

(B) Percentage of students reporting “Very Satisfied / Very Often, etc.” with selected measures of the liberal arts and sciences program on the GSQ
 (Anticipated Result: To attain an appropriate increase on each measure.)

SAMPLE QUESTIONS LIBERAL STUDIES COURSES - GSQ														
How often were your core courses challenging?														
		Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual	Projected		Projected	Projected	Projected
	FY	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	1999			2000	2001	2002
UNIVERSITY TOTAL														
Very Often		N/C	N/C	21.20%	12.90%	11.10%	12.40%	13.60%	25.00%			30.00%	35.00%	40.00%
Mean		N/C	N/C	3	2.74	2.672	2.738	2.742	3.00			3.1	3.2	3.3
How adequate do you feel your education and experiences at Truman have been in learning on your own?														
		Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual			Projected	Projected	Projected
	FY	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999				2000	2001	2002
UNIVERSITY TOTAL														
Very Adequate		N/C	51.90%	N/C	52.70%	51.10%	54.20%	55.00%	57.00%	96.49%		59.00%	61.00%	63.00%
Mean		3.4	3.43	N/C	3.46	3.469	3.48	3.488	3.6			3.65	3.7	3.75
How adequate do you feel your education and experiences at Truman have been in understanding different philosophies and cultures?														
		Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual			Projected	Projected	Projected
	FY	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999				2000	2001	2002
UNIVERSITY TOTAL														
Very Adequate		N/C	21.60%	24.30%	24.10%	24.40%	25.00%	22.80%	28.00%			30.00%	32.00%	34.00%
Mean		2.94	2.88	2.68	2.95	2.977	2.979	2.943	3.06			3.14	3.22	3.3
How adequate do you feel your education and experiences have been in recognizing assumptions, making logical inferences and reaching correct conclusions?														
		Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual			Projected	Projected	Projected
	FY	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999				2000	2001	2002
UNIVERSITY TOTAL														
Very Adequate		N/C	32.60%	26.80%	31.60%	32.40%	31.90%	32.20%	35.00%	92.00%		37.00%	39.00%	41.00%
Mean		3.21	3.21	3.03	3.22	3.242	3.231	3.212	3.32			3.38	3.44	3.5
How satisfied were you with the faculty enthusiasm for classes in the core?														
		Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual			Projected	Projected	Projected
	FY	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999				2000	2001	2002
UNIVERSITY TOTAL														
Very Satisfied		N/C	N/C	25.30%	19.10%	16.80%	15.80%	16.20%	21.00%			33.00%	37.00%	40.00%
Mean		N/C	N/C	3.03	2.83	2.812	2.768	2.778	2.9			3.16	3.23	3.3
How satisfied were you with the overall impression of the liberal arts and sciences courses?														
		Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual			Projected	Projected	Projected
	FY	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999				2000	2001	2002
UNIVERSITY TOTAL														
Very Satisfied		N/C	N/C	18.80%	19.00%	17.30%	17.60%	18.30%	26.00%			29.00%	32.00%	35.00%
Mean		N/C	N/C	2.98	2.88	2.85	2.874	2.855	3.12			3.18	3.24	3.3

Concerning liberal studies core courses, in 1999 we fell substantially short of projections in 4 of 6 categories. For example, it was projected that 25% of students would respond "very often" to the question "How often do you find your core courses challenging." The actual percentage was 13.6%.

Sample Questions

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How often were term papers, reports, or major writing assignments required in your courses this semester?

	FY	Actual 1993	Actual 1994	Actual 1995	Actual 1996	Actual 1997	Actual 1998	Actual 1999			Projected 2000	Projected 2001	Projected 2002
University Total													
Very Often		n/c	n/c	n/c	42.90%	36.50%	40.90%	42.00%	?		49.00%	51.00%	53.00%
Mean		n/c	n/c	n/c	3.23	3.073	3.21	3.24			3.32	3.34	3.36

How satisfied were you with the concern for you as an individual?

	FY	Actual 1993	Actual 1994	Actual 1995	Actual 1996	Actual 1997	Actual 1998	Actual 1999			Projected 2000	Projected 2001	Projected 2002
University Total													
Very Often		n/c	10.00%	n/c	18.60%	16.50%	16.10%	17.70%	?		21.00%	23.00%	25.00%
Mean		n/c	2.46	n/c	2.87	2.83	2.8	2.83			3.03	3.09	3.15