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Tēnā koe Dakota

I refer to your request for information dated 28 June 2025 made under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act). You have requested grade and mark distributions for MICR334 and MICR335 in semester 1, 2025.

We are pleased to advise that anonymised statistical academic results data for papers offered by the University are published on our website: <https://www.otago.ac.nz/about/quickstats>. We do this so that all students can access this information at any time. The data excludes information we would withhold under section 9(2)(a) of the Act, to protect the privacy and wellbeing of students

The published spreadsheet indicates the number of students who achieved a particular grade or percentage mark for semester 1, semester 2, full year and summer school papers for each year from 2019 to 2024.

This grade and mark distribution data will essentially be the same as that which we would provide in response to individual information requests made under the Act. Further information on the University's *Proactive Release Policy for Academic Results* is available here: <https://www.otago.ac.nz/administration/policies/policy-collection/proactive-release-policy-for-academic-results>.

Data has been published as it was held on 28 February 2025. If grade and mark distribution data for any paper was not confirmed at this date, the data for the paper may not yet be published. Grade and mark distribution data for will be updated as held at 31 July 2025, to ensure the data becomes complete. This update will include summer school and semester 1, 2025 papers, where data has been confirmed.

Accordingly, we decline your request under section 18(d) of the Act, as the information you have requested is, or soon will be publicly available.

We hope this information will be helpful.

If you are not satisfied with our response to your information request, section 28(3) of the Act provides you with the right to ask an Ombudsman to investigate and review this response. However, we would welcome the opportunity to discuss any concerns with you first.

Ngā mihi



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