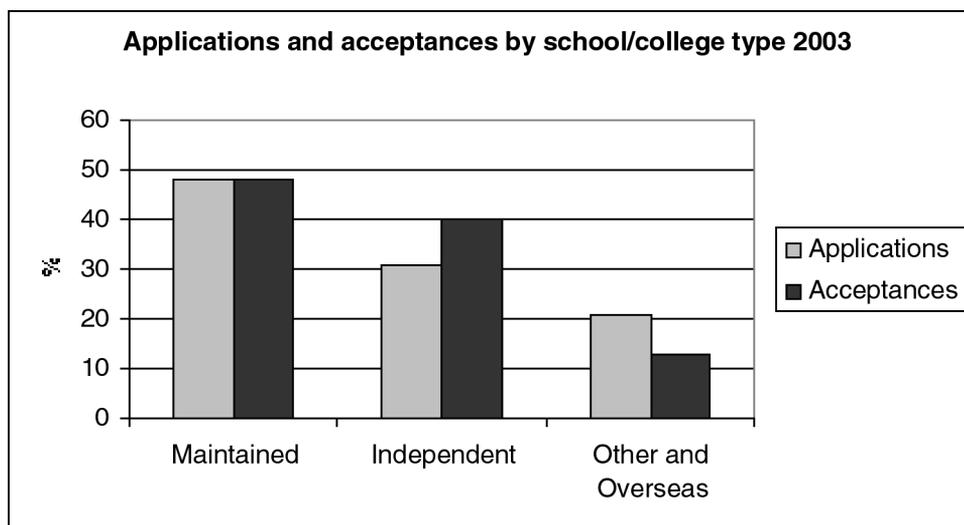


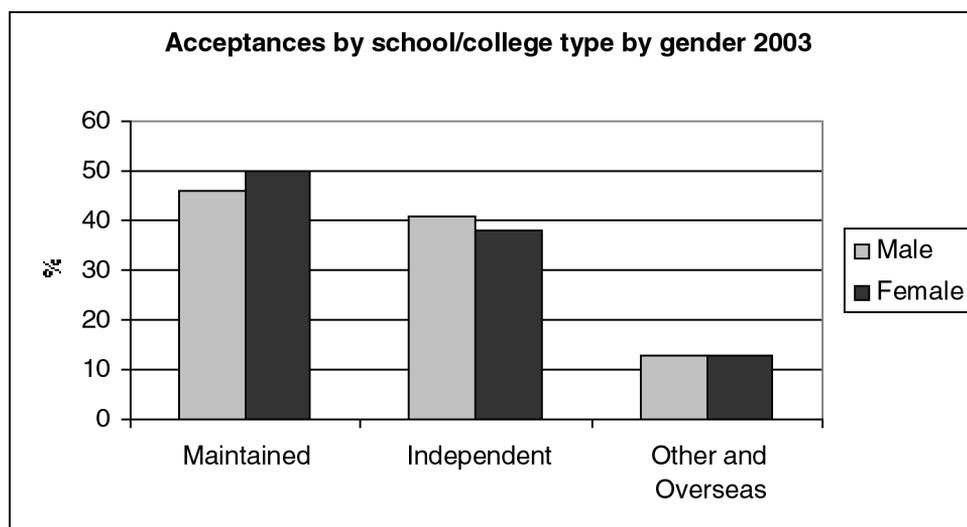
TABLE 1. *Number and percentage of applications and acceptances by type of school/college and gender 2003 and 2002*

## 2003 TOTAL MEN AND WOMEN



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Type of school/college	Applications		Acceptances	
	No.	%	No.	%
Maintained	6,624	48	1,643	48
Independent	4,195	31	1,360	40
Other and Overseas	2,881	21	432	13
<b>Totals</b>	<b>13,700</b>		<b>3,435</b>	



## 2003

Type of school/college	MEN				WOMEN			
	Applications	%	Acceptances	%	Applications	%	Acceptances	%
Maintained	3,263	47	806	46	3,361	50	837	50
Independent	2,218	32	722	41	1,977	29	638	38
Other and Overseas	1,468	21	220	13	1,413	21	212	13
<b>Totals</b>	<b>6,949</b>		<b>1,748</b>		<b>6,751</b>		<b>1,687</b>	

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### 2002 TOTAL MEN AND WOMEN

Type of school/college	Applications		Acceptances	
	No.	%	No.	%
Maintained	6,160	48	1,672	49
Independent	4,070	32	1,340	39
Other and Overseas	2,587	20	392	12
Totals	<hr/> 12,817		<hr/> 3,404	

**Note:** The category 'Other and Overseas' consists largely of applicants from schools and colleges outside the UK, but includes applicants from a variety of non-school/college institutions within the UK. FE colleges are included within the maintained figure.