

**SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY GROUP DATA EXCHANGE
INSTITUTIONAL SUMMARY FORM
FALL 2005**

INSTITUTION: University of Alabama at Birmingham

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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 2005

	Number	Percent	Increase/Decrease from previous fall	
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Fall 2005				
a) Undergraduate Headcount	<u>11,470</u>	<u>69.2%</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>0.3%</u>
(Included in (a) above):				
Entering Freshman Headcount (fall entrants)	<u>1,523</u>	<u>13.3%</u>	<u>-14</u>	<u>(0.9%)</u>
Entering Freshman Headcount (summer + fall entrants)	<u>1,587</u>	<u>13.8%</u>	<u>-41</u>	<u>(2.5%)</u>
Total Out-of-State Headcount	<u>687</u>	<u>6.0%</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>3.8%</u>
b) Undergraduate FTE	<u>9,593</u>	<u>70.7%</u>	<u>42</u>	<u>0.4%</u>
c) Graduate/First Prof. Headcount	<u>5,102</u>	<u>30.8%</u>	<u>-150</u>	<u>(2.9%)</u>
(Included in (c) above):				
Total Out-of-State Headcount	<u>840</u>	<u>16.5%</u>	<u>34</u>	<u>4.2%</u>
d) Graduate/First Prof. FTE	<u>3,977</u>	<u>29.3%</u>	<u>-29</u>	<u>(0.7%)</u>
Total Headcount (a+c)	<u>16,572</u>		<u>-121</u>	<u>(0.7%)</u>
Total FTE (b+d)	<u>13,570</u>		<u>13</u>	<u>0.1%</u>
Enrollment Headcount by Ethnicity				
White	<u>10,135</u>	<u>61.2%</u>	<u>-23</u>	<u>(0.2%)</u>
Black	<u>4,352</u>	<u>26.3%</u>	<u>-45</u>	<u>(1.0%)</u>
Hispanic	<u>193</u>	<u>1.2%</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>6.6%</u>
Asian	<u>615</u>	<u>3.7%</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>4.9%</u>
Amer Indian/Alaskan Native	<u>79</u>	<u>0.5%</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>11.3%</u>
Non-resident alien	<u>895</u>	<u>5.4%</u>	<u>-114</u>	<u>(11.3%)</u>
Unknown	<u>303</u>	<u>1.8%</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>4.1%</u>
Other: _____	<u>0</u>	<u>0.0%</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0.0%</u>
	16,572			

Part II: Faculty/Staff Salary Increases for 2005-06

	% Change	Effective Date	Comments
Faculty	<u>4.0%</u>	<u>11/1/2005</u>	<u>4% pool but deans encouraged to do more</u>
Staff	<u>4.0%</u>	<u>11/1/2005</u>	<u>4% pool distributed based on merit</u>

Part III: Significant Events/Situations(i.e., funding changes, financial outlook, and other)

After many years of poor state funding, the state of Alabama rebounded and the legislature proclaimed 2005-06 to be "the year of higher education." UAB's 2005-06 state appropriation for O&M represented a 15.4% increase. Due to such a large increase from the state, UAB was able to keep tuition and fee increases relatively low (3% for undergraduates and 5% for graduate students).

Major building projects on campus include the opening of the following: a new Campus Recreation Center, a new student parking deck, new 11-story hospital building, and a new emergency room facility 3 times larger than the old one. Under construction are a new 13 story biomedical research facility and a research support building.

Peer Group Universities:

- 1 SUG
- 2 Urban 13/21 and other metropolitan institutions
- 3 Research Universities
- 4 _____
- 5 _____
- 6 _____
- 7 _____
- 8 _____
- 9 _____
- 10 _____