



GRE® Subject Test Interpretative Data

Subject Test Total Score Information

To help interpret scaled scores, the GRE Program describes scores in terms of their standing in appropriate reference groups. Table 2A provides summary statistics for each of the GRE Subject Tests, including number of test takers, mean and standard deviation of scaled scores, and percent of the group by gender. The table is based on all individuals who tested between July 1, 2021, and June 30, 2024. Test takers who received a No Score (NS) are excluded from the data reported in the accompanying tables.

Table 2A: Performance Statistics on the GRE Subject Tests
(Based on the performance of all individuals who tested between July 1, 2021, and June 30, 2024)

Test	Number of Test Takers	Mean	Standard Deviation
Mathematics Test	5,180	680	161
Physics Test	4,759	724	167
Psychology Test	2,352	589	116

Note: For Mathematics a total of 22 percent of test takers indicated they were female, 77 percent indicated they were male; Physics a total of 21 percent of test takers indicated they were female, 78 percent indicated they were male; Psychology a total of 76 percent of test takers indicated they were female, 23 percent indicated they were male. For all Subject Tests one percent indicated they were either non-binary, preferred to self-describe, or preferred not to answer.

Table 2B on the following page provides percentile ranks for the Subject Test total scores. The percentile ranks are based on the percent of test takers scoring below a particular scale score. The data are based on all individuals who tested between July 1, 2021, and June 30, 2024.



Table 2B: GRE Subject Test Total Score Interpretive Data Used on Score Reports

(Percent of test takers scoring lower than selected scaled scores. Based on the performance of all individuals who tested between July 1, 2019, and June 30, 2023)

Blank cells imply that percentile information was not reported because there were no test takers above or below the specified scale score range.

Scaled Score	Mathematics	Physics ^a	Psychology
980		94	
960	95	90	
940	94	86	
920	93	82	
900	91	79	
880	88	75	
860	84	72	
840	79	69	
820	75	66	99
800	71	62	98
780	68	59	97
760	64	56	93
740	61	52	90
720	56	49	85
700	53	45	80
680	49	42	73
660	46	38	67
640	41	35	61
620	38	31	55
600	34	27	49
580	30	23	43
560	25	19	37
540	22	15	33
520	18	12	28
500	14	9	24
480	11	7	19
460	8	4	14
440	6	3	11
420	4	2	8
400	3	1	6
380	2	1	4
360	1		2
340	1		1
320			1
300			
280			
260			
240			
220			
200			

Note: Percentile ranks for each Subject Test are based on the test volumes provided in Table 2A.

^aFor the Physics Test, the percent of test takers scoring lower than 990 is 96.