

**TO: Financial Aid Administrators**  
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**SUBJECT: 2003 - 2004 Application Processing Statistics – April 13, 2003**

In the following table you will find a comparison of FAFSA processing for the 2002-03 and 2003-04 processing cycles.

In addition to the 3,229,717 electronic applications that have been processed for 2003-04, there are approximately 150,000 FAFSA on the Web, Renewal FAFSA on the Web, and EZ FAFSA records on the hold file, waiting for signatures to be submitted by students.

### Application Processing Statistics 2003-2004 Processing Week 15: April 7 - 13, 2003

|                               | 2003-2004<br>This Week | 2003-2004<br>Year To Date | 2002-2003<br>This Week | 2002-2003<br>Year To Date |
|-------------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|
| <b>Electronic Apps</b>        | <b>236,275</b>         | <b>3,229,717</b>          | <b>174,866</b>         | <b>2,218,500</b>          |
| Original                      | 29,710                 | 174,931                   | 30,389                 | 172,232                   |
| FAFSA Express                 | N.A.                   | N.A.                      | 462                    | 3,798                     |
| FAFSA Web                     | 83,831                 | 1,329,966                 | 56,957                 | 911,780                   |
| Renewal Web                   | 118,860                | 1,678,796                 | 87,058                 | 1,130,690                 |
| EZ FAFSA                      | 3,874                  | 46,024                    | N.A.                   | N.A.                      |
| <b>Paper Apps</b>             | <b>133,012</b>         | <b>1,776,618</b>          | <b>141,552</b>         | <b>2,447,165</b>          |
| Original                      | 68,957                 | 791,216                   | 64,918                 | 1,063,828                 |
| Renewal                       | 64,055                 | 985,402                   | 76,634                 | 1,383,337                 |
| <b>Total Apps Processed</b>   | <b>369,287</b>         | <b>5,006,335</b>          | <b>316,418</b>         | <b>4,665,665</b>          |
| Electronic Corr's             | 43,914                 | 179,717                   | 51,190                 | 192,496                   |
| NCS                           | 17,655                 | 245,537                   | 12,893                 | 136,704                   |
| PIC                           | 7,092                  | 47,905                    | 8,908                  | 58,933                    |
| Corr's on the Web             | 41,016                 | 429,854                   | 29,677                 | 230,693                   |
| Paper Corr's                  | 63,883                 | 361,230                   | 71,944                 | 410,866                   |
| <b>Total Corr's Processed</b> | <b>173,560</b>         | <b>1,264,243</b>          | <b>174,612</b>         | <b>1,029,692</b>          |

**Application Processing Statistics**  
**2002-2003 Processing Week 67: April 7 - 13, 2003**

|                               | 2002-2003<br>This Week | 2002-2003<br>Year To Date | 2001-2002<br>This Week | 2001-2002<br>Year To Date |
|-------------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|
| -                             |                        |                           |                        |                           |
| <b>Electronic Apps</b>        | <b>27,355</b>          | <b>7,116,578</b>          | <b>26,912</b>          | <b>5,452,072</b>          |
| Original                      | 13,222                 | 1,636,619                 | 15,568                 | 1,726,788                 |
| Renewal                       | N.A.                   | N.A.                      | 65                     | 130,466                   |
| FAFSA Express                 | 14                     | 15,187                    | 0                      | 94,422                    |
| FAFSA Web                     | 12,326                 | 3,146,795                 | 9,580                  | 2,151,831                 |
| Renewal Web                   | 1,793                  | 2,317,977                 | 1,699                  | 1,348,565                 |
| <b>Paper Apps</b>             | <b>4,672</b>           | <b>4,805,383</b>          | <b>8,657</b>           | <b>5,669,991</b>          |
| Original                      | 4,552                  | 2,829,486                 | 8,544                  | 3,493,110                 |
| Renewal                       | 120                    | 1,975,897                 | 113                    | 2,176,881                 |
| <b>Total Apps Processed</b>   | <b>32,027</b>          | <b>11,921,961</b>         | <b>35,569</b>          | <b>11,122,063</b>         |
| Electronic Corr's             | 21,285                 | 3,916,396                 | 19,647                 | 3,317,199                 |
| Corr's on the Web             | 6,727                  | 1,014,194                 | 2,726                  | 416,023                   |
| Paper Corr's                  | 3,307                  | 1,626,571                 | 3,608                  | 1,806,501                 |
| NCS                           | 13,255                 | 920,586                   | 6,066                  | 709,510                   |
| PIC                           | 3,109                  | 511,032                   | 3,085                  | 568,078                   |
| <b>Total Corr's Processed</b> | <b>47,683</b>          | <b>7,988,779</b>          | <b>35,132</b>          | <b>6,817,311</b>          |