

#### GRE® General Test Interpretive Data by Broad Graduate Major Field

Table 3A presents Verbal Reasoning, Quantitative Reasoning and Analytical Writing data for seniors and nonenrolled college graduates who stated that they intended to do graduate work in one of approximately 300 major fields. The score data are summarized by 51 broad graduate major field categories so that applicants can be compared to others likely to be most similar to them in educational goals. To view score data summarized by the 300 major fields (Table 3B), see www.ets.org/s/gre/pdf/gre\_table3B.pdf.

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Intended Graduate Major	VR 130- 134	VR 135- 139	VR 140- 144	VR 145- 149	VR 150- 154	VR 155- 159	VR 160- 164	VR 165- 169	VR 170	VR N	VR M	VR SD	QR 130- 134	QR 135- 139	QR 140- 144	QR 145- 149	QR 150- 154	QR 155- 159	QR 160- 164	QR 165- 169	QR 170	QR N	QR M	QR SD	AW 0	AW 0.5 & 1	AW 1.5 & 2	AW 2.5 & 3	AW 3.5 & 4	AW 4.5 & 5	AW 5.5 & 6	AW N	AW M	AW SD
LIFE SCIENCES	1.4	4.7	13.5	27.2	27.2	17.3	6.8	1.9	0.2	143,002	150	7	1.1	5.4	15.7	27.7	26.5	14.1	5.8	3.1	0.7	143,057	150	7	0.0	0.2	2.6	21.9	51.5	22.0	1.8	142,830	3.8	0.8
Agriculture, Natural Res. & Conservation	1.7	5.4	13.6	23.4	25.9	18.0	8.8	2.9	0.2	5,538	151	7	1.1	4.6	12.8	22.5	22.7	15.2	10.2	8.6	2.2	5,541	152	9	0.1	0.5	5.2	31.4	45.4	16.2	1.2	5,526	3.6	0.8
Biological & Biomedical Sciences	1.2	3.6	9.4	20.5	26.3	22.2	12.2	4.2	0.5	29,806	152	7	0.7	3.0	9.7	20.6	25.4	19.0	11.2	8.4	2.0	29,823	153	8	0.0	0.3	2.5	20.8	48.5	25.1	2.9	29,800	3.8	0.8
Health & Medical Sciences	1.4	5.0	14.6	29.2	27.5	15.8	5.2	1.2	0.1	107,658	150	7	1.2	6.1	17.5	29.9	26.9	12.7	4.0	1.4	0.2	107,693	149	7	0.0	0.2	2.5	21.7	52.6	21.4	1.6	107,504	3.8	0.7
PHYSICAL SCIENCES	2.4	5.5	9.6	15.3	28.6	21.1	12.6	4.4	0.5	121,962	152	8	0.2	0.7	1.8	4.1	8.1	13.9	24.6	35.6	11.0	122,037	162	7	0.0	0.6	6.7	39.4	39.5	12.1	1.6	122,012	3.4	0.8
Chemistry	2.1	4.4	8.7	15.9	23.2	23.5	15.3	6.2	0.8	4,460	153	8	0.2	1.2	4.6	10.7	19.8	22.1	18.6	18.1	4.8	4,466	157	8	0.0	0.5	3.1	24.8	42.3	25.8	3.5	4,460	3.8	0.9
Computer & Information Sciences	2.6	6.0	10.2	16.1	30.8	20.4	10.4	3.1	0.3	92,083	151	8	0.2	0.7	1.7	3.6	7.3	13.4	26.3	36.7	10.1	92,127	162	7	0.0	0.8	8.0	43.5	37.9	8.8	1.0	92,155	3.3	0.8
Earth, Atmospheric, & Marine Sciences	1.1	3.2	6.6	14.7	23.8	25.6	17.8	6.4	0.9	3,777	154	8	0.4	2.4	6.7	17.6	25.1	20.9	12.9	10.8	3.3	3,782	155	8	0.0	0.2	2.3	20.0	45.9	27.9	3.7	3,777	3.9	0.8
Mathematical Sciences	1.9	4.7	8.1	11.9	20.8	21.9	19.8	9.7	1.2	16,510	154	9	0.1	0.2	0.7	1.8	5.0	11.0	20.1	41.6	19.5	16,517	164	6	0.0	0.3	2.9	29.5	44.9	19.2	3.3	16,493	3.7	0.8
Physics & Astronomy	1.2	2.6	5.7	12.0	20.3	26.6	21.4	9.1	1.2	5,017	155	8	0.1	0.3	1.0	4.5	10.4	18.6	23.7	30.1	11.3	5,030	162	7	0.0	0.4	2.5	23.4	43.9	26.2	3.7	5,012	3.8	0.8
Natural Sciences — Other	4.3	7.0	13.9	16.5	31.3	11.3	13.9	0.9	0.9	115	150	8	0.9	2.6	14.8	20.9	23.5	13.9	10.4	9.6	3.5	115	152	9	0.0	0.0	7.8	28.7	47.0	13.9	2.6	115	3.6	0.9
ENGINEERING	3.4	6.4	10.5	16.5	26.6	21.3	11.5	3.5	0.3	72,611	151	8	0.2	0.8	2.0	4.8	10.7	17.3	25.8	30.7	7.7	72,881	161	7	0.0	1.0	7.2	37.5	39.4	13.4	1.5	72,488	3.4	0.9
Chemical	3.4	5.9	9.8	15.4	22.8	22.2	14.7	5.3	0.5	3,485	152	9	0.1	0.6	1.8	5.7	12.8	19.7	26.3	26.9	6.0	3,520	160	7	0.1	0.5	3.9	29.3	42.5	20.6	3.1	3,464	3.7	0.9
Civil	4.1	6.8	10.5	16.8	29.7	20.2	9.3	2.4	0.2	8,166	151	8	0.3	0.9	2.4	6.1	12.2	18.1	25.7	28.3	6.0	8,209	160	7	0.1	1.7	11.7	40.3	34.8	10.5	0.9	8,154	3.2	0.9
Electrical & Electronics	3.6	7.3	11.3	17.0	28.0	20.0	10.0	2.6	0.2	26,992	151	8	0.1	0.8	2.0	3.9	8.2	14.2	24.8	36.0	10.0	27,072	162	7	0.0	1.0	7.6	43.5	38.2	8.8	0.8	26,976	3.3	0.8
Industrial	3.6	6.9	13.0	20.8	24.1	18.7	9.5	3.2	0.4	3,604	150	8	0.2	0.8	2.8	6.0	13.0	20.0	24.6	26.1	6.4	3,614	160	7	0.0	0.4	4.1	35.7	45.3	13.1	1.4	3,592	3.5	0.8
Materials	1.5	5.0	9.2	13.0	22.2	24.1	17.4	6.7	0.8	2,100	153	8	0.0	0.1	0.8	2.9	8.7	14.7	24.8	36.9	11.1	2,105	163	6	0.0	0.3	2.7	30.6	42.5	20.5	3.3	2,093	3.7	0.8
Mechanical	3.5	6.9	10.7	16.5	27.0	21.2	10.6	3.2	0.3	17,314	151	8	0.3	0.9	1.9	4.6	11.1	17.2	27.8	29.6	6.6	17,354	161	7	0.0	1.1	8.5	38.5	38.1	12.4	1.3	17,295	3.4	0.9
Engineering — Other	2.3	3.8	7.8	14.4	22.8	25.5	17.0	6.0	0.5	10,950	153	8	0.2	0.6	2.2	6.0	14.1	23.0	25.8	22.9	5.1	11,007	159	7	0.1	0.5	3.4	23.4	44.4	24.7	3.5	10,914	3.8	0.9

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SOC. & BEHAVIORAL SCI.	1.2	3.5	8.2	16.1	22.4	22.9	16.8	7.9	1.0	67,888	154	8	1.5	5.4	11.8	17.6	18.2	14.9	12.6	13.1	4.9	67,961	154	10	0.0	0.3	2.5	19.4	44.0	28.2	5.6	67,814	3.9	0.9
Anthropology & Archaeology	0.7	1.6	5.6	13.1	24.1	28.8	17.6	7.6	0.8	1,704	155	7	2.2	7.2	14.8	27.1	23.8	14.4	6.6	3.1	0.6	1,704	150	8	0.0	0.2	1.9	15.4	46.4	30.1	6.0	1,704	4.0	0.8
Economics	1.5	3.6	6.8	11.4	19.6	22.8	21.6	11.3	1.4	18,812	155	8	0.1	0.4	1.4	3.9	8.2	14.8	22.8	34.0	14.4	18,870	162	7	0.0	0.2	2.5	25.2	45.2	22.0	4.8	18,761	3.8	0.8
Political Science	0.5	1.5	3.9	9.1	17.2	24.9	25.5	14.7	2.6	10,012	157	7	0.9	3.3	9.0	15.9	22.8	20.5	15.8	9.7	2.2	10,015	154	8	0.0	0.1	1.2	10.9	35.7	39.4	12.7	10,012	4.3	0.9
Psychology	1.1	3.8	10.2	20.9	25.7	22.5	11.5	3.9	0.3	32,619	152	7	2.2	8.1	18.1	25.1	22.3	13.5	6.5	3.3	0.9	32,628	149	8	0.0	0.3	2.7	18.7	46.3	28.3	3.8	32,592	3.9	0.8
Sociology	1.6	4.0	8.0	14.7	21.3	22.2	18.3	8.9	0.9	2,242	154	8	3.3	7.9	12.8	19.2	17.6	14.9	11.6	9.6	3.2	2,244	152	10	0.0	0.6	2.7	17.3	40.5	31.0	8.0	2,239	4.0	0.9
Soc. & Behaviorial Sci., Other	3.2	6.7	12.8	20.0	21.0	17.8	11.9	5.7	0.8	2,499	151	9	4.2	11.9	18.2	20.2	17.2	11.1	8.5	6.8	1.8	2,500	149	10	0.0	1.2	5.7	23.6	39.4	26.1	4.0	2,506	3.8	1.0
HUMANITIES & ARTS	1.1	2.2	5.1	10.5	18.3	25.0	22.5	13.0	2.4	10,288	156	8	2.3	6.1	12.8	19.5	20.1	16.0	11.0	9.5	2.7	10,287	152	9	0.1	0.3	2.0	15.0	39.7	34.2	8.7	10,286	4.1	0.9
Arts — History, Theory, & Criticism	1.0	1.7	3.0	9.1	17.5	30.7	25.1	10.5	1.4	573	157	7	1.7	5.1	12.0	20.4	24.1	16.9	11.2	6.8	1.7	573	152	8	0.0	0.2	2.4	12.2	38.4	38.4	8.3	575	4.2	0.9
Arts — Performance & Studio	2.2	4.6	8.4	16.3	21.6	21.7	17.5	6.9	0.8	1,559	153	8	2.1	5.1	11.1	15.7	17.2	15.8	13.7	13.8	5.4	1,562	154	10	0.1	0.5	3.3	24.4	44.5	23.2	3.9	1,559	3.8	0.9
English Language & Literature	0.9	1.6	4.5	10.0	20.3	26.3	22.3	12.1	2.0	2,400	156	8	3.0	6.9	15.0	23.0	20.4	13.4	8.3	8.2	1.8	2,396	151	9	0.1	0.3	1.4	12.8	39.1	37.0	9.3	2,400	4.2	0.9
Foreign Languages & Literatures	1.6	2.0	5.3	11.9	18.9	23.7	20.5	13.1	2.9	814	156	8	2.7	4.8	8.1	18.9	18.9	16.7	12.5	13.7	3.8	816	154	10	0.1	0.1	2.7	18.3	39.5	30.3	9.0	813	4.0	0.9
History	0.7	1.9	4.9	10.0	18.9	27.5	22.0	12.1	2.1	2,470	156	8	2.7	8.5	17.8	22.6	21.1	14.3	7.7	4.3	0.9	2,468	150	8	0.1	0.2	1.9	14.4	39.6	34.7	9.0	2,470	4.1	0.9
Philosophy	0.3	0.9	2.6	4.8	11.5	22.0	29.0	24.2	4.6	1,266	160	7	0.6	2.8	6.9	14.5	20.1	20.2	16.1	14.7	4.2	1,265	156	9	0.0	0.1	1.1	9.4	34.0	42.6	12.8	1,263	4.3	0.8
Humanities & Arts, Other	1.2	2.2	6.5	10.7	16.3	22.6	23.3	13.6	3.6	1,206	156	8	1.9	5.5	10.3	16.6	20.0	19.6	13.5	9.9	2.9	1,207	153	9	0.0	0.3	2.0	13.9	42.0	33.3	8.5	1,206	4.1	0.9

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EDUCATION	2.8	6.3	13.7	22.1	22.4	18.5	10.0	3.8	0.5	11,342	151	8	3.5	11.2	19.7	23.6	19.4	11.1	5.9	4.5	1.2	11,343	148	9	0.0	0.8	4.6	23.2	44.6	23.3	3.4	11,341	3.8	0.9
Administration	3.2	5.6	16.5	20.3	21.0	20.5	8.4	4.6	0.0	571	150	8	4.2	11.2	19.6	21.4	18.4	11.6	5.6	6.7	1.4	571	149	9	0.0	0.7	3.2	27.0	46.0	20.5	2.6	570	3.7	0.8
Curriculum & Instruction	1.3	8.2	14.5	22.6	24.5	16.4	6.9	5.0	0.6	159	150	8	4.4	9.4	14.5	28.9	22.0	13.8	4.4	2.5	0.0	159	148	8	0.0	0.0	4.4	24.5	40.3	27.0	3.8	159	3.8	0.8
Early Childhood	8.0	18.0	24.0	16.0	16.0	10.0	6.0	0.0	2.0	50	146	9	14.0	18.0	14.0	20.0	12.0	4.0	6.0	10.0	2.0	50	146	11	0.0	4.0	14.0	26.0	46.0	10.0	0.0	50	3.2	0.9
Elementary	4.8	9.3	17.7	25.9	21.2	12.4	6.4	2.0	0.4	1,368	148	8	5.4	15.7	22.4	24.4	18.8	8.1	3.4	1.3	0.4	1,369	146	8	0.0	1.2	5.9	28.6	42.5	19.8	1.9	1,366	3.6	0.9
Evaluation & Research	1.7	3.8	12.6	24.5	25.8	20.2	8.6	2.5	0.3	3,099	151	7	2.0	9.2	20.9	27.2	22.0	10.9	4.0	3.1	0.7	3,098	148	8	0.0	0.4	2.5	20.1	47.9	25.9	3.4	3,101	3.9	0.8
Higher	1.5	5.1	9.0	20.7	20.5	22.9	13.6	6.0	0.7	730	153	8	2.3	7.9	14.5	20.1	21.2	17.1	9.7	6.2	0.8	730	151	9	0.0	0.4	3.3	17.0	39.5	34.7	5.2	730	4.0	0.9
Secondary	1.4	4.4	6.1	12.7	22.7	27.1	16.6	8.3	0.8	362	154	8	2.5	4.4	11.6	21.0	24.0	22.4	9.9	3.9	0.3	362	151	8	0.0	0.6	3.3	13.3	45.0	31.5	6.4	362	4.0	0.9
Special	5.2	11.1	19.4	24.0	18.9	14.1	6.0	1.2	0.2	1,183	148	8	7.3	18.2	25.6	23.7	16.3	5.8	1.6	1.2	0.3	1,183	145	7	0.1	2.3	8.5	33.4	38.2	14.7	2.8	1,182	3.4	1.0
Student Counseling & Personnel Srvcs	2.0	6.7	18.0	25.2	25.1	15.7	6.3	0.9	0.1	1,174	149	7	4.0	15.0	26.0	26.9	19.2	6.0	1.7	0.9	0.4	1,174	146	7	0.0	0.5	5.2	24.9	49.0	18.7	1.8	1,174	3.7	0.8
Education, Other	2.6	5.8	9.8	17.2	20.2	20.5	15.5	7.2	1.1	2,646	153	9	2.3	8.2	14.2	19.2	17.0	14.1	11.8	10.0	3.0	2,647	152	10	0.0	0.8	4.9	21.1	44.2	24.3	4.6	2,647	3.8	0.9
BUSINESS	2.1	4.9	9.5	15.9	23.1	20.8	16.0	7.1	0.7	63,750	153	8	0.6	1.9	4.8	8.8	13.1	16.1	18.8	25.2	10.8	63,828	159	9	0.1	0.4	3.3	29.4	45.9	17.7	3.2	63,598	3.7	0.8
Accounting	3.8	6.8	11.1	16.1	23.0	17.5	15.1	5.9	0.7	3,065	152	9	0.8	1.7	4.4	7.3	9.4	9.6	16.2	34.1	16.6	3,065	161	9	0.0	0.7	5.3	41.8	43.0	8.5	0.7	3,057	3.4	0.7
Banking & Finance	2.0	4.9	9.1	14.8	23.7	20.4	16.7	7.8	0.6	15,566	153	8	0.1	0.7	1.9	4.2	7.5	11.5	17.0	36.6	20.5	15,608	163	7	0.0	0.3	3.2	34.6	50.1	10.5	1.2	15,546	3.5	0.7
Business Admin & Management	1.7	3.5	7.2	13.9	21.2	23.5	19.3	8.7	1.0	21,395	154	8	0.9	2.8	6.9	12.2	17.6	19.9	19.5	15.6	4.5	21,410	156	9	0.1	0.4	3.0	20.0	41.6	28.3	6.5	21,317	3.9	0.9
Business, Other	2.3	5.8	11.5	18.4	24.5	19.1	12.7	5.2	0.4	23,724	152	8	0.6	1.9	4.8	8.9	13.1	16.6	19.6	25.1	9.3	23,745	159	9	0.0	0.4	3.4	32.7	47.3	14.2	2.0	23,678	3.6	0.8
LAW	1.7	3.6	8.8	14.1	18.8	21.3	17.5	12.0	2.2	2,535	155	9	2.6	7.1	13.4	16.0	18.4	16.6	12.5	10.1	3.3	2,536	152	10	0.0	0.6	3.0	17.9	35.5	32.6	10.5	2,534	4.1	1.0

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OTHER FIELDS										85,519												85,602										85,411		
Architecture & Environmental Design	2.8	5.9	11.8	18.0	22.7	20.5	12.6	5.0	0.7	4,510	152	8	0.7	2.3	6.7	14.6	19.6	18.2	16.7	16.3	4.9	4,522	156	9	0.1	0.4	3.8	31.0	44.1	18.0	2.7	4,495	3.6	0.8
Communications & Journalism	2.5	5.9	12.5	18.4	22.7	19.8	12.5	5.3	0.4	4,029	152	8	2.7	7.9	13.1	15.9	13.9	12.3	13.2	14.7	6.4	4,025	153	11	0.0	0.3	3.0	25.7	49.0	19.3	2.7	4,028	3.7	0.8
Family & Consumer Sciences	2.5	8.4	14.0	25.6	25.4	15.6	7.2	1.3	0.0	558	149	7	2.9	8.8	21.0	27.2	21.9	10.6	4.7	2.7	0.4	558	148	8	0.0	0.7	4.8	22.2	47.1	24.2	0.9	558	3.7	0.8
Library & Archival Sciences	1.1	2.2	2.8	10.8	16.9	28.6	21.4	14.2	1.9	360	157	8	2.2	3.3	17.5	23.6	24.2	14.7	7.8	5.0	1.7	360	151	8	0.0	0.3	2.2	16.7	47.2	28.9	4.7	360	4.0	0.8
Public Administration	1.2	2.7	7.7	14.1	21.3	24.1	19.0	9.1	0.8	1,647	155	8	1.6	5.9	11.8	17.6	20.8	18.4	11.9	9.6	2.3	1,645	153	9	0.1	0.4	2.4	18.1	41.7	30.6	6.8	1,643	4.0	0.9
Religion & Theology	1.4	1.9	3.8	8.4	15.5	26.9	23.6	15.0	3.4	580	157	8	2.1	7.3	12.8	18.9	27.7	16.8	9.2	5.2	0.2	578	151	8	0.0	0.2	1.0	8.9	36.6	42.3	11.0	582	4.3	0.8
Social Work	2.7	7.1	14.3	20.2	22.1	19.2	9.8	4.2	0.5	1,188	151	8	4.6	13.5	21.1	24.3	20.3	9.4	4.3	1.9	0.6	1,185	147	8	0.0	0.9	6.1	23.8	42.8	23.5	2.9	1,190	3.7	0.9
Other Fields, Other*										72,647												72,729										72,555		

Note: This table does not include summary information on the approximately 61,000 test takers whose response to the department code question was invalid (misgrids, blanks, ets.) or "Undecided".

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