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SUBJECT: Change of Registration Analysis

Please find attached the change of registration analysis for the Fall 2001 semester. The following should be noted:

- The number of sections offered is still increasing faster than enrollment growth. See page 2
- Many courses were dropped at the end of the drop period making them available for students to add. See page 3
- Fewer sections are "open" at the end of the add period this semester which should be expected since the drop period ended before the add period. See page 5
- More students and a higher percentage of students were able to register for the courses they selected for the Fall 2001 semester. There is a significant increase in the percentage of students that were able to register for every course requested (not necessarily the specific section they wanted). See pages 6 and 7
- The number of large sections (40 or more students) remained about the same in Fall 2001 (15.9%) as compared with Fall 2000 (15.7%) but lower than Fall 1999 (16.0%). See pages 8, 9 and 10

Please let me know if you have any questions.

**Enrollments In**  
**New Brunswick Undergraduate Courses**  
**Fall 2001, Fall 2000 and Fall 1999**

**January 2002**

# NOTES

Enrollments included are New Brunswick Undergraduate Courses in

- Faculty of Arts and Sciences
- Cook College
- School of Engineering
- Graduate School of Education
- Mason Gross School of the Arts
- Rutgers Business School-Newark/New Brunswick
- School of Communication, Information and Library Studies
- School of Management and Labor Relations
- School of Planning and Public Policy
- School of Social Work
- Ernest Mario School of Pharmacy

## Change of Registration Period

- Fall 2001: Adds: September 4-11\*  
(including weekend)  
Drops without a "W": September 4-10  
(including weekend)  
Drops with a "W": September 11-October 22, 2001  
\*Add period extended to September 13
- Fall 2000: Adds: September 5-11, 2000  
Drops without "W": September 5-18, 2000  
Drops with "W": September 19-October 13, 2000

New Brunswick \*

Number of Sections Offered, Number of Registrations, Headcount Enrollment

<b><u>Fall</u></b>	<b><u>1995</u></b>	<b><u>1996</u></b>	<b><u>1997</u></b>	<b><u>1998</u></b>	<b><u>1999</u></b>	<b><u>2000</u></b>	<b><u>2001</u></b>
<b>FAS Sections</b>	<b>2,364</b>	<b>2,513</b>	<b>2,606</b>	<b>2,655</b>	<b>2,842</b>	<b>2,874</b>	<b>2,913</b>
<b>Other Sections</b>	<b>1,236</b>	<b>1,271</b>	<b>1,289</b>	<b>1,320</b>	<b>1,332</b>	<b>1,312</b>	<b>1,338</b>
<b>Total Sections</b>	<b>3,600</b>	<b>3,784</b>	<b>3,895</b>	<b>3,975</b>	<b>4,174</b>	<b>4,186</b>	<b>4,251</b>

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<b>FAS Registrations</b>	<b>81,736</b>	<b>83,751</b>	<b>87,255</b>	<b>88,500</b>	<b>91,701</b>	<b>93,989</b>	<b>97,523</b>
<b>Other Registrations</b>	<b>34,175</b>	<b>34,609</b>	<b>35,176</b>	<b>36,110</b>	<b>35,798</b>	<b>36,382</b>	<b>37,017</b>
<b>Total Registrations</b>	<b>115,911</b>	<b>118,360</b>	<b>122,431</b>	<b>124,610</b>	<b>127,499</b>	<b>130,371</b>	<b>134,540</b>
<b>Headcount Enrollment</b>	<b>25,465</b>	<b>25,939</b>	<b>26,615</b>	<b>27,086</b>	<b>27,799</b>	<b>27,939</b>	<b>28,352</b>

**\*Undergraduate**

## Fall 2001

### New Brunswick Undergraduate Courses

#### Courses Dropped After The Add Period

- 2,901 Number of courses students dropped in the second week of classes (September 11 - 17, 2001)
- 5,533 Number of courses students dropped the last two days of the drop period (day 6 and 7 - September 9 and 10, 2001)
- 2,433 Number of courses students dropped in the 8th, 9th and 10th day (September 11, 12 and 13, 2001 -- 1,056 dropped in the 8th day)
- 5,948 Number of courses dropped after the second week of classes (September 18 - October 29, 2001).

NOTE: The 5,533 courses dropped the last two days of the drop period were available for students to add since the add period was extended to include the 6th, 7th and 8th days.

- 4,848 Courses added the 6th, 7th and 8th day (September 9, 10 and 11, 2001)

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Add period: September 4-11, 2001\* (including weekend)  
Drop period without a "W": September 4-10 (including weekend)  
Drop period with a "W": September 11-October 22, 2001

\*Add period extended to September 13 due to attack on the World Trade Center

## Fall 2000

### New Brunswick Undergraduate Classes

#### Courses Dropped After The Add Period

- 3,777            Number of courses students dropped in the second week of classes (September 12 - 18, 2000)
  
- 3,751            Number of courses students dropped after the second week of classes (September 19 - October 30, 2000)
  
- 7,528            Total courses dropped after the add period.
  
- Since these courses were dropped after the add period, they were not available for students to add. If the add/drop period were the same length, 7,528 "seats" in classes would have been available to students.

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Add period:	September 5-11, 2000
Drop period without a "W":	September 5-18, 2000
Drop period with a "W":	September 19-October 13, 2000

	<u>Fall 1999</u>	<u>Fall 2000</u>	<u>Fall 2001</u>
Total Sections	4,174	4,186	4,251
Total Below Stop Point (Open) Percent	3,032 73%	3,067 73%	2,768 65%
Equal To The Stop Point Percent	439 10%	483 12%	668 16%
Above The Stop Point Percent	703 17%	636 15%	815 19%

Number of Students Granted Access to New Brunswick Undergraduate  
FAS Courses

### Fall 2001

Total New Brunswick Undergraduate Enrollment = 28,352

20,525	Students received <u>every</u> FAS course requested	72%
24,669	Students received every FAS course except one	87%
26,402	Students received every FAS course except two	93%
27,162	Students received every FAS course except three	96%

### Fall 2000

Total New Brunswick Undergraduate Enrollment = 27,939

17,671	Students received <u>every</u> FAS course requested	63%
22,571	Students received every FAS course except one	81%
24,791	Students received every FAS course except two	89%
25,979	Students received every FAS course except three	93%

### Fall 1999

Total New Brunswick Undergraduate Enrollment = 27,799

15,919	Students received <u>every</u> FAS course requested	57%
20,860	Students received every FAS course except one	75%
23,439	Students received every FAS course except two	84%
24,919	Students received every FAS course except three	90%

Number of Students Granted Access to New Brunswick Undergraduate  
Non FAS Courses

### Fall 2001

Total New Brunswick Undergraduate Enrollment = 28,352

27,074	Students received <u>every</u> non FAS course requested	96%
26,564	Students received every non FAS course except one	97%
26,304	Students received every non FAS course except two	98%
26,150	Students received every non FAS course except three	99%

### Fall 2000

Total New Brunswick Undergraduate Enrollment = 27,939

24,662	Students received <u>every</u> non FAS course requested	88%
26,902	Students received every non FAS course except one	96%
27,524	Students received every non FAS course except two	98%
27,733	Students received every non FAS course except three	99%

### Fall 1999

Total New Brunswick Undergraduate Enrollment = 27,799

24,504	Students received <u>every</u> non FAS course requested	88%
26,762	Students received every non FAS course except one	96%
27,365	Students received every non FAS course except two	98%
27,604	Students received every non FAS course except three	99%

Frequency Distribution of Classes Taught in New Brunswick – Fall 2001

<u>Class Size</u>	<u>Lower Level 100-200</u>	<u>Percent</u>	<u>Cum Percent</u>	<u>Upper Level 300-400</u>	<u>Percent</u>	<u>Cum Percent</u>	<u>Total</u>
1-9	80	3.1%	3.1%	166	10.4%	10.4%	246
10-19	459	17.6%	20.7%	407	25.6%	36.0%	866
20-29	1,057	40.6%	61.3%	362	22.8%	58.8%	1,419
30-39	480	18.5%	79.8%	230	14.4%	73.2%	710
40-49	129	5.0%	84.8%	152	9.6%	82.8%	281
50-99	223	8.6%	93.4%	186	11.7%	94.5%	409
100 & up	<u>172</u>	6.6%	100%	<u>88</u>	5.5%	100%	<u>260</u>
Total	2,600	100%	100%	1,591	100%	100%	4,191

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1-9	83	3.20%	3.2%	194	12.4%	12.4%	277	
10-19	496	19.3%	22.5%	420	26.8%	39.2%	916	
20-29	1,005	39.2%	61.7	344	22.0%	61.2%	1,349	
30-39	477	18.6%	80.3%	207	13.2%	74.4%	684	
40-49	119	4.6%	84.9%	139	8.9%	83.3%	258	
50-99	213	8.3%	93.2%	182	11.6%	94.9%	395	
100 & up	<u>174</u>	6.8%	100%	<u>79</u>	5.1%	100%	<u>253</u>	
Total	2,567	100%	100%	1,565	100%	100%	4,132	

Frequency Distribution of Classes Taught in New Brunswick – Fall 1999

<u>Class Size</u>	<u>Lower Level 100-200</u>	<u>Percent</u>	<u>Cum Percent</u>	<u>Upper Level 300-400</u>	<u>Percent</u>	<u>Cum Percent</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>F</u>
1-9	77	3.0%	3.0%	161	10.6%	10.6%	238	
10-19	457	17.8%	20.8%	430	28.2%	38.8%	887	
20-29	1,018	39.7%	60.5	318	20.9%	59.7%	1,336	
30-39	475	18.5%	79.0%	220	14.4%	74.1%	695	
40-49	150	5.9%	84.8%	129	8.5%	82.6%	279	
50-99	221	8.6%	93.5%	192	12.6%	95.2%	413	
100 & up	<u>168</u>	6.5%	100%	<u>73</u>	4.8%	100%	<u>241</u>	
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,566</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>1,523</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>4,089</b>	

