**ID**: self-explanatory

**Entry Term (Application):** Year for which (in the Fall) admission was sought

**Admit Type**: First year or transfer. This dataset is supposed to have only first years

**Permanent Postal**: Zip code

**Permanent Country**: Country of residence

**Sex**: Self explanatory

**Ethnicity:** Self explanatory

**Race:** Self explanatory

**Religion:** Self explanatory

**First\_Source Origin First Source Date**: Date Trinity was given by a third party (such as the College Board or others) that the person was seeking admission to college

**Inquiry Date:** Date the person inquired about admissions to TU

**Submitted:** Date application submitted

**Application Source**: How the application was referred to TU

**Decision Plan**: Self explanatory

**Staff Assigned Name**: Self explanatory

**Legacy:** An applicant that has some relationship to someone involved with TU e.g. faculty, board member, staff , etc

**Opt-out:** This person is an athlete or could be classified as Legacy, but is not using this status to apply to TU

**Athlete:** Self explanatory

**Sport 1,2,3 Sport**: First/second/third choice sport

**Sport 1,2,3 Rating:** Franchise (playing in a name brand team) >Blue Chip (the coach REALLY wants you) > Varsity (expected to make the varsity team)

**Academic Interest 1,2,3:** Self explanatory

**First\_Source Origin First Source Summary**: the source from where TU heard first about the applicant

**Total Event Participation**: This indicates if they came to one of our Open House events on campus (Trinity in Focus, Tower Scholars Day, etc), or how many non-campus visits events the applicant participated in

**Count of Campus Visits:** This indicates if they visited campus for a Daily Visit, Overnight Stay, Athletic Camp, On-Campus Interview, or Group Visit (with their high school). Please note that we offered virtual visits beginning mid-March when campus closed down in 2020. The virtual visit data is not included here.

**School #1,2,3 Organization Category**: Self explanatory

**School 1,2,3 Class Rank (Numeric):** Self explanatory

**School 1,2,3 Class Size (Numeric):** Self explanatory

**School 1,2,3 GPA**

**School 1 GPA Scale**

**School 1 GPA Recalculated**

**ACT (Composite / English / Reading / Math / Science Reasoning / Writing):** Self explanatory

**SAT I (CR + M, Critical Reading, Math, Writing):** SAT scores that have not been “recentered”, see next

**SAT R (Evidence-Based Reading and Writing Section + Math Section, Evidence-Based Reading and Writing Section, Math Section):** All SAT Program test scores for tests taken on or after April 1, 1995, are reported on a recentered scale. This is indicated by an "R" next to students' scores.

**Permanent Geomarket**: Internal TU subdivisionof geographic markets in a way that makes sense to TU admissions staff

**Citizenship Status:** Self explanatory

**Academic Index**: A “secret formula” reported by third party software that is supposed to encompass all measures of academic excellence such as GPA, test scores, percentile, etc. Note that 1 is best and 5 is worst.

**Intend to Apply for Financial Aid?**: 1 is Yes, 0 is No

**Merit Award**: See merit award table on a separate spreadsheet. Basically, the letters are the kind of award and the numbers the thousands of dollars given as annual discount from original sticker price

**SAT Concordance Score (of SAT R):** translation of old SAT scores to new SAT scores. The SAT test changed in 2018.

**ACT Concordance Score (of SAT R):** ACT equivalent of SAT R (recentered)

**ACT Concordance Score (of SAT):** ACT equivalent of SAT (without recentering)

**Decision:** 1 accepted the offer, 0 not accepted the offer

Also,

* We use ACT scores or a SAT converted to ACT score to calculate the Merit Award, in addition to the Recalculated GPA.
* In Fall 2020, we eliminated one round of our Early Action, where we had two rounds in previous years. So you'll see only one round of Early Action, two rounds of Early Decision, and one round of Regular Decision.
* In Fall 2021 admission was test-optional. Those with a 1 elected to no send any standardized test scores.