

**SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY GROUP DATA EXCHANGE  
INSTITUTIONAL SUMMARY FORM  
FALL 2008**

INSTITUTION: Mississippi State University

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Instructions: In Parts I and II, provide the numbers and percents as appropriate. In Part III, summarize highlights of significant events/situations at your institution during the past year and, when available, as anticipated in the following year. Use telegraphic words/phrases. Add additional lines as necessary.

**Part I: Preliminary Enrollments (Headcount/FTE - gains/losses) for Fall 2008**

<b>Fall 2008</b>	Number	Percent	Increase/Decrease from previous fall	
			Number	Percent
<b>a) Undergraduate Headcount</b>	<u>13,991</u>	<u>78.5%</u>	<u>783</u>	<u>5.9%</u>
(Included in (a) above):				
Entering Freshman Headcount (fall entrants)	<u>2,486</u>	<u>17.8%</u>	<u>205</u>	<u>9.0%</u>
Entering Freshman Headcount (summer + fall entrants)	<u>2,486</u>	<u>17.8%</u>	<u>205</u>	<u>9.0%</u>
Total Out-of-State Headcount	<u>2,388</u>	<u>17.1%</u>	<u>191</u>	<u>8.7%</u>
<b>b) Undergraduate FTE</b>	<u>12,779</u>	<u>83.9%</u>	<u>768</u>	<u>6.4%</u>
<b>c) Graduate/First Prof. Headcount</b>	<u>3,833</u>	<u>21.5%</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>0.1%</u>
(Included in (c) above):				
Total Out-of-State Headcount	<u>1,219</u>	<u>31.8%</u>	<u>122</u>	<u>11.1%</u>
<b>d) Graduate/First Prof. FTE</b>	<u>2,461</u>	<u>16.1%</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>0.1%</u>
Total Headcount (a+c)	<u>17,824</u>	<u>          </u>	<u>785</u>	<u>4.6%</u>
Total FTE (b+d)	<u>15,240</u>	<u>          </u>	<u>770</u>	<u>5.3%</u>
<b>Enrollment Headcount by Ethnicity</b>				
White	<u>12,851</u>	<u>72.1%</u>	<u>360</u>	<u>2.9%</u>
Black	<u>3,622</u>	<u>20.3%</u>	<u>271</u>	<u>8.1%</u>
Hispanic	<u>201</u>	<u>1.1%</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>14.2%</u>
Asian	<u>236</u>	<u>1.3%</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>6.8%</u>
Amer Indian/Alaskan Native	<u>95</u>	<u>0.5%</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>14.5%</u>
Non-resident alien	<u>676</u>	<u>3.8%</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>3.4%</u>
Unknown	<u>143</u>	<u>0.8%</u>	<u>80</u>	<u>127.0%</u>
Other: _____	<u>0</u>	<u>0.0%</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>---</u>
	<u>17,824</u>			
Average Test Score for 2008 Entering Freshmen	<u>24</u>			

**Part II: Faculty/Staff Salary Increases for 2008-09**

	% Change	Effective Date	Comments
Faculty	<u>0.0%</u>	<u>7/1/2008</u>	<u>Across the board</u>
Staff	<u>0.0%</u>	<u>7/1/2008</u>	<u>Across the board</u>

**Part III: Significant Events/Situations(i.e., funding changes, financial outlook, and other) - insert additional rows as needed**

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**Peer Group Universities:**

- 1 Auburn University
- 2 Clemson University
- 3 Iowa State University
- 4 Kansas State University
- 5 New Mexico State University
- 6 North Carolina State University
- 7 Oklahoma State University
- 8 Oregon State University
- 9 Purdue University
- 10 Utah State University