

AP Calculus BC Student Score Distributions - Global AP Exams - May 2010

Calculus BC

Exam Score	Calculus BC	
	N	% At
5	39,012	49.4
4	12,164	15.4
3	14,218	18.0
2	4,573	5.8
1	9,031	11.4
Number of Students	78,998	
3 or Higher / %	65,394	82.8
Mean Score	3.86	
Standard Deviation	1.38	

* Calculus AB Subscore

Exam Score	Calculus BC Calculus AB Subscore	
	N	% At
5	40,276	51.0
4	15,308	19.4
3	11,193	14.2
2	4,531	5.7
1	7,690	9.7
Number of Students	78,998	
3 or Higher / %	66,777	84.5
Mean Score	3.96	
Standard Deviation	1.33	

^{*} Students receive a Calculus AB subscore for the portion of the Calculus BC exam that covers Calculus BC topics (about 60 percent of the exam). This subscore is designed to give colleges and universities more information about a student's abilities. It is recommended that colleges and universities treat the Calculus AB subscore the same as a Calculus AB exam score of 1-5.

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