

**TABLE I**  
**Number of and Trends in 12th Grade Enrollment, Ole Miss First-Time Full-Time Freshmen**  
**and Drawing Power\* by Regions in Mississippi**  
**Fall Semester 1986 -- Fall Semester 1997**

	NORTHERN COUNTIES											
	FALL 1986^	FALL 1987	FALL 1988	FALL 1989	FALL 1990	FALL 1991	FALL 1992	FALL 1993	FALL 1994	FALL 1995	FALL 1996	FALL 1997
FIRST-TIME FULL-TIME FRESHMEN	356	383	383	412	375	372	348	330	313	378	461	402
PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOL 12TH GRADE ENROLLMENT**	9,172	9,525	10,070	9,807	9,371	9,042	8,792	8,998	8,636	8,905	8,525	8,535
DRAWING POWER	0.0388	0.0402	0.0380	0.0420	0.0400	0.0411	0.0396	0.0367	0.0362	0.0424	0.0541	0.0471
	CENTRAL COUNTIES											
	FALL 1986^	FALL 1987	FALL 1988	FALL 1989	FALL 1990	FALL 1991	FALL 1992	FALL 1993	FALL 1994	FALL 1995	FALL 1996	FALL 1997
FIRST-TIME FULL-TIME FRESHMEN	297	320	324	302	266	281	202	211	255	233	284	300
PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOL 12TH GRADE ENROLLMENT**	9,050	9,367	10,273	9,926	9,501	8,985	8,718	8,925	8,956	8,946	8,801	8,659
DRAWING POWER	0.0328	0.0342	0.0315	0.0304	0.0280	0.0313	0.0232	0.0236	0.0285	0.0260	0.0323	0.0346

SOUTHERN COUNTIES												
	FALL 1986 <sup>^</sup>	FALL 1987	FALL 1988	FALL 1989	FALL 1990	FALL 1991	FALL 1992	FALL 1993	FALL 1994	FALL 1995	FALL 1996	FALL 1997
FIRST-TIME FULL-TIME FRESHMEN	161	137	143	155	154	137	136	122	132	132	152	143
PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOL 12TH GRADE ENROLLMENT**	9,079	9,513	9,938	9,396	8,979	8,205	8,027	8,218	8,377	8,389	8,231	8,517
DRAWING POWER	0.0177	0.0144	0.0144	0.0165	0.0172	0.0167	0.0169	0.0148	0.0158	0.0157	0.0185	0.0168
TOTAL OF ALL COUNTIES												
	FALL 1986 <sup>^</sup>	FALL 1987	FALL 1988	FALL 1989	FALL 1990	FALL 1991	FALL 1992	FALL 1993	FALL 1994	FALL 1995	FALL 1996	FALL 1997
FIRST-TIME FULL-TIME FRESHMEN	814	840	850	869	795	790	686	663	700	743	897	845
PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOL 12TH GRADE ENROLLMENT**	27,301	28,405	30,281	29,129	27,851	26,232	25,537	26,141	25,969	26,240	25,557	25,711
DRAWING POWER	0.0298	0.0296	0.0281	0.0298	0.0285	0.0301	0.0269	0.0254	0.0270	0.0283	0.0351	0.0329

\*Drawing power computed as decimal fraction of Ole Miss first-time full-time freshmen divided by previous year's 12th grade public school enrollment.

\*\*Actual previous fall enrollment

<sup>^</sup>Change in IHL admissions requirements in effect