-granting higher education institutions, which represent 4.4% of all such institutions in the United States. These institutions enrolled a total of 668,270 students as of fall 2015 (577,595 of which are studying at the undergraduate level and 90,675 at the graduate level). The fall 2015 figure is a decrease of 34,789 students (or -4.9%) from the number enrolled in the fall of 2012.

Among the total student body, 198,194 (171,158 undergraduates and 27,036 graduate students) were taking at least one course at a distance. This is 29.7% of the enrolled student body, which is lower than the national average rate of 29.7%. The number of students taking distance education courses in the state increased by 31,213 (or 18.7%) between fall 2012 and fall 2015. This is higher than the national level of growth of 11.0%.

76,706 students in Ohio are taking all of their courses at a distance, made up of 60,052 undergraduates and 16,654 graduates. This represents 11.5% of all students enrolled in the state, a rate that is lower than the national average of 14.3%. A total of 62,131 (or 81.0% of these exclusively online students) live in Ohio, the remainder come from outside of the state. This rate is higher than the national in-state average of 55.1%.

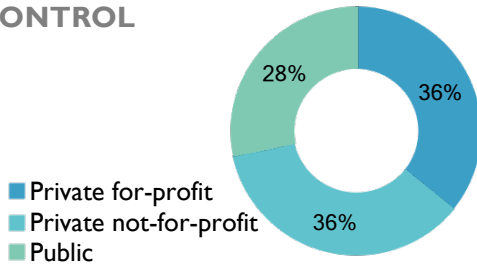
The number of students that take any of their courses on campus, including those who take all of their courses on campus and those who take a mix of on-campus and distance courses, is 591,564, or 88.5% of the total student enrollment in Ohio. This number represents a decrease in proportion on campus from the four years prior (90.5% from 635,934 students in 2012). The -1.9% rate is a larger change than the national 1.7% decrease.

Overall and Distance Enrollment - 2015

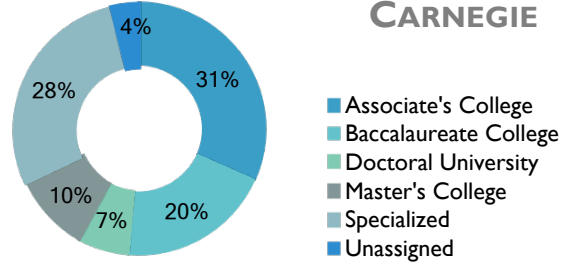
		Total		Undergraduate		Graduate	
		All Students	Any Distance	All Students	Any Distance	All Students	Any Distance
		Total					
		668,270	198,194	577,595	171,158	90,675	27,036
Control	Private for-profit	24,403	7,274	23,816	6,808	587	466
	Private not-for-profit	139,052	27,393	110,757	18,389	28,295	9,004
	Public	504,815	163,527	443,022	145,961	61,793	17,566
Type	2 to 4-year	183,836	66,695	183,836	66,695	0	0
	4-year or more	484,434	131,499	393,759	104,463	90,675	27,036
Institutional Enrollment Size	Under 1,000	29,580	6,228	26,391	5,524	3,189	704
	1,000 - 4,999	180,693	48,610	168,552	43,662	12,141	4,948
	5,000 - 9,999	50,325	18,197	44,353	15,511	5,972	2,686
	10,000 - 19,999	158,833	39,477	134,292	33,693	24,541	5,784
	20,000 and above	248,839	85,682	204,007	72,768	44,832	12,914
Carnegie	Associate's College	210,706	78,603	210,634	78,597	72	6
	Baccalaureate College	63,043	10,852	60,270	9,913	2,773	939
	Doctoral University	297,039	82,366	226,667	62,394	70,372	19,972
	Master's College	66,166	13,878	52,778	9,175	13,388	4,703
	Specialized	29,683	12,221	25,613	10,805	4,070	1,416
	Unassigned	1,633	274	1,633	274	0	0

Distribution of State Institutions

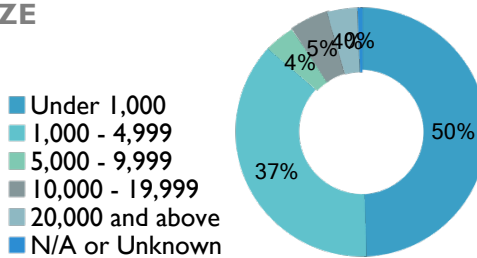
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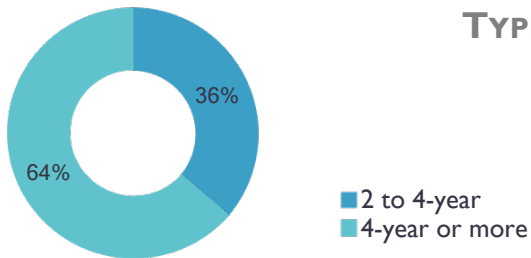
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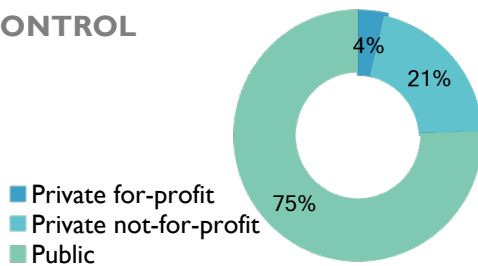


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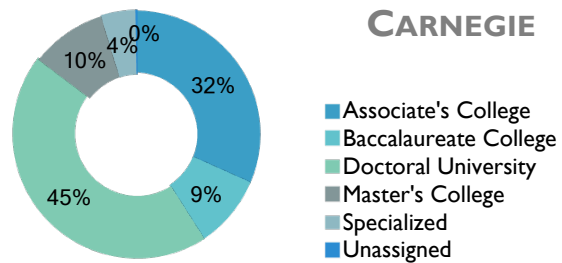


Distribution of Total Student Enrollment

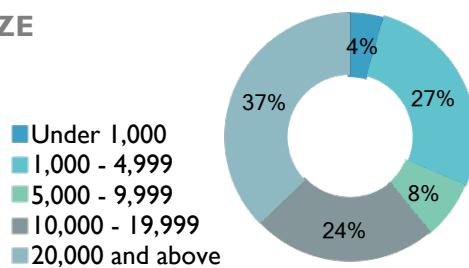
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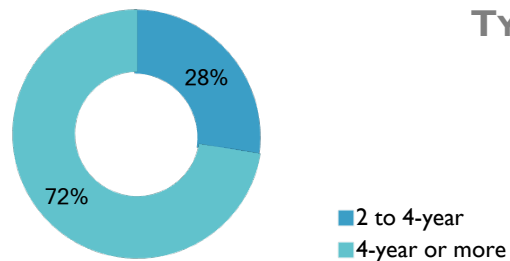
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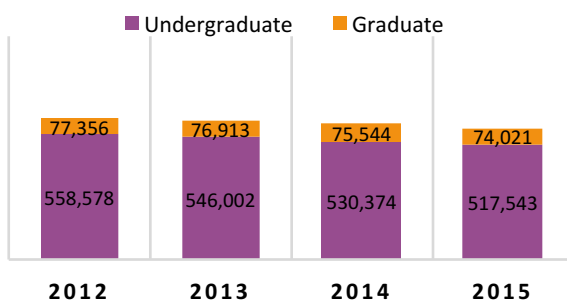
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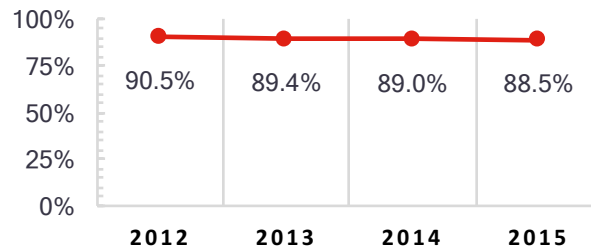
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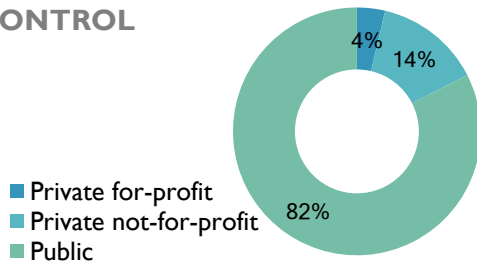


PERCENT ON CAMPUS

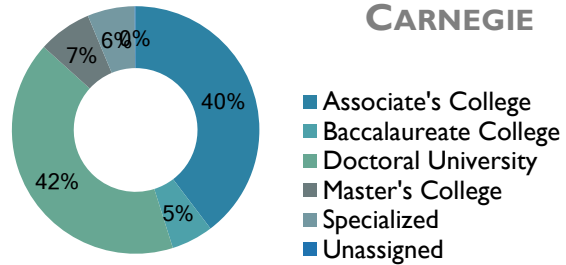


Distribution of Distance Student Enrollment

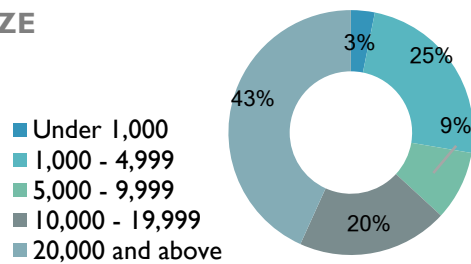
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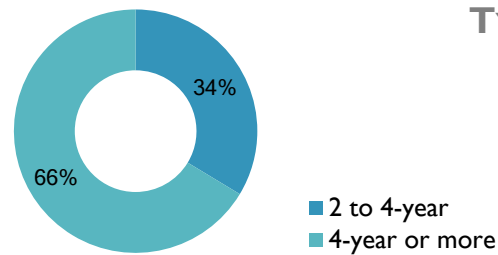
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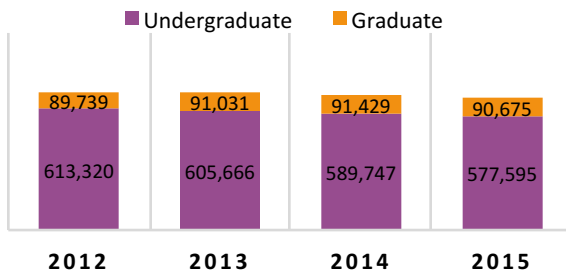


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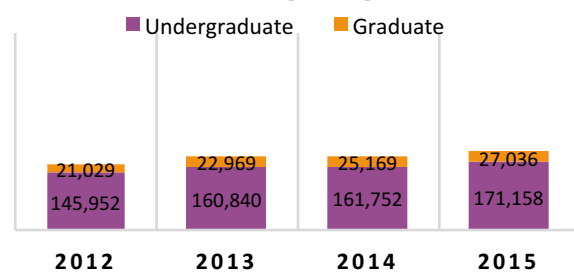


Enrollment Trends

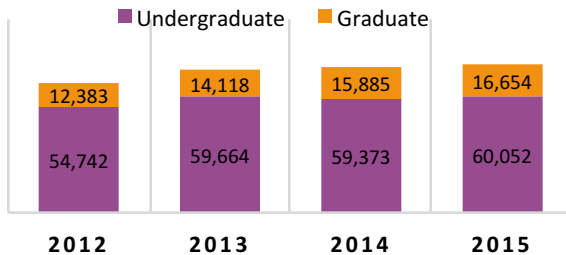
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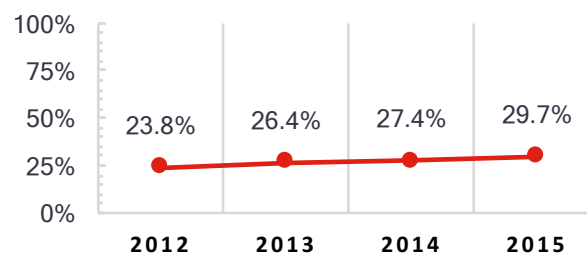
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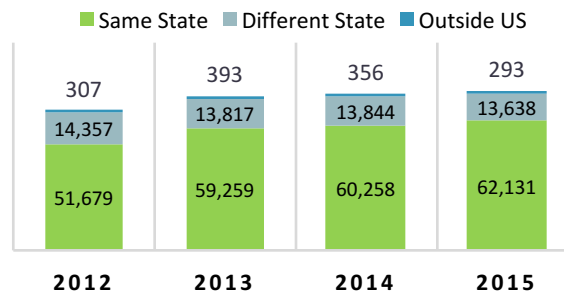
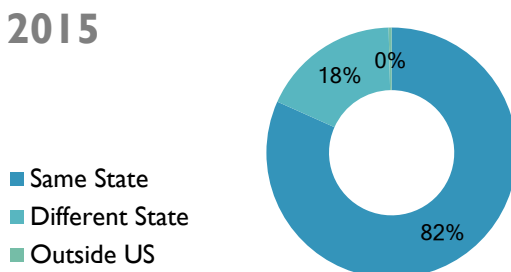


PERCENT DISTANCE



Exclusively Distance Student Locations

2015



Overall Enrollment in Ohio

Top 10 Institutions by Total Numbers of Students - 2015

Rank	Institution	Total	Undergrad	Graduate	Control
1	Ohio State University-Main Campus	58,663	45,289	13,374	Public
2	University of Cincinnati-Main Campus	36,042	25,009	11,033	Public
3	Kent State University at Kent	30,067	23,607	6,460	Public
4	Ohio University-Main Campus	29,157	23,513	5,644	Public
5	Columbus State Community College	25,983	25,983	0	Public
6	Cuyahoga Community College District	25,449	25,449	0	Public
7	University of Akron Main Campus	23,101	19,093	4,008	Public
8	University of Toledo	20,377	16,064	4,313	Public
9	Miami University-Oxford	19,076	16,387	2,689	Public
10	Sinclair Community College	18,136	18,136	0	Public

Top 10 Institutions by Enrollment Growth 2012-2015

Rank	Institution	2012	2015	Change	Control
1	University of Cincinnati-Main Campus	33,347	36,042	2,695	Public
2	Ohio State University-Main Campus	56,387	58,663	2,276	Public
3	Ohio University-Main Campus	27,402	29,157	1,755	Public
4	Kent State University at Kent	28,602	30,067	1,465	Public
5	Miami University-Oxford	17,683	19,076	1,393	Public
6	Case Western Reserve University	10,026	11,340	1,314	Private not-for-profit
7	Ohio Christian University	3,148	4,290	1,142	Private not-for-profit
8	Hondros College	1,415	1,963	548	Private for-profit
9	James A Rhodes State College	3,883	4,368	485	Public
10	Eastern Gateway Community College	2,561	3,024	463	Public

Distance Enrollment in Ohio

Top 10 Institutions by Distance Enrollment - 2015

Rank	Institution	Total	Undergrad	Graduate	Control
1	University of Cincinnati-Main Campus	13,992	9,011	4,981	Public
2	Kent State University at Kent	13,754	10,808	2,946	Public
3	Cuyahoga Community College District	12,266	12,266	0	Public
4	Columbus State Community College	11,907	11,907	0	Public
5	Ohio State University-Main Campus	11,747	10,458	1,289	Public
6	Ohio University-Main Campus	10,828	8,576	2,252	Public
7	University of Toledo	7,266	6,328	938	Public
8	Sinclair Community College	5,705	5,705	0	Public
9	Wright State University-Main Campus	5,543	3,913	1,630	Public
10	Stark State College	5,282	5,282	0	Public

Top 10 Institutions by Distance Enrollment Growth 2012-2015

Rank	Institution	2012	2015	Change	Control
1	University of Cincinnati-Main Campus	9,424	13,992	4,568	Public
2	Ohio State University-Main Campus	7,218	11,747	4,529	Public
3	Kent State University at Kent	10,159	13,754	3,595	Public
4	Wright State University-Main Campus	2,346	5,543	3,197	Public
5	University of Akron Main Campus	1,657	3,922	2,265	Public
6	Miami University-Oxford	819	2,422	1,603	Public
7	Stark State College	3,693	5,282	1,589	Public
8	Bowling Green State University-Main Campus	1,880	3,235	1,355	Public
9	Ohio University-Main Campus	9,474	10,828	1,354	Public
10	Cleveland State University	4,102	4,994	892	Public