

**Table 17: MCAT Scores and GPAs for Applicants and Matriculants to U.S. Medical Schools, 2001-2012**



Average MCAT scores and GPAs for applicants and matriculants are displayed below. Please e-mail us at [facts@aamc.org](mailto:facts@aamc.org) if you need further assistance or have additional inquiries.

Applicants		2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
MCAT VR	Mean	8.6	8.7	8.6	8.9	8.9	8.9	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.1	9.0	9.0
	SD*	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.2	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.1
MCAT PS	Mean	9.0	9.0	8.9	8.9	9.0	9.0	9.2	9.3	9.2	9.4	9.4	9.5
	SD	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3
MCAT BS	Mean	9.2	9.3	9.2	9.3	9.4	9.5	9.6	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.9	9.9
	SD	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.1	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.1
Total MCAT	Mean	26.8	27.0	26.8	27.1	27.3	27.4	27.7	28.1	27.9	28.3	28.2	28.3
	SD	5.7	5.6	5.6	5.5	5.6	5.6	5.8	5.6	5.6	5.5	5.5	5.5
MCAT WS	Median	P	O	P	O	O	O	O	P	O	P	P	P
GPA Science	Mean	3.36	3.36	3.36	3.36	3.37	3.38	3.39	3.40	3.41	3.43	3.43	3.44
	SD	0.46	0.46	0.46	0.46	0.45	0.45	0.45	0.44	0.44	0.43	0.43	0.43
GPA Non-Science	Mean	3.58	3.59	3.60	3.60	3.60	3.61	3.62	3.63	3.64	3.65	3.65	3.66
	SD	0.34	0.34	0.33	0.33	0.32	0.32	0.32	0.31	0.31	0.30	0.30	0.31
GPA Total	Mean	3.45	3.46	3.47	3.47	3.48	3.48	3.49	3.50	3.51	3.53	3.53	3.54
	SD	0.38	0.37	0.37	0.37	0.36	0.37	0.36	0.36	0.35	0.35	0.34	0.34
<b>Total Applicants</b>		<b>34,860</b>	<b>33,624</b>	<b>34,791</b>	<b>35,735</b>	<b>37,372</b>	<b>39,108</b>	<b>42,315</b>	<b>42,231</b>	<b>42,268</b>	<b>42,741</b>	<b>43,919</b>	<b>45,266</b>

Matriculants		2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
MCAT VR	Mean	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.7	9.7	9.8	9.9	9.9	9.8	9.9	9.8	9.8
	SD	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7
MCAT PS	Mean	10.0	10.0	9.9	9.9	10.0	10.1	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.4	10.4	10.5
	SD	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	2.0	2.0	1.9	1.9	1.9
MCAT BS	Mean	10.1	10.2	10.2	10.3	10.4	10.5	10.6	10.7	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.9
	SD	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.6
Total MCAT	Mean	29.6	29.6	29.6	29.9	30.2	30.3	30.8	30.9	30.8	31.1	31.1	31.2
	SD	4.3	4.3	4.2	4.1	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.0
MCAT WS	Median	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	Q	Q	Q
GPA Science	Mean	3.54	3.54	3.55	3.56	3.56	3.57	3.59	3.60	3.60	3.61	3.61	3.63
	SD	0.35	0.36	0.35	0.35	0.35	0.34	0.33	0.33	0.32	0.32	0.32	0.31
GPA Non-Science	Mean	3.68	3.69	3.70	3.70	3.70	3.71	3.73	3.73	3.74	3.75	3.74	3.75
	SD	0.28	0.27	0.26	0.26	0.27	0.26	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.24	0.25	0.24
GPA Total	Mean	3.60	3.61	3.62	3.62	3.63	3.64	3.65	3.66	3.66	3.67	3.67	3.68
	SD	0.29	0.29	0.28	0.28	0.28	0.27	0.27	0.26	0.26	0.26	0.26	0.25
<b>Total Matriculants</b>		<b>16,365</b>	<b>16,488</b>	<b>16,541</b>	<b>16,648</b>	<b>17,003</b>	<b>17,361</b>	<b>17,759</b>	<b>18,036</b>	<b>18,390</b>	<b>18,665</b>	<b>19,230</b>	<b>19,517</b>

\* SD = Standard Deviation