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**38th Annual Survey Report on
State-Sponsored Student Financial Aid**

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About NASSGAP

The National Association of State Student Grant and Aid Programs (NASSGAP) is dedicated to the promotion, strengthening, encouragement, and enhancement of high standards in the administration and operation of student grant and aid programs so that these programs shall be available to students in all states to expand and further postsecondary educational opportunities. NASSGAP's membership is drawn from single agencies in each state or territory which are responsible for state-funded student aid programs.

NASSGAP serves as a forum for the development and exchange of information, ideas, policy positions, procedures, and needs for student financial assistance for the benefit of member agencies and other organizations. NASSGAP also acts as a collective voice of reasoned opinion before state, regional, and national councils with respect to student financial aid programs whose objective is the furtherance of postsecondary education in the United States, including grants, scholarships, loans, college work study, and other forms of government-sponsored assistance to students.

NASSGAP works with other associations, councils, and agencies to design, implement, and operate simplified student application procedures for student financial assistance and design a uniform method of determining the ability of the family to pay costs of postsecondary education. NASSGAP conducts research, publishes reports, holds conferences, and otherwise engages in activities which help existing student aid programs to become more responsive to federal, regional, and state public policy goals and objectives; encourages the development of new programs as the need arises; works toward the prevention and elimination of fraud and abuse in student financial aid programs; and, provides a forum for the development and exchange of information, ideas, policy positions, and procedures for student financial assistance for the benefit of member agencies and other organizations.

About this Report

Each year, NASSGAP completes a survey regarding state-funded expenditures for postsecondary student financial aid. This report, the 38th annual survey, represents data from academic year 2006-07. Please note row and column data in tables may not add to row and column table totals throughout the report due to rounding.

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Executive Summary

As a percentage of the population, more people are enrolled in higher education now than twenty years ago, even as the relative and absolute cost of the product higher education offers has increased dramatically. Higher demand for a higher priced product puts the mission of state student financial aid agencies front and center. Collectively states have more people than ever before asking for more assistance than ever before to deal with higher expenses than ever before. The US economy continues to sputter and average working families look at unbelievable jumps in the price of food, fuel, and the elements of everyday life. Cars cost more than houses used to; and stable long-term employment with decent benefits has become a thing of the past. State funded student financial aid, combined with Federal aid, institutional funds, and assistance from private sources, has become the only way many students can reach for the brass ring of higher education. Education and postsecondary skills training continue to promise a way to help those who wish to better their lives and the lives of their children.

Data Highlights

- In the 2006-2007 academic year, the states awarded about \$9.3 billion in total state funded student financial aid, an increase of about 10 percent in nominal terms from the \$8.5 billion in aid awarded in 2005-2006 and an increase of about 6 percent in constant dollar terms.
- The majority of state aid is in the form of grants. In 2006-2007, more than 3.7 million grant awards were made representing about \$7.6 billion in need and nonneed-based grant aid, an increase of about 8.5 percent from the \$7 billion in grants awarded in 2005-2006. Of the grant funds awarded in 2006-07, 72 percent was need-based and 28 percent was nonneed-based, almost the same percentage as seen in 2005-2006.
- Funding for undergraduate need-based grant aid increased \$336 million nationwide from about \$4.9 billion in 2005-2006 to almost \$5.3 billion in 2006-2007, an increase of more than 7 percent.
- Nine states (California, Illinois, Indiana, New Jersey, New York, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Texas, and Washington) collectively awarded more than \$3.6 billion in undergraduate need-based grant aid, accounting for about 69 percent of all aid of this type.
- States provided more than \$1.7 billion in nongrant student aid, including loans, loan assumptions, conditional grants, work-study, and tuition waivers. Loans and tuition waivers accounted for 70 percent of nongrant funds awarded.

Forty-eight reporting entities identified state-funded undergraduate programs with awards based solely on need, while 27 identified programs with awards based only on merit. Exclusively need-based aid constituted 49 percent of all aid to undergraduates, exclusively merit-based aid accounted for 20 percent, with the rest, 32 percent, accounted for by other programs and by programs with both need and merit components. The amount of undergraduate aid awarded in 2006-2007 through programs with a merit component increased to about \$2.76 billion. This compares to \$4.07 billion awarded to undergraduates through programs based only on need.

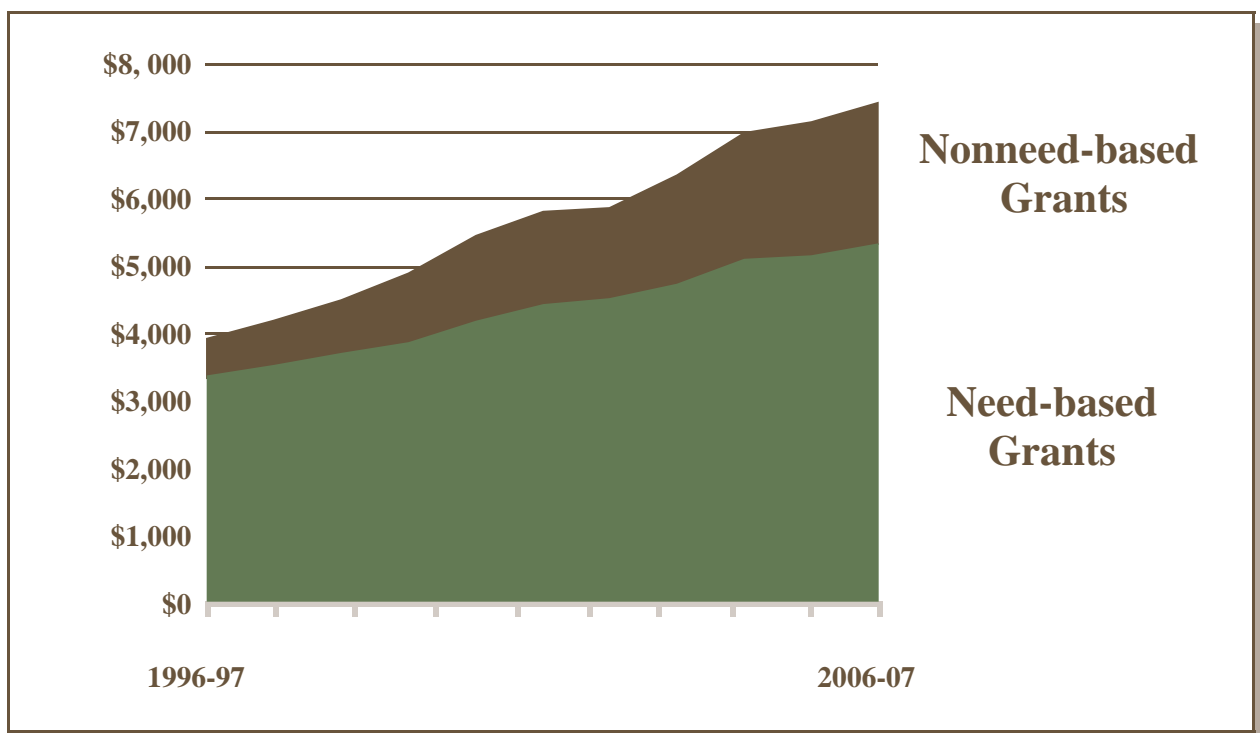
South Carolina, Washington DC, Indiana, Georgia, and New York provided the greatest amount of grant aid on a per capita basis and along with Kentucky and West Virginia were the largest providers of aid per capita for the population between ages 18 and 24. South Carolina, Georgia, Kentucky, New York, and Tennessee provided the most undergraduate grant dollars compared to undergraduate full time equivalent enrollment. South Carolina, Indiana, Georgia, Pennsylvania, and Vermont had the highest proportion of total expenditures for state-funded grants compared to appropriations for higher education operating expenditures.

**Undergraduate Grant Aid in Current and Constant 2006-07 Dollars:
1996-97 through 2006-07 (in millions of dollars)**

Year	Current Dollars				Constant 2006-07 Dollars			
	Need-based Grants	Nonneed-based Grants	Total	Annual Change	Need-based Grants	Nonneed-based Grants	Total	Annual Change
1996-97	2,579.5	458.5	3,038.0	5.8%	3,343.7	594.4	3,938.0	2.9%
1997-98	2,761.2	551.8	3,313.0	9.1%	3,501.2	699.7	4,201.0	6.7%
1998-99	2,945.7	668.0	3,613.7	9.1%	3,675.8	833.6	4,509.4	7.3%
1999-00	3,136.4	872.9	4,009.3	10.9%	3,827.1	1,065.2	4,892.2	8.5%
2000-01	3,515.7	1,089.7	4,605.4	14.9%	4,148.5	1,285.8	5,434.3	11.1%
2001-02	3,826.0	1,208.6	5,034.6	9.3%	4,395.1	1,388.4	5,783.5	6.4%
2002-03	3,966.9	1,202.8	5,169.7	2.7%	4,476.2	1,357.3	5,833.5	0.9%
2003-04	4,257.4	1,462.5	5,719.9	10.6%	4,702.5	1,615.4	6,317.9	8.3%
2004-05	4,703.3	1,738.4	6,441.7	12.6%	5,060.7	1,870.5	6,931.2	9.7%
2005-06	4,926.6	1,896.5	6,823.1	5.9%	5,114.7	1,968.9	7,083.7	2.2%
2006-07	5,293.1	2,079.9	7,373.0	8.1%	5,293.1	2,079.9	7,373.0	4.1%

Constant dollars provide a method of comparing expenditures across years and adjusting for the effect of inflation. Constant dollars were calculated using the academic year correction of the Consumer Price Index, All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) from the U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.

**Undergraduate Grant Aid in Constant 2006-07 Dollars: 1996-97 through
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Need-based Undergraduate Grant Aid, by State: 2006-07

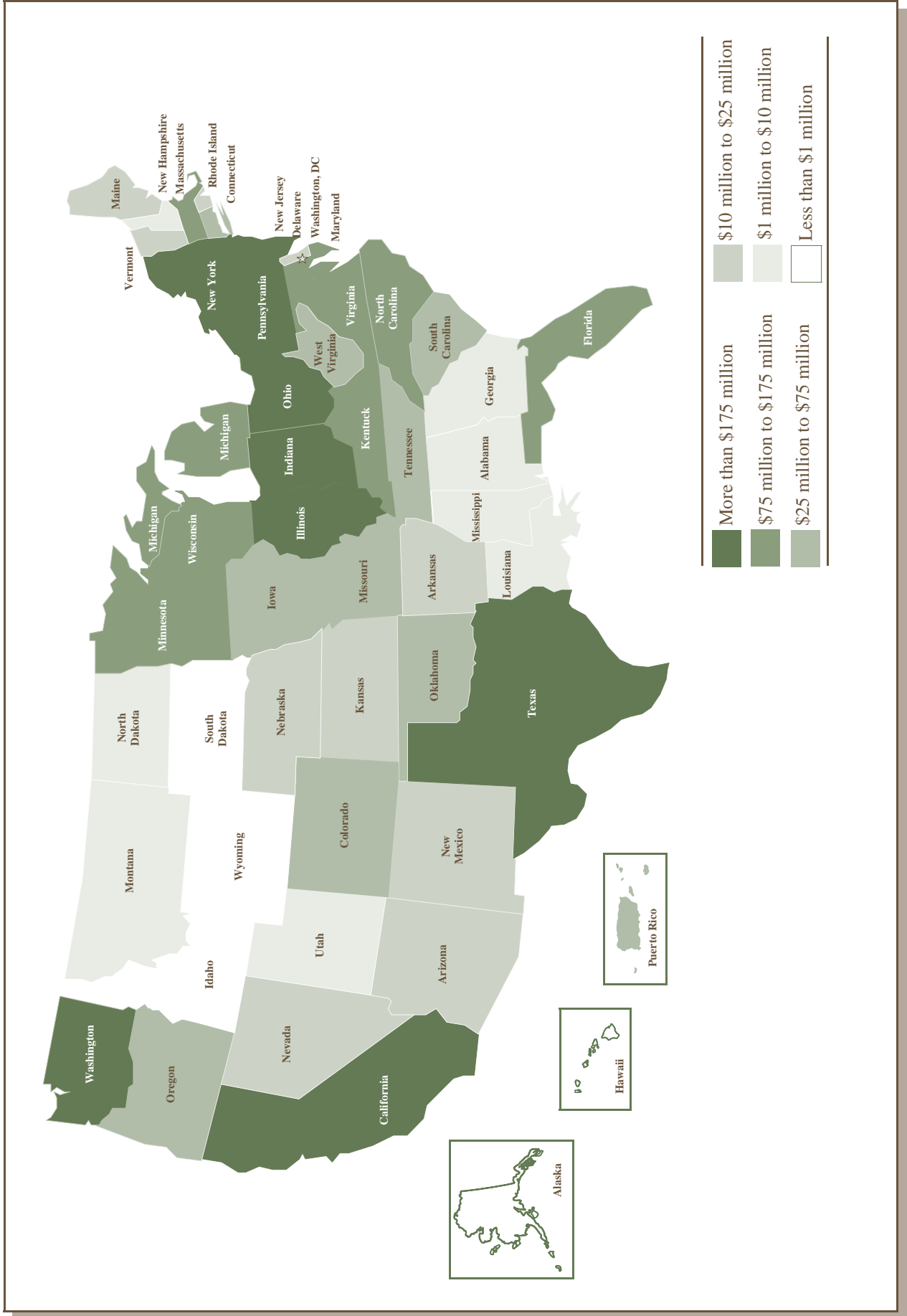


Table 1. Total Grant Aid Awarded, by State (in millions of dollars): 2006-07

State	Other Grant Programs												Total		
	Primary Need-based Grant Program				Need-based Aid				Nonneed-based Aid					Subtotals	
	Undergraduate	Graduate	Uncategorized	Total	Undergraduate	Graduate	Uncategorized	Total	Undergraduate	Graduate	Uncategorized	Total		Undergraduate	Graduate
Alabama	2.119	-	-	2.119	3.741	0.045	-	2.912	1.300	-	-	8.772	1.345	-	10.116
Alaska	0.587	-	-	0.587	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.587	-	-	0.587
Arizona	2.855	-	-	2.855	10.376	0.010	-	-	-	-	-	13.231	0.010	-	13.241
Arkansas	3.728	-	-	3.728	18.276	-	-	8.208	3.032	-	-	30.212	3.032	-	33.244
California	763.008	-	-	763.008	-	-	0.391	-	-	-	-	763.008	-	0.391	763.399
Colorado	48.800	-	-	48.800	9.357	3.380	1.382	9.143	-	-	-	67.300	3.380	1.382	72.062
Connecticut	9.257	-	-	9.257	32.458	-	-	0.001	-	-	0.481	41.717	-	0.481	42.198
Delaware	1.674	0.323	-	1.997	8.499	-	-	3.316	0.136	0.730	-	13.489	0.459	0.730	14.679
Florida	121.417	-	-	121.417	12.912	-	7.975	349.898	-	1.760	-	484.227	-	9.735	493.962
Georgia	1.313	-	-	1.313	-	-	-	479.417	-	5.997	-	480.730	-	5.997	486.726
Hawaii	0.408	-	-	0.408	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.408	-	-	0.408
Idaho	0.711	-	-	0.711	0.261	-	-	4.778	-	-	-	5.750	-	-	5.750
Illinois	383.193	-	-	383.193	35.577	0.050	-	25.579	2.364	-	-	444.348	2.414	-	446.762
Indiana	163.394	-	-	163.394	27.979	-	131.567	8.864	-	-	-	200.237	-	131.567	331.804
Iowa	51.652	-	-	51.652	3.883	-	-	-	-	-	-	55.535	-	-	55.535
Kansas	15.026	-	-	15.026	1.352	-	-	0.119	-	-	-	16.498	-	-	16.498
Kentucky	59.610	-	-	59.610	31.406	-	-	93.384	-	-	-	184.399	-	-	184.399
Louisiana	1.452	-	-	1.452	-	-	-	118.853	1.710	-	-	120.305	1.710	-	122.014
Maine	15.556	-	-	15.556	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.556	-	-	15.556
Maryland	60.541	-	-	60.541	30.189	1.327	1.478	4.359	0.145	-	-	95.089	1.472	1.478	98.040
Massachusetts	26.191	-	-	26.191	57.458	-	-	-	-	-	-	83.649	-	-	83.649
Michigan	37.030	-	-	37.030	51.672	4.010	-	117.540	-	-	-	206.242	4.010	-	210.252
Minnesota	156.096	-	-	156.096	6.744	0.147	-	0.079	-	-	-	162.919	0.147	-	163.066
Mississippi	1.516	-	-	1.516	0.898	-	-	20.174	0.017	-	-	22.588	0.017	-	22.605
Missouri	15.498	-	-	15.498	9.552	-	-	34.718	0.034	-	-	59.768	0.034	-	59.802
Montana	2.182	-	-	2.182	2.382	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.563	-	-	4.563
Nebraska	10.388	-	-	10.388	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.388	-	-	10.388
Nevada	12.697	2.549	-	15.246	0.265	0.102	-	25.392	-	-	-	38.353	2.651	-	41.004

New Hampshire	3,178	-	0,540	-	0,009	-	-	3,727	-	3,727	-	3,727
New Jersey	217,907	-	30,586	1,396	30,726	-	-	279,219	1,396	280,615	-	280,615
New Mexico	12,252	0,001	10,240	0,578	48,027	0,198	-	70,518	0,777	71,294	-	71,294
New York	827,920	3,270	12,504	-	21,024	0,219	-	861,448	3,489	864,937	-	864,937
North Carolina	132,445	-	31,205	2,368	57,982	1,105	-	221,632	3,473	229,215	4,109	229,215
North Dakota	1,886	-	-	-	0,353	-	-	2,238	-	2,238	-	2,238
Ohio	49,482	-	128,077	-	78,034	0,346	-	255,593	0,346	255,939	-	255,939
Oklahoma	19,860	-	36,328	-	9,886	0,043	0,079	66,075	0,043	66,119	0,079	66,119
Oregon	33,072	-	0,046	-	0,265	-	-	33,383	-	33,383	-	33,383
Pennsylvania	452,928	-	5,053	-	10,339	0,258	-	457,980	0,258	468,578	10,339	468,578
Puerto Rico	19,921	-	13,523	6,010	-	-	-	33,444	6,010	39,455	-	39,455
Rhode Island	13,021	-	-	-	-	-	-	13,021	-	13,021	-	13,021
South Carolina	50,320	-	-	-	220,919	2,048	-	271,239	2,048	273,286	-	273,286
South Dakota	-	-	-	-	2,140	-	-	2,140	-	2,140	-	2,140
Tennessee	34,782	-	23,180	-	173,325	-	3,601	231,287	-	234,888	3,601	234,888
Texas	175,072	-	199,658	33,163	3,023	-	-	374,730	33,163	410,916	3,023	410,916
Utah	4,146	-	3,212	0,010	1,208	-	0,895	8,566	0,010	9,471	0,895	9,471
Vermont	15,899	0,267	1,290	0,004	0,786	-	0,096	17,189	0,271	18,343	0,882	18,343
Virginia	53,547	-	48,215	0,937	47,534	19,807	2,406	149,296	20,744	172,446	2,406	172,446
Washington	167,098	-	14,712	0,015	3,133	-	-	184,942	0,015	184,957	-	184,957
Washington, DC	4,399	-	-	-	29,267	-	-	33,666	-	33,666	-	33,666
West Virginia	27,434	-	4,243	-	46,205	0,140	-	77,883	0,140	78,023	-	78,023
Wisconsin	83,166	-	7,469	0,006	3,167	-	-	93,802	0,006	93,808	-	93,808
Wyoming	0,163	-	-	-	-	-	-	0,163	-	0,163	-	0,163
Total	4,367,796	6,410	925,316	53,558	2,079,939	32,902	16,045	7,373,051	92,869	177,095	7,643,016	7,643,016

Federal LEAP (Leveraging Education Assistance Partnership) and SLEAP (Special Leveraging Education Assistance Partnership) funds are included in individual state figures. Primary need-based grant programs are designated by individual states

Data for several states include programs entirely or partially funded by student tuition revenue. These programs and the student funded amount include:

Arizona	Financial Aid Trust	Texas	Student Deposit Scholarships	\$ 1,460,937
Connecticut	Tuition Set Aside	Texas	Texas Public Education Grant	\$129,293,176
Nevada	Student Access Grants	West Virginia	Higher Education Grant Program	\$ 1,800,000

South Carolina figures represent the combined reporting of the South Carolina Commission on Higher Education (SCCHE) and the South Carolina Tuition Grants Commission (SCTGC). Colorado, Massachusetts, and New Mexico data are partially estimated based on incomplete reporting and previous year figures.

Table 2. Total Nongrant Aid Awarded, by State and Type of Aid
(in millions of dollars): 2006-07

State	Loan	Loan Assumption/ Forgiveness	Conditional Grant	Work-Study	Tuition Waiver	Other	Total
Alabama	-	-	0.177	-	-	-	0.177
Alaska	75.817	1.370	0.873	-	-	-	78.060
Arizona	-	-	1.985	-	-	-	1.985
Arkansas	-	2.875	-	-	0.302	0.498	3.675
California	-	36.656	-	-	-	-	36.656
Colorado	-	-	-	13.219	-	-	13.219
Connecticut	-	-	-	-	58.843	-	58.843
Delaware	0.037	-	0.483	-	-	0.187	0.707
Florida	-	2.349	-	0.745	-	97.973	101.067
Georgia	-	0.663	9.513	-	-	2.094	12.270
Hawaii	-	-	-	-	24.767	-	24.767
Idaho	-	0.169	-	1.345	0.057	0.367	1.937
Illinois	-	0.485	7.163	-	-	-	7.648
Indiana	-	-	0.944	0.349	0.378	17.077	18.747
Iowa	-	2.083	-	-	3.967	-	6.050
Kansas	-	0.729	2.386	1.118	-	-	4.233
Kentucky	-	-	4.821	0.809	-	-	5.630
Louisiana	-	-	0.060	-	-	-	0.060
Maine	-	2.583	0.357	-	-	0.385	3.325
Maryland	-	3.207	6.499	-	-	-	9.706
Massachusetts	4.146	-	4.868	-	24.481	0.033	33.528
Michigan	76.431	-	4.257	6.931	17.600	-	105.220
Minnesota	135.310	-	-	14.768	-	-	150.079
Mississippi	-	-	8.072	-	-	-	8.072
Missouri	-	-	-	-	-	11.352	11.352
Montana	0.150	-	-	0.808	-	-	0.958
Nebraska	-	-	-	-	74.947	-	74.947
Nevada	-	-	-	1.776	11.280	1.265	14.322
New Hampshire	-	0.119	-	-	-	0.220	0.339
New Jersey	237.346	0.040	0.312	-	-	0.700	238.398
New Mexico	-	3.185	0.490	14.295	-	-	17.970
New York	-	3.414	2.420	-	-	76.780	82.614
North Carolina	-	-	27.650	-	39.539	-	67.189
North Dakota	-	0.450	-	-	-	-	0.450
Ohio	-	0.326	-	-	0.235	-	0.562
Oklahoma	-	-	-	-	100.237	-	100.237
Oregon	-	0.369	-	-	34.932	0.105	35.407
Pennsylvania	-	3.667	19.380	13.134	-	-	36.181
Puerto Rico	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rhode Island	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
South Carolina	-	0.480	-	-	-	-	0.480
South Dakota	-	-	0.479	-	-	-	0.479
Tennessee	-	1.278	-	-	-	-	1.278
Texas	122.817	6.309	-	6.057	15.786	-	150.969
Utah	-	0.543	-	-	45.194	-	45.737
Vermont	-	-	0.230	-	-	0.112	0.342
Virginia	-	-	3.289	-	79.752	0.195	83.236
Washington	-	2.354	1.807	25.040	-	-	29.201
Washington, DC	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
West Virginia	-	1.356	0.804	-	16.438	-	18.598
Wisconsin	0.896	-	-	-	-	6.807	7.703
Wyoming	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	652.950	77.060	109.319	100.392	548.735	216.151	1,704.607

Table 3. Total Aid Awarded, by State (in millions of dollars): 2006-07

State	Need-based Grant Aid	Nonneed-based Grant Aid	Nongrant Aid	Total
Alabama	5.905	4.212	0.177	10.293
Alaska	0.587	-	78.060	78.646
Arizona	13.241	-	1.985	15.226
Arkansas	22.003	11.240	3.675	36.918
California	763.399	-	36.656	800.055
Colorado	62.919	9.143	13.219	85.281
Connecticut	41.716	0.482	58.843	101.041
Delaware	10.496	4.182	0.707	15.386
Florida	142.304	351.658	101.067	595.029
Georgia	1.313	485.413	12.270	498.997
Hawaii	0.408	-	24.767	25.175
Idaho	0.972	4.778	1.937	7.687
Illinois	418.820	27.943	7.648	454.410
Indiana	322.940	8.864	18.747	350.551
Iowa	55.535	-	6.050	61.585
Kansas	16.379	0.119	4.233	20.730
Kentucky	91.016	93.384	5.630	190.029
Louisiana	1.452	120.563	0.060	122.074
Maine	15.556	-	3.325	18.881
Maryland	93.536	4.504	9.706	107.745
Massachusetts	83.649	-	33.528	117.177
Michigan	92.713	117.540	105.220	315.472
Minnesota	162.987	0.079	150.079	313.145
Mississippi	2.414	20.191	8.072	30.678
Missouri	25.050	34.752	11.352	71.154
Montana	4.563	-	0.958	5.521
Nebraska	10.388	-	74.947	85.335
Nevada	15.612	25.392	14.322	55.326
New Hampshire	3.718	0.009	0.339	4.066
New Jersey	249.889	30.726	238.398	519.013
New Mexico	23.069	48.225	17.970	89.265
New York	843.694	21.243	82.614	947.551
North Carolina	170.127	59.087	67.189	296.404
North Dakota	1.886	0.353	0.450	2.688
Ohio	177.559	78.380	0.562	256.501
Oklahoma	56.188	10.009	100.237	166.434
Oregon	33.118	0.265	35.407	68.790
Pennsylvania	468.319	0.258	36.181	504.758
Puerto Rico	39.455	-	-	39.455
Rhode Island	13.021	-	-	13.021
South Carolina	50.320	222.966	0.480	273.767
South Dakota	-	2.140	0.479	2.618
Tennessee	57.962	176.926	1.278	236.166
Texas	410.916	-	150.969	561.885
Utah	7.368	2.103	45.737	55.208
Vermont	18.247	0.096	0.342	18.685
Virginia	102.699	69.747	83.236	255.682
Washington	181.824	3.133	29.201	214.158
Washington, DC	4.399	29.267	-	33.666
West Virginia	31.677	46.345	18.598	96.620
Wisconsin	90.641	3.167	7.703	101.511
Wyoming	0.163	-	-	0.163
Total	5,514.131	2,128.885	1,704.607	9,347.623

**Table 4. Need-based Grant Aid Awarded, by State (in millions of dollars):
1996-97, 2001-02, 2005-06, 2006-07**

State	1996-97	2001-2002	2005-06	2006-07	1-year Change (2005-06 to 2006-07)	5-year Change (2001-02 to 2006-07)	10-year Change (1996-97 to 2006-07)
Alabama	1.984	1.874	5.281	5.905	11.8%	215.1%	197.6%
Alaska	0.213	-	0.502	0.587	16.9%	-	175.4%
Arizona	2.751	2.812	2.808	13.241	371.5%	370.9%	381.3%
Arkansas	12.569	29.006	20.868	22.003	5.4%	-24.1%	75.1%
California	259.660	514.371	758.181	763.399	0.7%	48.4%	194.0%
Colorado	29.248	49.557	55.116	62.919	14.2%	27.0%	115.1%
Connecticut	20.297	44.820	39.038	41.716	6.9%	-6.9%	105.5%
Delaware	1.234	1.474	10.164	10.496	3.3%	612.1%	750.6%
Florida	33.860	75.656	107.849	142.304	31.9%	88.1%	320.3%
Georgia	2.165	1.540	1.401	1.313	-6.3%	-14.7%	-39.4%
Hawaii	0.379	0.531	0.410	0.408	-0.5%	-23.1%	7.7%
Idaho	0.724	0.855	0.964	0.972	0.9%	13.7%	34.3%
Illinois	272.898	385.138	355.417	418.820	17.8%	8.7%	53.5%
Indiana	77.834	114.733	281.069	322.940	14.9%	181.5%	314.9%
Iowa	41.938	51.191	53.446	55.535	3.9%	8.5%	32.4%
Kansas	10.171	12.974	15.047	16.379	8.8%	26.2%	61.0%
Kentucky	28.902	48.322	82.611	91.016	10.2%	88.4%	214.9%
Louisiana	7.172	1.452	1.453	1.452	-0.1%	0.0%	-79.8%
Maine	6.636	12.416	13.387	15.556	16.2%	25.3%	134.4%
Maryland	36.634	46.281	78.125	93.536	19.7%	102.1%	155.3%
Massachusetts	57.413	110.711	80.081	83.649	4.5%	-24.4%	45.7%
Michigan	90.988	110.037	90.377	92.713	2.6%	-15.7%	1.9%
Minnesota	92.707	130.370	130.921	162.987	24.5%	25.0%	75.8%
Mississippi	0.540	1.489	2.215	2.414	9.0%	62.1%	347.1%
Missouri	13.681	27.847	25.632	25.050	-2.3%	-10.0%	83.1%
Montana	0.314	2.810	3.589	4.563	27.1%	62.4%	1,353.3%
Nebraska	3.211	7.380	9.918	10.388	4.7%	40.8%	223.5%
Nevada	4.287	7.473	13.482	15.612	15.8%	108.9%	264.2%
New Hampshire	0.669	3.066	3.745	3.718	-0.7%	21.3%	455.7%
New Jersey	152.458	187.756	224.924	249.889	11.1%	33.1%	63.9%
New Mexico	14.879	20.037	21.781	23.069	5.9%	15.1%	55.0%
New York	633.411	687.042	877.797	843.694	-3.9%	22.8%	33.2%
North Carolina	18.865	74.170	142.993	170.127	19.0%	129.4%	801.8%
North Dakota	2.202	1.402	1.492	1.886	26.4%	34.5%	-14.4%
Ohio	86.770	112.264	159.551	177.559	11.3%	58.2%	104.6%
Oklahoma	16.517	24.122	47.742	56.188	17.7%	132.9%	240.2%
Oregon	16.241	19.866	29.361	33.118	12.8%	66.7%	103.9%
Pennsylvania	240.459	337.014	412.340	468.319	13.6%	39.0%	94.8%
Puerto Rico	23.824	40.204	39.350	39.455	0.3%	-1.9%	65.6%
Rhode Island	5.699	6.077	12.883	13.021	1.1%	114.3%	128.5%
South Carolina	21.540	34.971	46.311	50.320	8.7%	43.9%	133.6%
South Dakota	0.346	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tennessee	18.652	37.320	51.270	57.962	13.1%	55.3%	210.8%
Texas	47.549	210.214	399.506	410.916	2.9%	95.5%	764.2%
Utah	2.170	4.155	6.604	7.368	11.6%	77.3%	239.5%
Vermont	11.457	15.858	18.479	18.247	-1.3%	15.1%	59.3%
Virginia	59.025	71.732	90.458	102.699	13.5%	43.2%	74.0%
Washington	58.149	101.258	167.346	181.824	8.7%	79.6%	212.7%
Washington, DC	1.007	1.321	3.320	4.399	32.5%	233.0%	336.8%
West Virginia	10.527	21.054	24.721	31.677	28.1%	50.5%	200.9%
Wisconsin	49.008	62.124	90.436	90.641	0.2%	45.9%	85.0%
Wyoming	0.160	0.163	0.163	0.163	-0.1%	-0.1%	1.7%
Total	2,601.994	3,866.310	5,111.924	5,514.131	7.9%	42.6%	111.9%

**Table 5. Nonneed-based Grant Aid Awarded, by State (in millions of dollars):
1996-97, 2001-02, 2005-06, 2006-07**

State	1996-97	2001-02	2005-06	2006-07	1-year Change (2005-06 to 2006-07)	5-year Change (2001-02 to 2006-07)	10-year Change (1996-97 to 2006-07)
Alabama	6.213	5.494	2.347	4.212	79.4%	-23.3%	-32.2%
Alaska	1.503	1.440	-	-	-	-100.0%	-100.0%
Arizona	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Arkansas	1.156	8.909	10.945	11.240	2.7%	26.2%	872.3%
California	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Colorado	12.353	19.734	8.797	9.143	3.9%	-53.7%	-26.0%
Connecticut	0.002	0.355	0.343	0.482	40.5%	35.9%	24,015.9%
Delaware	0.224	0.415	1.039	4.182	302.6%	907.8%	1,767.2%
Florida	75.869	246.201	310.144	351.658	13.4%	42.8%	363.5%
Georgia	183.702	360.661	464.013	485.413	4.6%	34.6%	164.2%
Hawaii	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Idaho	0.263	3.996	4.460	4.778	7.1%	19.6%	1,716.7%
Illinois	26.095	25.262	27.693	27.943	0.9%	10.6%	7.1%
Indiana	1.315	12.393	5.915	8.864	49.9%	-28.5%	574.1%
Iowa	0.473	0.477	0.368	-	-100.0%	-100.0%	-100.0%
Kansas	0.064	0.125	0.121	0.119	-1.7%	-4.8%	85.9%
Kentucky	-	38.003	90.255	93.384	3.5%	145.7%	-
Louisiana	9.533	102.665	116.575	120.563	3.4%	17.4%	1,164.7%
Maine	0.400	-	-	-	-	-	-100.0%
Maryland	5.988	6.640	4.334	4.504	3.9%	-32.2%	-24.8%
Massachusetts	0.064	3.889	0.012	-	-100.0%	-100.0%	-100.0%
Michigan	-	-	111.007	117.540	5.9%	-	-
Minnesota	0.039	0.038	0.089	0.079	-11.0%	107.9%	102.6%
Mississippi	0.074	20.112	20.100	20.191	0.5%	0.4%	27,185.3%
Missouri	12.973	15.641	16.460	34.752	111.1%	122.2%	167.9%
Montana	-	-	0.171	-	-	-	-
Nebraska	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nevada	0.703	13.354	28.471	25.392	-10.8%	90.1%	3,511.9%
New Hampshire	0.010	0.009	0.008	0.009	20.0%	0.0%	-10.0%
New Jersey	8.575	24.439	32.507	30.726	-5.5%	25.7%	258.3%
New Mexico	5.276	25.629	40.887	48.225	17.9%	88.2%	814.0%
New York	6.627	17.094	21.974	21.243	-3.3%	24.3%	220.6%
North Carolina	31.723	91.751	53.831	59.087	9.8%	-35.6%	86.3%
North Dakota	0.252	0.374	0.371	0.353	-5.1%	-5.7%	39.9%
Ohio	42.251	82.100	61.860	78.380	26.7%	-4.5%	85.5%
Oklahoma	7.832	9.644	10.607	10.009	-5.6%	3.8%	27.8%
Oregon	-	-	0.068	0.265	288.7%	-	-
Pennsylvania	0.877	-	0.120	0.258	115.0%	-	-
Puerto Rico	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rhode Island	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
South Carolina	-	67.068	211.173	222.966	5.6%	232.4%	-
South Dakota	-	-	3.367	2.140	-	-	-
Tennessee	0.762	0.595	124.785	176.926	41.8%	29,635.5%	23,118.7%
Texas	-	2.271	-	-	-	-100.0%	-
Utah	0.966	-	1.793	2.103	17.3%	-	117.7%
Vermont	0.009	0.091	0.101	0.096	-5.0%	5.5%	966.7%
Virginia	34.332	54.859	57.439	69.747	21.4%	27.1%	103.2%
Washington	1.482	1.211	6.497	3.133	-51.8%	158.7%	111.4%
Washington, DC	-	-	30.536	29.267	-4.2%	-	-
West Virginia	-	-	46.524	46.345	-0.4%	-	-
Wisconsin	8.338	11.251	3.155	3.167	0.4%	-71.9%	-62.0%
Wyoming	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	488.318	1,274.190	1,931.261	2,128.885	10.2%	67.1%	336.0%

**Table 6. Total Grant Aid Awarded, by State (in millions of dollars):
1996-97, 2001-02, 2005-06, 2006-07**

State	1996-97	2001-02	2005-06	2006-07	1-year Change (2005-06 to 2006-07)	5-year Change (2001-02 to 2006-07)	10-year Change (1996-97 to 2006-07)
Alabama	8.197	7.368	7.628	10.116	32.6%	37.3%	23.4%
Alaska	1.716	1.440	0.502	0.587	16.9%	-59.3%	-65.8%
Arizona	2.751	2.812	2.808	13.241	371.5%	370.9%	381.3%
Arkansas	13.725	37.915	31.812	33.244	4.5%	-12.3%	142.2%
California	259.660	514.371	758.181	763.399	0.7%	48.4%	194.0%
Colorado	41.601	69.291	63.913	72.062	12.8%	4.0%	73.2%
Connecticut	20.299	45.175	39.382	42.198	7.2%	-6.6%	107.9%
Delaware	1.458	1.889	11.203	14.679	31.0%	677.1%	906.8%
Florida	109.729	321.857	417.993	493.962	18.2%	53.5%	350.2%
Georgia	185.867	362.201	465.414	486.726	4.6%	34.4%	161.9%
Hawaii	0.379	0.531	0.410	0.408	-0.5%	-23.1%	7.7%
Idaho	0.987	4.851	5.424	5.750	6.0%	18.5%	482.6%
Illinois	298.993	410.400	383.110	446.762	16.6%	8.9%	49.4%
Indiana	79.149	127.126	286.984	331.804	15.6%	161.0%	319.2%
Iowa	42.411	51.668	53.815	55.535	3.2%	7.5%	30.9%
Kansas	10.235	13.099	15.168	16.498	8.8%	25.9%	61.2%
Kentucky	28.902	86.325	172.866	184.399	6.7%	113.6%	538.0%
Louisiana	16.705	104.117	118.027	122.014	3.4%	17.2%	630.4%
Maine	7.036	12.416	13.387	15.556	16.2%	25.3%	121.1%
Maryland	42.622	52.921	82.459	98.040	18.9%	85.3%	130.0%
Massachusetts	57.477	114.600	80.093	83.649	4.4%	-27.0%	45.5%
Michigan	90.988	110.037	201.383	210.252	4.4%	91.1%	131.1%
Minnesota	92.746	130.408	131.010	163.066	24.5%	25.0%	75.8%
Mississippi	0.614	21.601	22.315	22.605	1.3%	4.6%	3,581.7%
Missouri	26.654	43.488	42.092	59.802	42.1%	37.5%	124.4%
Montana	0.314	2.810	3.760	4.563	21.4%	62.4%	1353.3%
Nebraska	3.211	7.380	9.918	10.388	4.7%	40.8%	223.5%
Nevada	4.990	20.827	41.954	41.004	-2.3%	96.9%	721.7%
New Hampshire	0.679	3.075	3.753	3.727	-0.7%	21.2%	448.9%
New Jersey	161.033	212.195	257.431	280.615	9.0%	32.2%	74.3%
New Mexico	20.155	45.666	62.668	71.294	13.8%	56.1%	253.7%
New York	640.038	704.136	899.771	864.937	-3.9%	22.8%	35.1%
North Carolina	50.588	165.921	196.824	229.215	16.5%	38.1%	353.1%
North Dakota	2.454	1.776	1.864	2.238	20.1%	26.0%	-8.8%
Ohio	129.021	194.364	221.411	255.939	15.6%	31.7%	98.4%
Oklahoma	24.349	33.766	58.349	66.197	13.5%	96.0%	171.9%
Oregon	16.241	19.866	29.429	33.383	13.4%	68.0%	105.5%
Pennsylvania	241.336	337.014	412.460	468.578	13.6%	39.0%	94.2%
Puerto Rico	23.824	40.204	39.350	39.455	0.3%	-1.9%	65.6%
Rhode Island	5.699	6.077	12.883	13.021	1.1%	114.3%	128.5%
South Carolina	21.540	102.039	257.484	273.286	6.1%	167.8%	1,168.7%
South Dakota	0.346	-	3.367	2.140	-36.5%	-	518.4%
Tennessee	19.414	37.915	176.056	234.888	33.4%	519.5%	1,109.9%
Texas	47.549	212.485	399.506	410.916	2.9%	93.4%	764.2%
Utah	3.136	4.155	8.397	9.471	12.8%	127.9%	202.0%
Vermont	11.466	15.949	18.580	18.343	-1.3%	15.0%	60.0%
Virginia	93.357	126.591	147.897	172.446	16.6%	36.2%	84.7%
Washington	59.631	102.469	173.842	184.957	6.4%	80.5%	210.2%
Washington, DC	1.007	1.321	33.856	33.666	-0.6%	2448.5%	3,243.2%
West Virginia	10.527	21.054	71.246	78.023	9.5%	270.6%	641.2%
Wisconsin	57.346	73.375	93.592	93.808	0.2%	27.8%	63.6%
Wyoming	0.160	0.163	0.163	0.163	-0.1%	-	1.7%
Total	3,090.312	5,140.500	7,043.186	7,643.016	8.5%	48.7%	147.3%

**Table 7. Total Grant Aid Awarded, Ranked by State Total (in millions of dollars):
1996-97, 2001-02, 2005-06, 2006-07**

State	1996-97	2001-02	2005-06	2006-07	1-year Change (2005-06 to 2006-07)	5-year Change (2001-02 to 2006-07)	10-year Change (1996-97 to 2006-07)
New York	640.038	704.136	899.771	864.937	-3.9%	22.8%	35.1%
California	259.660	514.371	758.181	763.399	0.7%	48.4%	194.0%
Florida	109.729	321.857	417.993	493.962	18.2%	53.5%	350.2%
Georgia	185.867	362.201	465.414	486.726	4.6%	34.4%	161.9%
Pennsylvania	241.336	337.014	412.460	468.578	13.6%	39.0%	94.2%
Illinois	298.993	410.400	383.110	446.762	16.6%	8.9%	49.4%
Texas	47.549	212.485	399.506	410.916	2.9%	93.4%	764.2%
Indiana	79.149	127.126	286.984	331.804	15.6%	161.0%	319.2%
New Jersey	161.033	212.195	257.431	280.615	9.0%	32.2%	74.3%
South Carolina	21.540	102.039	257.484	273.286	6.1%	167.8%	1,168.7%
Ohio	129.021	194.364	221.411	255.939	15.6%	31.7%	98.4%
Tennessee	19.414	37.915	176.056	234.888	33.4%	519.5%	1,109.9%
North Carolina	50.588	165.921	196.824	229.215	16.5%	38.1%	353.1%
Michigan	90.988	110.037	201.383	210.252	4.4%	91.1%	131.1%
Washington	59.631	102.469	173.842	184.957	6.4%	80.5%	210.2%
Kentucky	28.902	86.325	172.866	184.399	6.7%	113.6%	538.0%
Virginia	93.357	126.591	147.897	172.446	16.6%	36.2%	84.7%
Minnesota	92.746	130.408	131.010	163.066	24.5%	25.0%	75.8%
Louisiana	16.705	104.117	118.027	122.014	3.4%	17.2%	630.4%
Maryland	42.622	52.921	82.459	98.040	18.9%	85.3%	130.0%
Wisconsin	57.346	73.375	93.592	93.808	0.2%	27.8%	63.6%
Massachusetts	57.477	114.600	80.093	83.649	4.4%	-27.0%	45.5%
West Virginia	10.527	21.054	71.246	78.023	9.5%	270.6%	641.2%
Colorado	41.601	69.291	63.913	72.062	12.8%	4.0%	73.2%
New Mexico	20.155	45.666	62.668	71.294	13.8%	56.1%	253.7%
Oklahoma	24.349	33.766	58.349	66.197	13.5%	96.0%	171.9%
Missouri	26.654	43.488	42.092	59.802	42.1%	37.5%	124.4%
Iowa	42.411	51.668	53.815	55.535	3.2%	7.5%	30.9%
Connecticut	20.299	45.175	39.382	42.198	7.2%	-6.6%	107.9%
Nevada	4.990	20.827	41.954	41.004	-2.3%	96.9%	721.7%
Puerto Rico	23.824	40.204	39.350	39.455	0.3%	-1.9%	65.6%
Washington, DC	1.007	1.321	33.856	33.666	-0.6%	2448.5%	3,243.2%
Oregon	16.241	19.866	29.429	33.383	13.4%	68.0%	105.5%
Arkansas	13.725	37.915	31.812	33.244	4.5%	-12.3%	142.2%
Mississippi	0.614	21.601	22.315	22.605	1.3%	4.6%	3,581.7%
Vermont	11.466	15.949	18.580	18.343	-1.3%	15.0%	60.0%
Kansas	10.235	13.099	15.168	16.498	8.8%	25.9%	61.2%
Maine	7.036	12.416	13.387	15.556	16.2%	25.3%	121.1%
Delaware	1.458	1.889	11.203	14.679	31.0%	677.1%	906.8%
Arizona	2.751	2.812	2.808	13.241	371.5%	370.9%	381.3%
Rhode Island	5.699	6.077	12.883	13.021	1.1%	114.3%	128.5%
Nebraska	3.211	7.380	9.918	10.388	4.7%	40.8%	223.5%
Alabama	8.197	7.368	7.628	10.116	32.6%	37.3%	23.4%
Utah	3.136	4.155	8.397	9.471	12.8%	127.9%	202.0%
Idaho	0.987	4.851	5.424	5.750	6.0%	18.5%	482.6%
Montana	0.314	2.810	3.760	4.563	21.4%	62.4%	1,353.3%
New Hampshire	0.679	3.075	3.753	3.727	-0.7%	21.2%	448.9%
North Dakota	2.454	1.776	1.864	2.238	20.1%	26.0%	-8.8%
South Dakota	0.346	-	3.367	2.140	-36.5%	-	518.4%
Alaska	1.716	1.440	0.502	0.587	16.9%	-59.3%	-65.8%
Hawaii	0.379	0.531	0.410	0.408	-0.5%	-23.1%	7.7%
Wyoming	0.160	0.163	0.163	0.163	-0.1%	-	1.7%
Total	3,090.312	5,140.500	7,043.186	7,643.016	8.5%	48.7%	147.3%

Table 8. Expenditures for Undergraduate Student Aid Programs by Need, Merit, or Special Purpose for Award, by State (in millions of dollars): 2006-07

State	Aid Based on Only Need		Aid based on Need and Merit	
	Dollars Awarded	Percent of State Total	Dollars Awarded	Percent of State Total
Alabama	-	-	2.119	24.2%
Alaska	0.587	0.9%	-	-
Arizona	13.231	87.0%	-	-
Arkansas	3.728	11.4%	-	-
California	-	-	763.008	100.0%
Colorado	71.376	88.6%	-	-
Connecticut	91.301	90.8%	9.257	9.2%
Delaware	3.911	28.3%	1.674	12.1%
Florida	122.840	21.1%	0.105	<0.1%
Georgia	1.313	0.3%	-	-
Hawaii	0.408	100.0%	-	-
Idaho	0.861	13.6%	-	-
Illinois	418.770	93.3%	-	-
Indiana	189.240	87.0%	-	-
Iowa	55.535	91.2%	-	-
Kansas	15.026	75.7%	1.352	6.8%
Kentucky	59.610	31.6%	-	-
Louisiana	-	-	1.452	1.2%
Maine	15.556	91.1%	-	-
Maryland	69.353	69.4%	21.377	21.4%
Massachusetts	80.769	69.0%	-	-
Michigan	73.355	31.3%	37.030	15.8%
Minnesota	172.522	55.2%	-	-
Mississippi	0.898	3.3%	1.516	5.7%
Missouri	25.050	41.9%	-	-
Montana	4.983	92.8%	0.388	7.2%
Nebraska	10.388	86.8%	-	-
Nevada	23.159	46.7%	-	-
New Hampshire	3.178	82.6%	0.540	14.0%
New Jersey	248.493	49.4%	-	-
New Mexico	26.757	30.6%	8.953	10.2%
New York	840.424	97.5%	-	-
North Carolina	157.270	67.5%	-	-
North Dakota	1.886	70.1%	-	-
Ohio	177.559	69.4%	-	-
Oklahoma	19.909	30.1%	-	-
Oregon	33.072	99.1%	-	-
Pennsylvania	458.468	95.3%	3.207	0.7%
Puerto Rico	30.823	92.2%	2.622	7.8%
Rhode Island	13.021	100.0%	-	-
South Carolina	19.252	7.1%	31.068	11.5%
South Dakota	-	-	-	-
Tennessee	34.782	15.0%	15.460	6.7%
Texas	112.815	26.3%	175.072	40.8%
Utah	7.358	85.9%	-	-
Vermont	16.984	96.9%	-	-
Virginia	82.545	47.4%	40.794	23.4%
Washington	167.098	80.8%	-	-
Washington, DC	4.399	13.1%	-	-
West Virginia	4.243	4.5%	27.434	29.2%
Wisconsin	90.635	96.0%	-	-
Wyoming	0.163	100.0%	-	-
Total	4,074.903	49.2%	1,144.428	13.8%

Special purpose awards are those that have a purpose other than general student assistance (tuition equalization, workforce development, retraining, post-service, parent or spouse service, disability, etc.)

Aid Based on Only Merit		Special Purpose Awards		Uncategorized		Total Expenditures
Dollars Awarded	Percent of State Total	Dollars Awarded	Percent of State Total	Dollars Awarded	Percent of State Total	
-	-	6.652	75.8%	-	-	8.772
-	-	2.732	4.0%	65.428	95.2%	68.747
-	-	1.985	13.0%	-	-	15.216
0.014	<0.1%	28.897	88.5%	-	-	32.638
-	-	-	-	-	-	763.008
1.498	1.9%	-	-	7.645	9.5%	80.519
-	-	0.001	<0.1%	-	-	100.560
0.201	1.4%	8.059	58.2%	-	-	13.844
347.014	59.5%	112.876	19.4%	-	-	582.835
354.863	73.4%	125.667	26.0%	1.644	0.3%	483.487
-	-	-	-	-	-	0.408
4.778	75.3%	0.703	11.1%	-	-	6.343
-	-	30.089	6.7%	-	-	448.858
0.333	0.2%	28.016	12.9%	-	-	217.589
-	-	5.343	8.8%	-	-	60.877
-	-	3.396	17.1%	0.074	0.4%	19.849
88.441	46.9%	40.522	21.5%	-	-	188.572
118.756	98.7%	0.141	0.1%	-	-	120.349
-	-	1.521	8.9%	-	-	17.076
4.014	4.0%	5.169	5.2%	-	-	99.913
-	-	36.307	31.0%	-	-	117.076
116.738	49.8%	7.451	3.2%	-	-	234.574
-	-	5.165	1.7%	134.898	43.2%	312.586
20.078	74.9%	4.328	16.1%	-	-	26.820
34.423	57.6%	0.295	0.5%	-	-	59.768
-	-	-	-	-	-	5.371
-	-	1.574	13.2%	-	-	11.962
25.392	51.2%	1.063	2.1%	-	-	49.614
-	-	0.128	3.3%	-	-	3.846
30.134	6.0%	0.592	0.1%	224.075	44.5%	503.295
46.846	53.6%	4.794	5.5%	-	-	87.350
12.093	1.4%	9.624	1.1%	-	-	862.141
0.861	0.4%	74.734	32.1%	-	-	232.865
-	-	0.803	29.9%	-	-	2.688
7.280	2.8%	70.989	27.7%	-	-	255.829
9.001	13.6%	37.165	56.2%	-	-	66.075
-	-	0.311	0.9%	-	-	33.383
-	-	19.168	4.0%	-	-	480.843
-	-	-	-	-	-	33.444
-	-	-	-	-	-	13.021
140.633	51.8%	31.574	11.6%	48.712	18.0%	271.239
2.140	-	0.479	-	-	-	2.618
164.584	70.9%	9.324	4.0%	8.080	3.5%	232.230
44.147	10.3%	96.627	22.5%	0.181	<0.1%	428.842
-	-	1.208	14.1%	-	-	8.566
-	-	0.547	3.1%	-	-	17.531
-	-	50.764	29.2%	0.041	<0.1%	174.145
2.200	1.1%	37.573	18.2%	-	-	206.870
-	-	29.267	86.9%	-	-	33.666
39.551	42.0%	22.833	24.3%	-	-	94.062
3.167	3.4%	0.608	0.6%	-	-	94.410
-	-	-	-	-	-	0.163
1,619.178	19.5%	957.064	11.5%	490.780	5.9%	8,286.354

Figure 1. Undergraduate Aid Dollars, by Type of Aid: 2006-07

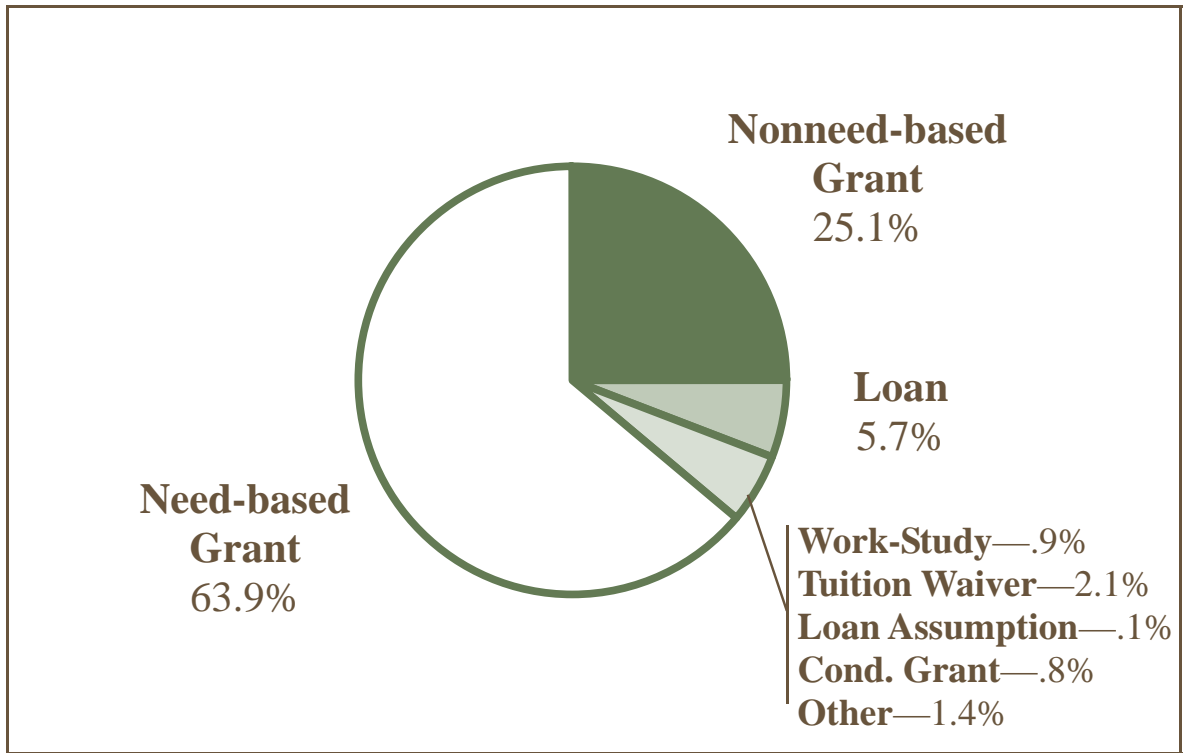


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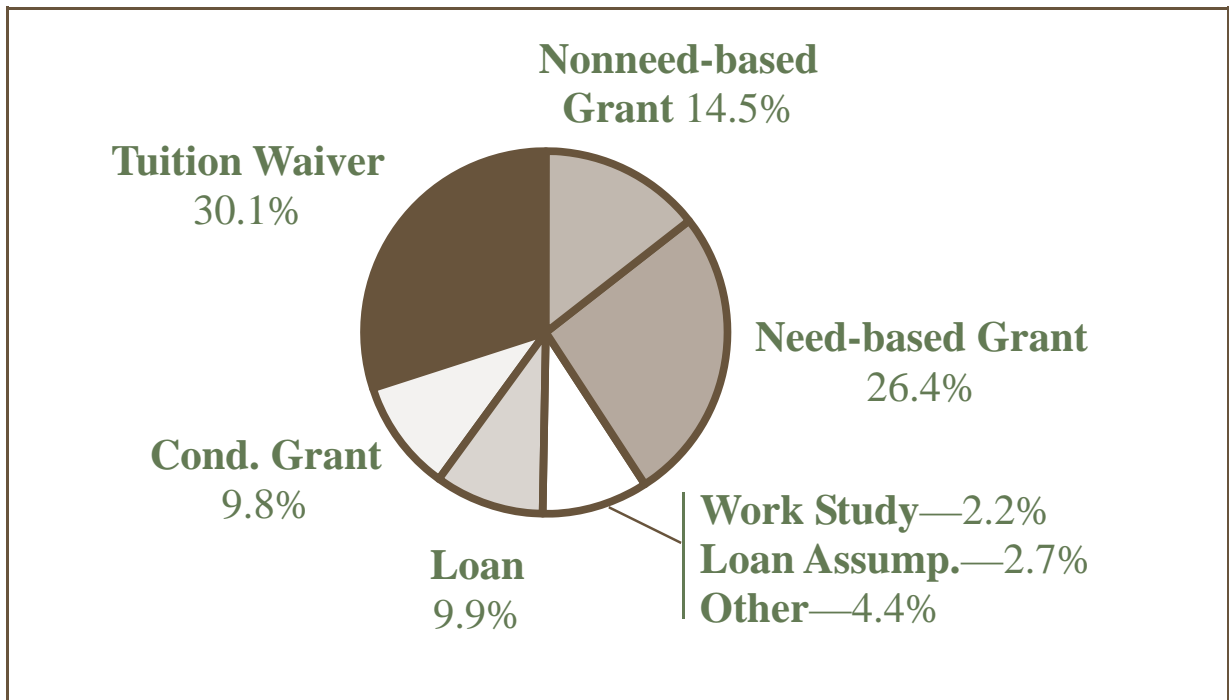


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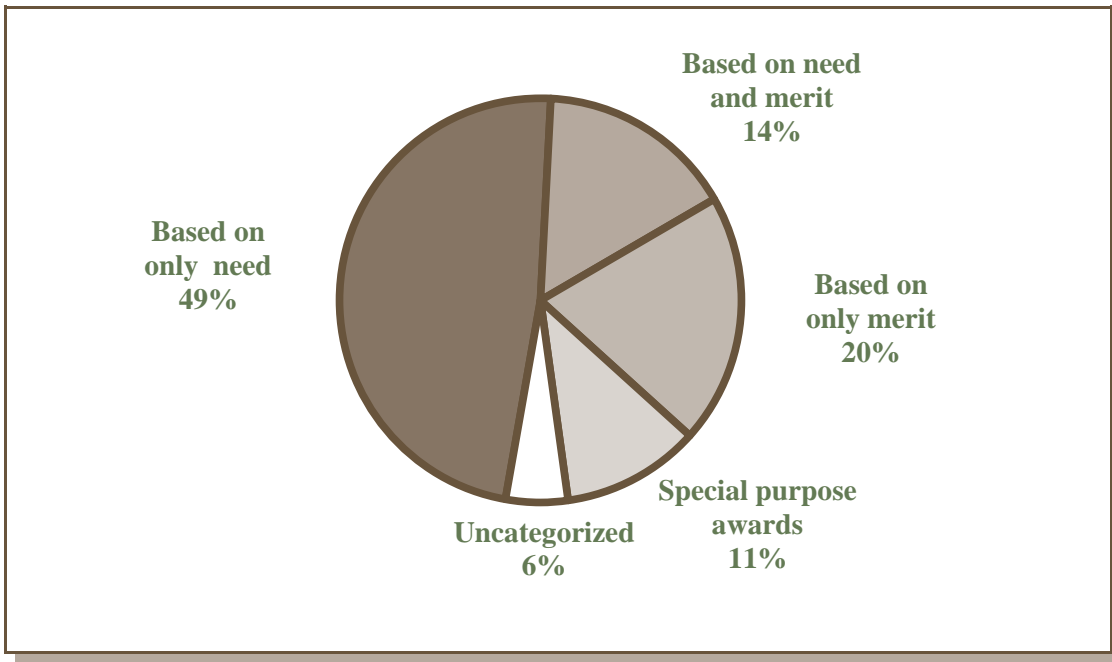
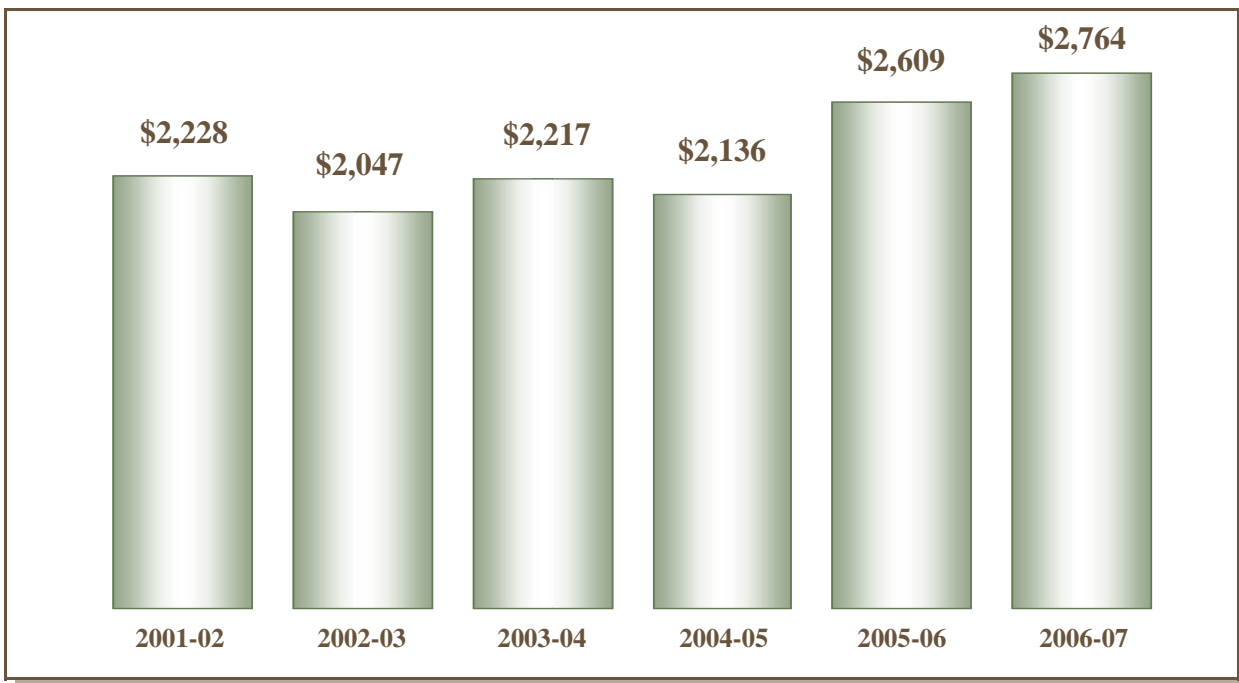


Figure 4. Undergraduate Aid with a Merit Component, in Constant 2006-07 Dollars (in millions of dollars): 2001-02 through 2006-07



**Table 9. Need-based Grants Awarded to Students, by State and by Type of Institution
(in millions of dollars): 2006-07**

State	Public In-state		Private, Not-for-profit In-state	
	Dollars Awarded	Percent of State Total	Dollars Awarded	Percent of State Total
Alabama	2.112	35.8%	0.383	6.5%
Alaska	0.536	91.4%	0.035	5.9%
Arizona	12.806	96.7%	0.039	0.3%
Arkansas	19.821	90.1%	2.143	9.7%
California	511.816	67.0%	169.845	22.2%
Colorado	42.871	68.1%	2.483	3.9%
Connecticut	22.898	54.9%	16.378	39.3%
Delaware	9.005	85.8%	0.381	3.6%
Florida	108.080	76.0%	18.070	12.7%
Georgia	-	-	-	-
Hawaii	0.344	84.2%	0.065	15.8%
Idaho	0.807	83.0%	0.045	4.7%
Illinois	230.518	55.0%	166.590	39.8%
Indiana	246.464	76.3%	73.499	22.8%
Iowa	3.389	6.1%	46.905	84.5%
Kansas	7.134	43.6%	7.892	48.2%
Kentucky	45.423	49.9%	36.615	40.2%
Louisiana	1.217	83.8%	0.202	13.9%
Maine	-	-	-	-
Maryland	74.349	79.5%	18.585	19.9%
Massachusetts	44.922	53.7%	32.974	39.4%
Michigan	29.352	31.7%	63.361	68.3%
Minnesota	99.270	60.9%	41.813	25.7%
Mississippi	1.959	81.2%	0.455	18.8%
Missouri	10.151	40.5%	14.899	59.5%
Montana	4.391	96.2%	0.174	3.8%
Nebraska	6.557	63.1%	1.952	18.8%
Nevada	15.612	100.0%	-	-
New Hampshire	2.081	56.0%	0.573	15.4%
New Jersey	166.225	66.5%	68.219	27.3%
New Mexico	23.045	99.9%	0.024	0.1%
New York	448.178	53.1%	384.110	45.5%
North Carolina	120.237	70.7%	40.576	23.9%
North Dakota	1.586	84.1%	0.299	15.9%
Ohio	99.498	56.0%	39.224	22.1%
Oklahoma	50.027	89.0%	6.054	10.8%
Oregon	28.372	85.7%	4.700	14.2%
Pennsylvania	231.625	49.5%	173.134	37.0%
Puerto Rico	14.436	36.6%	17.850	45.2%
Rhode Island	6.722	51.6%	2.734	21.0%
SC Comm on Higher Ed	19.252	38.3%	31.068	61.7%
South Dakota	-	-	-	-
Tennessee	24.372	42.0%	9.013	15.5%
Texas	304.777	74.2%	106.139	25.8%
Utah	6.559	89.0%	0.708	9.6%
Vermont	8.062	44.2%	4.318	23.7%
Virginia	101.199	98.5%	1.500	1.5%
Washington	157.457	86.6%	20.739	11.4%
Washington, DC	-	-	-	-
West Virginia	22.869	72.2%	3.488	11.0%
Wisconsin	65.379	72.1%	25.252	27.9%
Wyoming	0.163	100.1%	-	-
Total	3,453.765	62.6%	1,655.504	30.0%

Out-of-state, All Sectors		Proprietary		Unspecified		Total
Dollars Awarded	Percent of State Total	Dollars Awarded	Percent of State Total	Dollars Awarded	Percent of State Total	
0.032	0.5%	0.090	1.5%	3.287	55.7%	5.905
-	-	0.016	2.7%	-	-	0.587
-	-	0.396	3.0%	-	-	13.241
-	-	0.039	0.2%	-	-	22.003
-	-	81.347	10.7%	0.391	0.1%	763.399
-	-	3.001	4.8%	14.564	23.1%	62.919
0.808	1.9%	1.630	3.9%	0.001	<.1%	41.716
1.111	10.6%	-	-	-	-	10.496
-	-	8.178	5.7%	7.975	5.6%	142.304
-	-	-	-	1.313	100.0%	1.313
-	-	-	-	-	-	0.408
-	-	0.009	0.9%	0.111	11.4%	0.972
-	-	21.712	5.2%	-	-	418.820
0.305	0.1%	2.671	0.8%	-	-	322.940
-	-	5.241	9.4%	-	-	55.535
-	-	-	-	1.352	8.3%	16.379
-	-	8.979	9.9%	-	-	91.016
-	-	0.033	2.3%	-	-	1.452
-	-	-	-	15.556	100.0%	15.556
0.282	0.3%	0.321	0.3%	-	-	93.536
1.807	2.2%	0.797	1.0%	3.149	3.8%	83.649
-	-	-	-	-	-	92.713
-	-	21.905	13.4%	-	-	162.987
-	-	-	-	-	-	2.414
-	-	-	-	-	-	25.050
-	-	-	-	0.001	<.1%	4.565
-	-	1.879	18.1%	-	-	10.388
-	-	-	-	-	-	15.612
0.496	13.3%	0.297	8.0%	0.270	7.3%	3.718
-	-	15.445	6.2%	-	-	249.889
-	-	-	-	-	-	23.069
-	-	11.406	1.4%	-	-	843.694
-	-	0.003	<.1%	9.311	5.5%	170.127
-	-	-	-	-	-	1.886
0.282	0.2%	38.555	21.7%	-	-	177.559
-	-	0.107	0.2%	-	-	56.188
-	-	0.046	0.1%	-	-	33.118
5.103	1.1%	43.066	9.2%	15.391	3.3%	468.319
-	-	7.168	18.2%	-	-	39.455
2.921	22.4%	0.643	4.9%	-	-	13.021
-	-	-	-	-	-	50.320
-	-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	2.071	3.6%	22.505	38.8%	57.962
-	-	-	-	-	-	410.916
0.101	1.4%	-	-	-	-	7.368
5.404	29.6%	0.463	2.5%	-	-	18.247
-	-	-	-	-	-	102.699
-	-	3.629	2.0%	-	-	181.824
-	-	-	-	4.399	100.0%	4.399
0.036	0.1%	1.041	3.3%	4.243	13.4%	31.677
0.009	<.1%	0.001	<.1%	-	-	90.641
-	-	-	-	-	-	0.163
18.697	0.3%	282.184	5.1%	103.983	1.9%	5,514.133

Table 10. Selected Characteristics of Primary Need-based Grant Programs, by State: 2006-07

State	Program	Maximum Award	Minimum Award
Alabama	Alabama Student Assistance Program	2,500	300
Alaska	AlaskAdvantage Education Grant	3,000	500
Arizona	AZ LEAP Program	2,500	100
Arkansas	Workforce Improvement Grant	2,000	1
California	Cal Grant A, B, C	11,259	576
Colorado	Colorado Student Grant	5,000	250
Connecticut	Capitol Scholarship Program	3,000	500
Delaware	Scholarship Incentive Program	700	2,200
Florida	Florida Student Assistance Grant	1,722	200
Georgia	LEAP Grant Program	-	-
Hawaii	Hawaii State Student Incentive Program	2,500	-
Idaho	ID Leveraging Educational Assistance Partnership	5,000	200
Illinois	Monetary Award Program	4,968	300
Indiana	Indiana Higher Education Award & Freedom of Choice Grants (Frank OBannon Grant)	10,272	200
Iowa	Iowa Tuition Grant Program	4,000	-
Kansas	Kansas Comprehensive Grant	3,000	100
Kentucky	College Access Program (CAP) Grant	1,900	200
Louisiana	LA LEAP	2,000	200
Maine	Maine State Grant Program	1,450	250
Maryland	Howard P. Rawlings Educational Assistance Grant	3,000	400
Massachusetts	MASSGrant	2,300	300
Michigan	Michigan Competitive Scholarship	1,300	100
Minnesota	MN State Grant	8,372	100
Mississippi	MS Higher Ed. Legislative Plan	3,840	1,221
Missouri	Charles Gallagher Student Financial Assistance Program	1,500	100
Montana	Montana Tuition Assistance Program	1,000	100
Nebraska	Nebraska State Grant	2,770	-
Nevada	Nevada Student Access Grants/Scholarships	5,593	53
New Hampshire	New Hampshire Incentive Program	1,000	125
New Jersey	Tuition Aid Grant	10,142	200
New Mexico	NM State Student Incentive Grant	-	-
New York	Tuition Assistance Program	5,000	500
North Carolina	CC Grant, NC SIG, State Contractual, UNC Need-based		
North Dakota	North Dakota State Student Incentive Grant Program	800	800
Ohio	Ohio College Opportunity Grant Program	4,992	300
Oklahoma	Oklahoma Tuition Aid Grant	1,300	200
Oregon	Oregon Opportunity Grant	4,684	233
Pennsylvania	Pennsylvania State Grant Program	4,500	200
Puerto Rico	Undergraduate Supplementary Aid	-	-
Rhode Island	Rhode Island State Grant Program	1,400	300
South Carolina	SC Need-based Grants and Tuition Grants Program	3,100	-
South Dakota	#	-	-
Tennessee	Tennessee Student Assistance Award	4,644	-
Texas	TEXAS Grant	-	-
Utah	Utah Centennial Opportunity Program for Education (UCOPE)	2,500	300
Vermont	Vermont Incentive Grant	9,900	500
Virginia	VSFAP - Virginia Commonwealth Award	-	-
Washington	Washington State Need Grant Program	5,390	1
Washington, DC	DC LEAP	1,500	250
West Virginia	West Virginia Higher Education Grant Program	3,358	500
Wisconsin	Wisconsin Higher Education Grant, Tuition Grant	2,900	250
Wyoming	Leveraging Educational Assistance Partnership (LEAP)	-	-

No need-based grant program

Wyoming recipients estimated. Massachusetts recipients not available.

- (1) This calculated "average award" may differ from state-produced average awards based on full awards, full year recipients, or full-time equivalent recipients.
- (2) GF = General fund appropriation, L = Lottery, ST = Special tax, TF = Student tuition/fees, SL = S/LEAP, MF = Matching Funds, O=Other
- (3) RA = Reporting agency, CA = Co-administered, O = Other

Number of Recipients	Expenditures/ Number of Recipients (1)	Full Time Full Year Recipients	Median Income		Source of Funds (2)	Program Administration (3)
			Dependents	Independents		
			3,574	593		
581	1,010	-	-	SL, O	RA	
3,874	737	-	29,167	13,938	GF, MF, O	RA
3,835	972	-	-	-	GF, SL	RA
202,608	3,766	-	-	-	GF, SL	RA
30,957	1,576	-	-	-	GF,	RA
5,306	1,745	-	-	-	GF, SL	RA
1,561	1,279	1,364	45,718	9,810	GF, SL	RA
115,848	1,048	-	-	-	GF, L, SL, O	RA
2,584	508	-	-	-	GF, SL	RA
441	925	-	-	-	GF	RA
1,618	440	-	-	-	GF, SL	RA
146,635	2,613	33,093	30,418	16,340	GF, SL	RA
48,408	3,375	-	31,017	7,318	GF, SL	RA
17,101	3,020	-	46,402	19,694	GF	RA
9,593	1,566	-	-	12,501	GF, SL	RA
38,970	1,530	-	25,000	13,212	L, SL	RA
3,955	367	-	-	-	GF, SL	RA
16,575	938	-	-	-	GF, SL, O	RA
26,992	2,243	-	-	-	GF, SL	RA
-	-	-	23,105	10,752	-	RA
27,802	1,332	22,739	53,123	11,962	GF, SL	RA
80,182	1,947	27,437	36,130	14,470	GF, SL	RA
388	3,908	-	36,500	-	GF	RA
11,808	1,313	9,329	-	-	GF, SL	RA
2,686	812	2,659	32,222	15,386	GF, SL	RA
11,860	876	-	-	-	GF, L, SL	RA
15,292	997	-	-	-	GF, TF	RA
4,525	702	-	-	-	GF, SL	RA
58,504	3,725	50,247	-	-	GF, SL	RA
14,831	826	-	-	-	GF, SL	RA
320,930	2,590	-	-	-	GF, SL	RA
75,790	1,748	-	-	-	GF, SL	RA
3,380	558	-	-	-	GF, SL	RA
25,567	1,935	-	-	-	GF	RA
26,065	762	11,528	24,048	12,068	GF, SL	RA
26,717	1,238	12,421	-	-	GF, SL	RA
166,983	2,712	115,639	-	-	GF, SL, O	RA
65,903	302	-	-	-	GF	RA
11,659	1,117	-	-	-	GF, SL, O	RA
26,589	1,893	-	-	-	GF, L, SL, O	RA
-	-	-	-	-	-	-
19,863	1,751	-	-	-	GF, SL	RA
52,570	3,330	-	-	-	GF	O
5,183	800	5,183	-	-	GF	RA
8,950	1,806	-	-	-	GF	RA
36,124	1,482	-	-	-	GF	CA
66,364	2,518	36,183	29,043	12,318	GF, SL	RA
2,582	1,704	-	-	-	GF, SL, MF	RA
11,028	2,488	-	-	-	GF, L, TF, SL	RA
58,067	1,432	-	-	-	GF	RA
355	459	-	-	-	GF, SL	RA

Figure 5. Need-based Undergraduate Grant Aid by State: 2006-07

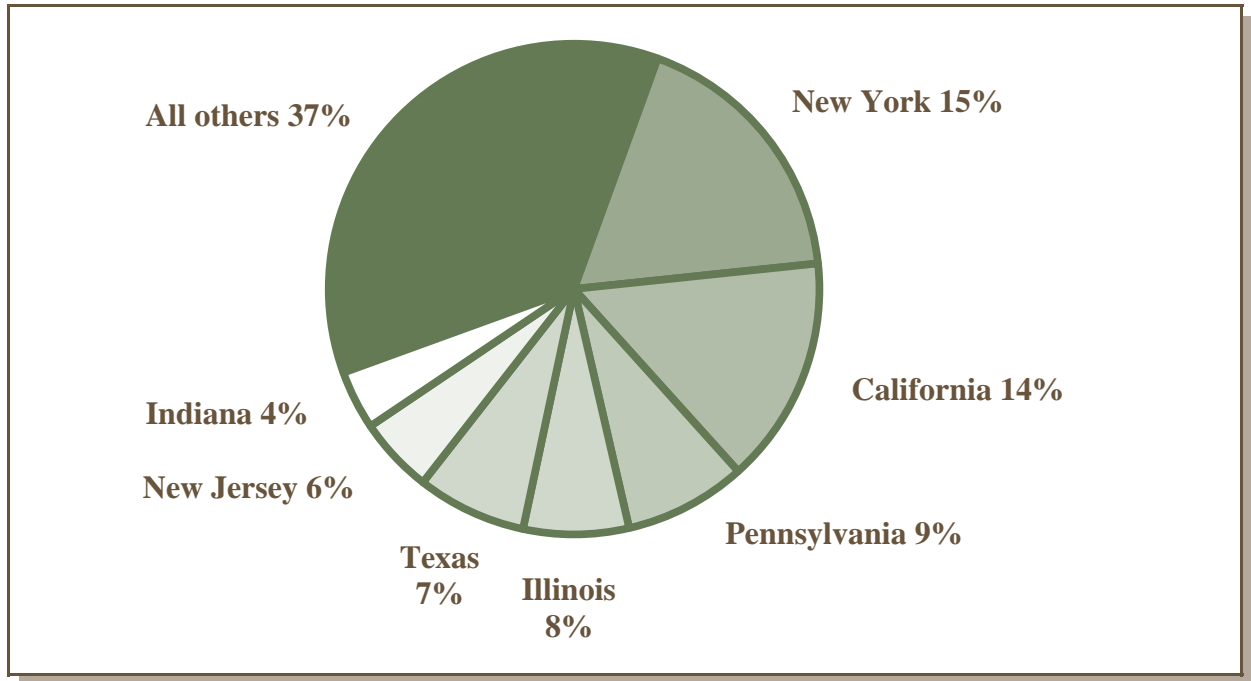


Figure 6. Need-based Undergraduate Grant Aid per Undergraduate Full-Time Equivalent Enrollment, by State: 2006-07

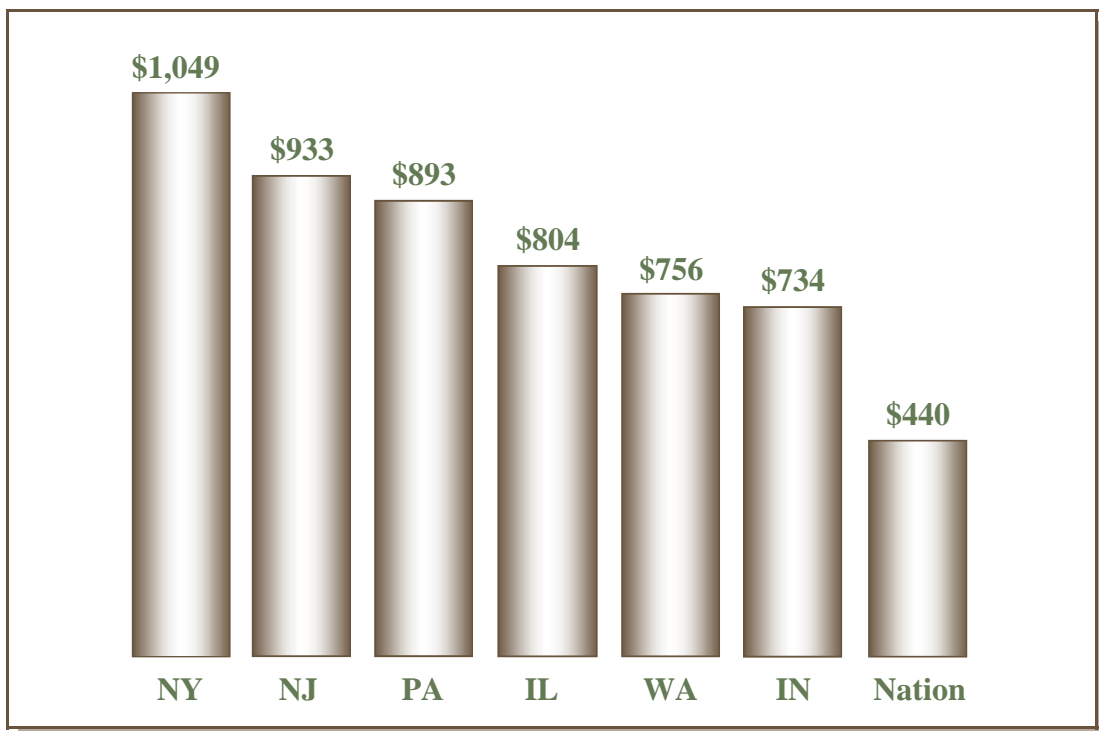


Table 11. Grant Dollars per Estimated Population, by State: 2006-07

State	Estimated Population	Total Grant Dollars/Population
1. South Carolina	4,321,249	63.24
2. Washington DC	581,530	57.89
3. Indiana	6,313,520	52.55
4. Georgia	9,363,941	51.98
5. New York	19,306,183	44.80
6. Kentucky	4,206,074	43.84
7. West Virginia	1,818,470	42.91
8. Tennessee	6,038,803	38.90
9. Pennsylvania	12,440,621	37.67
10. New Mexico	1,954,599	36.48
11. Illinois	12,831,970	34.82
12. New Jersey	8,724,560	32.16
13. Minnesota	5,167,101	31.56
14. Vermont	623,908	29.40
15. Washington	6,395,798	28.92
16. Louisiana	4,287,768	28.46
17. Florida	18,089,888	27.31
18. North Carolina	8,856,505	25.88
19. Virginia	7,642,884	22.56
20. Ohio	11,478,006	22.30
21. California	36,457,549	20.94
22. Michigan	10,095,643	20.83
23. Iowa	2,982,085	18.62
24. Oklahoma	3,579,212	18.49
25. Texas	23,507,783	17.48
26. Maryland	5,615,727	17.46
27. Delaware	853,476	17.20
28. Wisconsin	5,556,506	16.88
29. Nevada	2,495,529	16.43
30. Colorado	4,753,377	15.16
31. Massachusetts	6,437,193	12.99
32. Rhode Island	1,067,610	12.20
33. Connecticut	3,504,809	12.04
34. Arkansas	2,810,872	11.83
35. Maine	1,321,574	11.77
36. Missouri	5,842,713	10.24
37. Puerto Rico	3,927,776	10.05
38. Oregon	3,700,758	9.02
39. Mississippi	2,910,540	7.77
40. Kansas	2,764,075	5.97
41. Nebraska	1,768,331	5.87
42. Montana	944,632	4.83
43. Idaho	1,466,465	3.92
44. Utah	2,550,063	3.71
45. North Dakota	635,867	3.52
46. New Hampshire	1,314,895	2.83
47. South Dakota	781,919	2.74
48. Alabama	4,599,030	2.20
49. Arizona	6,166,318	2.15
50. Alaska	670,053	0.88
51. Hawaii	1,285,498	0.32
52. Wyoming	515,004	0.32
Nation	303,326,260	25.20

State	Estimated Population Age 18-24	Total Grant Dollars/Population Age 18-24
1. South Carolina	423,096	645.92
2. Indiana	615,836	538.79
3. Georgia	914,568	532.19
4. Kentucky	384,158	480.01
5. West Virginia	163,498	477.21
6. Washington DC	71,582	470.32
7. New York	1,939,099	446.05
8. Tennessee	548,775	428.02
9. Pennsylvania	1,198,898	390.84
10. New Jersey	763,949	367.32
11. Illinois	1,281,767	348.55
12. New Mexico	204,902	347.94
13. Minnesota	519,744	313.74
14. Florida	1,594,516	309.79
15. Washington	607,219	304.60
16. Vermont	62,215	294.83
17. North Carolina	834,747	274.59
18. Louisiana	455,262	268.01
19. Ohio	1,096,729	233.37
20. Virginia	747,108	230.82
21. Michigan	982,823	213.93
22. California	3,784,128	201.74
23. Nevada	213,289	192.25
24. Maryland	533,023	183.93
25. Oklahoma	369,119	179.34
26. Iowa	311,882	178.06
27. Delaware	83,205	176.42
28. Texas	2,448,736	167.81
29. Wisconsin	560,926	167.24
30. Colorado	459,455	156.84
31. Maine	115,743	134.40
32. Massachusetts	633,278	132.09
33. Connecticut	319,764	131.97
34. Arkansas	266,780	124.61
35. Rhode Island	116,073	112.18
36. Missouri	568,639	105.17
37. Oregon	339,955	98.20
38. Puerto Rico	407,134	96.91
39. Mississippi	303,685	74.44
40. Kansas	292,820	56.34
41. Nebraska	188,813	55.02
42. Montana	95,055	48.01
43. Idaho	149,087	38.57
44. New Hampshire	120,050	31.04
45. Utah	319,052	29.68
46. North Dakota	81,770	27.37
47. South Dakota	83,134	25.74
48. Alabama	447,567	22.60
49. Arizona	588,180	22.51
50. Alaska	71,721	8.18
51. Hawaii	125,102	3.26
52. Wyoming	54,262	3.00
Nation	29,861,918	255.95

July 2006 Population estimates from U.S. Census Bureau.
See population data end note.

Table 12. Estimated Undergraduate Grant Dollars per Undergraduate Enrollment, by State: 2006-07

State	2006-07 Undergraduate FTE	State	Estimated UG Grant Dollars/UG FTE	State	Estimated Need-based UG Grant Dollars/UG FTE
1. Alabama	176,481	1. South Carolina	1,787.64	1. New York	1,049.27
2. Alaska	17,974	2. Georgia	1,563.41	2. New Jersey	932.86
3. Arizona	362,393	3. Kentucky	1,097.65	3. Pennsylvania	893.25
4. Arkansas	105,839	4. New York	1,075.52	4. Illinois	804.37
5. California	1,500,282	5. Tennessee	1,055.67	5. Washington	756.11
6. Colorado	205,188	6. New Jersey	1,048.21	6. Indiana	734.91
7. Connecticut	121,250	7. West Virginia	1,021.40	7. Minnesota	714.44
8. Delaware	33,837	8. Pennsylvania	893.25	8. Vermont	584.83
9. Florida	597,327	9. New Mexico	872.26	9. Kentucky	541.78
10. Georgia	307,488	10. Illinois	853.50	10. California	508.58
11. Hawaii	42,794	11. Florida	810.66	11. North Carolina	486.55
12. Idaho	57,601	12. Washington	769.14	12. Maryland	465.18
13. Illinois	520,619	13. Indiana	768.95	13. Texas	458.10
14. Indiana	260,404	14. Louisiana	720.45	14. West Virginia	415.43
15. Iowa	163,656	15. Minnesota	714.79	15. Ohio	400.81
16. Kansas	130,125	16. Washington, DC	676.26	16. Wisconsin	388.22
17. Kentucky	167,995	17. North Carolina	658.93	17. Oklahoma	367.20
18. Louisiana	166,986	18. Vermont	584.83	18. Connecticut	344.05
19. Maine	45,587	19. Nevada	579.41	19. Maine	341.23
20. Maryland	195,042	20. Ohio	576.96	20. Virginia	340.83
21. Massachusetts	286,847	21. California	508.58	21. Iowa	339.34
22. Michigan	411,380	22. Michigan	501.34	22. South Carolina	331.64
23. Minnesota	227,926	23. Virginia	500.04	23. Delaware	300.65
24. Mississippi	117,674	24. Maryland	487.53	24. Massachusetts	291.62
25. Missouri	236,103	25. Texas	458.10	25. Colorado	283.43
26. Montana	36,685	26. Oklahoma	431.80	26. New Mexico	278.20
27. Nebraska	84,146	27. Wisconsin	401.78	27. Tennessee	264.56
28. Nevada	66,193	28. Delaware	398.66	28. Oregon	253.88
29. New Hampshire	49,398	29. Connecticut	344.06	29. Florida	224.88
30. New Jersey	266,377	30. Maine	341.23	30. Michigan	215.62
31. New Mexico	80,845	31. Iowa	339.34	31. Rhode Island	210.46
32. New York	800,960	32. Colorado	327.99	32. Arkansas	207.89
33. North Carolina	336,349	33. Massachusetts	291.62	33. Nevada	195.81
34. North Dakota	37,817	34. Arkansas	285.45	34. Puerto Rico	172.97
35. Ohio	443,000	35. Oregon	255.91	35. Kansas	125.87
36. Oklahoma	153,020	36. Missouri	253.14	36. Montana	124.39
37. Oregon	130,448	37. Rhode Island	210.46	37. Nebraska	123.45
38. Pennsylvania	512,715	38. Mississippi	191.96	38. Missouri	106.10
39. Puerto Rico	193,352	39. Puerto Rico	172.97	39. Washington, DC	88.36
40. Rhode Island	61,866	40. Kansas	126.78	40. New Hampshire	75.26
41. South Carolina	151,730	41. Montana	124.39	41. Utah	53.38
42. South Dakota	34,874	42. Nebraska	123.45	42. North Dakota	49.86
43. Tennessee	219,090	43. Idaho	99.83	43. Arizona	36.51
44. Texas	818,011	44. New Hampshire	75.45	44. Alabama	33.20
45. Utah	137,841	45. Utah	62.15	45. Alaska	32.64
46. Vermont	29,392	46. South Dakota	61.35	46. Mississippi	20.52
47. Virginia	298,571	47. North Dakota	59.19	47. Idaho	16.88
48. Washington	240,454	48. Alabama	49.70	48. Hawaii	9.54
49. Washington, DC	49,783	49. Arizona	36.51	49. Louisiana	8.69
50. West Virginia	76,251	50. Alaska	32.64	50. Wyoming	7.38
51. Wisconsin	233,466	51. Hawaii	9.54	51. Georgia	4.27
52. Wyoming	22,058	52. Wyoming	7.38	52. South Dakota	-
Nation	12,023,490	Total	613.22	Total	440.23

FTE data from U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics (NCES), Integrated Postsecondary Data System (IPEDS), Fall enrollment data file, 2006.

Table 13. Estimated Total Number of Awards per Enrollment, by State: 2006-07

		Total 2006-07 FTE	Total 2006-07 Aid Awards			Estimated Number of Awards/FTE
State				State		
1.	Alabama	204,421	11,429	1.	Georgia	72.5%
2.	Alaska	20,516	14,652	2.	Alaska	71.4%
3.	Arizona	443,054	11,445	3.	Kentucky	63.6%
4.	Arkansas	116,679	13,577	4.	South Carolina	62.9%
5.	California	1,715,499	214,841	5.	Nevada	60.7%
6.	Colorado	241,734	44,683	6.	New Mexico	57.6%
7.	Connecticut	146,230	21,657	7.	Oklahoma	57.6%
8.	Delaware	40,302	8,541	8.	Florida	46.2%
9.	Florida	689,985	318,512	9.	Puerto Rico	44.0%
10.	Georgia	353,979	256,769	10.	Minnesota	43.7%
11.	Hawaii	50,179	10,091	11.	Ohio	41.6%
12.	Idaho	63,387	11,326	12.	Tennessee	41.2%
13.	Illinois	624,456	246,614	13.	Nebraska	40.2%
14.	Indiana	300,426	73,555	14.	West Virginia	40.0%
15.	Iowa	185,201	24,040	15.	Illinois	39.5%
16.	Kansas	147,757	12,674	16.	Michigan	38.1%
17.	Kentucky	189,653	120,529	17.	Pennsylvania	37.8%
18.	Louisiana	190,284	47,977	18.	New Jersey	37.7%
19.	Maine	51,648	17,368	19.	New York	37.5%
20.	Maryland	236,541	56,609	20.	Vermont	36.4%
21.	Massachusetts	372,290	67,652	21.	Maine	33.6%
22.	Michigan	478,036	182,277	22.	North Carolina	32.6%
23.	Minnesota	288,776	126,067	23.	Virginia	31.8%
24.	Mississippi	129,863	32,045	24.	Washington	31.5%
25.	Missouri	288,215	44,754	25.	Oregon	27.7%
26.	Montana	40,202	8,941	26.	Texas	27.3%
27.	Nebraska	98,266	39,499	27.	Wisconsin	26.0%
28.	Nevada	76,857	46,656	28.	Louisiana	25.2%
29.	New Hampshire	57,525	4,958	29.	Mississippi	24.7%
30.	New Jersey	307,112	115,830	30.	Indiana	24.5%
31.	New Mexico	92,351	53,223	31.	Maryland	23.9%
32.	New York	972,035	364,293	32.	Montana	22.2%
33.	North Carolina	380,429	124,180	33.	Delaware	21.2%
34.	North Dakota	41,961	3,906	34.	Hawaii	20.1%
35.	Ohio	510,966	212,604	35.	Colorado	18.5%
36.	Oklahoma	171,025	98,436	36.	Massachusetts	18.2%
37.	Oregon	151,668	41,953	37.	Idaho	17.9%
38.	Pennsylvania	601,457	227,235	38.	Rhode Island	16.7%
39.	Puerto Rico	218,499	96,197	39.	Utah	16.2%
40.	Rhode Island	70,003	11,659	40.	Missouri	15.5%
41.	South Carolina	169,826	106,769	41.	Connecticut	14.8%
42.	South Dakota	39,171	2,212	42.	Iowa	13.0%
43.	Tennessee	250,002	102,989	43.	California	12.5%
44.	Texas	932,642	254,717	44.	Arkansas	11.6%
45.	Utah	155,428	25,215	45.	North Dakota	9.3%
46.	Vermont	34,371	12,497	46.	New Hampshire	8.6%
47.	Virginia	346,189	110,086	47.	Kansas	8.6%
48.	Washington	267,835	84,315	48.	Washington, DC	8.4%
49.	Washington, DC	83,585	7,039	49.	South Dakota	5.6%
50.	West Virginia	86,695	34,702	50.	Alabama	5.6%
51.	Wisconsin	263,235	68,404	51.	Arizona	2.6%
52.	Wyoming	24,425	355	52.	Wyoming	1.5%
Nation		14,012,871	4,248,554	Nation		30.3%

FTE is IPEDS, Fall 2006.

Wyoming recipients estimated. Massachusetts recipients does not include all programs.

Table 14. Total State Grant Expenditures as a Percentage of Appropriation of Tax Funds for Higher Education Operating Expenses, by State: 2006-07

Appropriations of Tax Funds for Operating Expenses of Higher Education (in thousands of dollars)		Total State Grant Expenditures as a Percentage of Higher Education Operating Expenses	
State		State	
1. Alabama	1,684,901	1. South Carolina	31.8%
2. Alaska	284,082	2. Indiana	22.8%
3. Arizona	1,106,045	3. Georgia	22.1%
4. Arkansas	785,273	4. Pennsylvania	21.8%
5. California	10,470,384	5. Vermont	21.5%
6. Colorado	681,903	6. West Virginia	20.0%
7. Connecticut	923,719	7. Tennessee	18.7%
8. Delaware	233,226	8. New York	18.0%
9. Florida	3,659,188	9. Illinois	16.0%
10. Georgia	2,204,173	10. Kentucky	14.7%
11. Hawaii	503,627	11. New Jersey	14.1%
12. Idaho	364,173	12. Florida	13.5%
13. Illinois	2,785,865	13. Minnesota	11.6%
14. Indiana	1,456,561	14. Ohio	11.6%
15. Iowa	804,488	15. Washington	11.3%
16. Kansas	788,720	16. Colorado	10.6%
17. Kentucky	1,253,192	17. Michigan	10.3%
18. Louisiana	1,430,956	18. Virginia	9.3%
19. Maine	259,089	19. Louisiana	8.5%
20. Maryland	1,436,474	20. New Mexico	8.3%
21. Massachusetts	1,029,545	21. Massachusetts	8.1%
22. Michigan	2,040,389	22. Wisconsin	8.0%
23. Minnesota	1,400,500	23. Texas	7.5%
24. Mississippi	904,205	24. California	7.3%
25. Missouri	895,376	25. Rhode Island	7.1%
26. Montana	169,434	26. Oklahoma	6.9%
27. Nebraska	576,327	27. Iowa	6.9%
28. Nevada	597,852	28. Nevada	6.9%
29. New Hampshire	123,966	29. Maryland	6.8%
30. New Jersey	1,987,225	30. North Carolina	6.8%
31. New Mexico	861,447	31. Missouri	6.7%
32. New York	4,807,447	32. Delaware	6.3%
33. North Carolina	3,389,715	33. Maine	6.0%
34. North Dakota	215,719	34. Oregon	5.1%
35. Ohio	2,207,680	35. Connecticut	4.6%
36. Oklahoma	955,483	36. Arkansas	4.2%
37. Oregon	649,466	37. New Hampshire	3.0%
38. Pennsylvania	2,153,998	38. Montana	2.7%
39. Puerto Rico		39. Mississippi	2.5%
40. Rhode Island	182,343	40. Kansas	2.1%
41. South Carolina	859,360	41. Nebraska	1.8%
42. South Dakota	175,831	42. Idaho	1.6%
43. Tennessee	1,254,677	43. Utah	1.3%
44. Texas	5,449,196	44. South Dakota	1.2%
45. Utah	705,073	45. Arizona	1.2%
46. Vermont	85,217	46. North Dakota	1.0%
47. Virginia	1,854,731	47. Alabama	0.6%
48. Washington	1,630,945	48. Alaska	0.2%
49. Washington, DC		49. Hawaii	0.1%
50. West Virginia	389,611	50. Wyoming	0.1%
51. Wisconsin	1,174,980	51. Puerto Rico	-
52. Wyoming	259,260	52. Washington, DC	-
Nation	72,103,037	Nation	10.6%

FY06 tax fund appropriation data from Grapevine.

About the Survey

The 38th Annual NASSGAP survey was completed by each state in Winter and Spring of 2007-08. A PDF version of the survey instrument is available at:

www.nassgap.org/survey/NASSGAP_Survey_Instrument_2006-07.pdf

Terms used on the survey instrument include:

Grant aid: Includes grants, scholarships and other such gift aid.

Need-based aid: Recipients must meet some standard of need using such measures as EFC, remaining costs, or maximum income to be eligible for an award.

Nonneed-based aid: Recipients are not required to demonstrate financial need to be eligible for an award.

Merit based aid: Recipients are selected in whole or in part on the basis of test score, performance, class rank, grade point average, or other such criteria of achievement.

Primary need-based grant program: The flagship need-based grant program in a state. For some states (California, Colorado, Florida, South Carolina), the primary need-based grant program may be a combination of several individual programs.

Tuition waiver program: Program mandated or funded by a state in which all or a portion of a recipient's tuition at an eligible institution is not charged to the award recipient.

Loan assumption or forgiveness program: Program in which a recipient has the possibility of having a loan repaid or forgiven, in whole or in part, in exchange for fulfilling certain service obligations.

Conditional grant or loan program: Recipient receives an award, which will become a loan if certain obligations are not met.

Special purpose program: Program with specific objectives usually targeted to specific groups of students. Examples include workforce development programs in which recipients train for particular occupations, such as teachers and health and technical workers; retraining programs aimed at retraining unemployed workers; post-service programs offering benefits to veterans or National Guard members; and, parent or spouse service programs providing benefits to spouses or children of persons killed or disabled during service to the National Guard, police, fire fighters, military, corrections system, or other occupations.

