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TOTAL TAKING EXAMINATION	4343
1785 OR <u>41.1% PASSED</u>	
1491 FIRST TIMERS TOOK EXAM; 775 OR <u>52.0% PASSED</u>	
1510 SECOND TIMERS TOOK EXAM; 732 OR <u>48.5% PASSED</u>	
1342 REPEATERS W/MORE THAN TWO EXAMS TOOK EXAM; 278 OR <u>20.7% PASSED</u>	
CALIFORNIA LAW SCHOOLS APPROVED BY THE AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATION	1897
618 FIRST TIMERS TOOK EXAM; 345 OR 55.8% PASSED	
1279 REPEATERS TOOK EXAM; 614 OR 48.0% PASSED	
CALIFORNIA LAW SCHOOLS ACCREDITED BY THE COMMITTEE BUT NOT APPROVED BY THE AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATION	689
144 FIRST TIMERS TOOK EXAM; 61 OR 42.4% PASSED	
545 REPEATERS TOOK EXAM; 111 OR 20.4% PASSED	
CALIFORNIA LAW SCHOOLS NOT ACCREDITED BY THE COMMITTEE AND NOT APPROVED BY THE AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATION	212
34 FIRST TIMERS TOOK EXAM; 2 OR 5.9% PASSED	
178 REPEATERS TOOK EXAM; 21 OR 11.8% PASSED	
OUT-OF-STATE LAW SCHOOLS APPROVED BY THE AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATION	656
210 FIRST TIMERS TOOK EXAM; 114 OR 54.3% PASSED	
446 REPEATERS TOOK EXAM; 175 OR 39.2% PASSED	
NON-UNITED STATES LAW SCHOOLS	8
2 FIRST TIMERS TOOK EXAM; 0 OR 0.0% PASSED	
6 REPEATERS TOOK EXAM; 2 OR 33.3% PASSED	
OUT-OF-STATE LAW SCHOOLS NOT APPROVED BY THE A.B.A	4
2 FIRST TIMERS TOOK EXAM; 1 OR 50.0% PASSED	
2 REPEATERS TOOK EXAM; 0 OR 0.0% PASSED	
GRADUATED FROM LAW SCHOOL BUT WERE NOT ALLOCATED TO A PARTICULAR SCHOOL BECAUSE NO EXAM WAS TAKEN WITHIN ONE YEAR OF GRADUATION	796
456 FIRST TIMERS TOOK EXAM; 246 OR 53.9% PASSED	
340 REPEATERS TOOK EXAM; 79 OR 23.2% PASSED	
CORRESPONDENCE LAW SCHOOLS	77
26 FIRST TIMERS TOOK EXAM; 7 OR 26.9% PASSED	
51 REPEATERS TOOK EXAM; 6 OR 11.8% PASSED	
LAW OFFICES AND JUDGES' CHAMBERS STUDY	8
1 FIRST TIMER TOOK EXAM; 0 OR 0.0% PASSED	
7 REPEATERS TOOK EXAM; 2 OR 28.6.0% PASSED	
ATTORNEYS' EXAMINATION (NOT INCLUDED IN ABOVE TOTALS)	351
187 OR 53.3% PASSED	
DISCIPLINED ATTORNEYS REQUIRED TO TAKE BAR EXAM	6
0 OR 0.0% PASSED	

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ETHNIC STATISTICS - FIRST TIME TAKERS ONLY

	MALES	FEMALES	TOTAL*	WHITE	BLACK	HISPANIC	ASIAN	OTHER MINORITY	TOTAL
CALIFORNIA ACCREDITED NOT ABA APPROVED LAW SCHOOLS									
TOOK	73	63	136	92	9	16	11	7	135
PASS	33	25	58	42	1	4	6	5	58
%PASS	45.2	39.7	42.6	45.7	11.1	25.0	54.5	71.4	43.0
ABA APPROVED LAW SCHOOLS IN CALIFORNIA									
TOOK	314	268	582	397	29	59	60	40	585
PASS	171	151	322	250	10	23	24	15	322
%PASS	54.5	56.3	55.3	63.0	34.5	40.0	39.0	37.5	55.0
UNACCREDITED LAW SCHOOLS IN CALIFORNIA									
TOOK	14	18	32	18	4	4	4	2	32
PASS	1	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	2
%PASS	7.1	5.6	6.3	11.1	0	0	0	0	6.3
OUT-OF-STATE ABA APPROVED LAW SCHOOLS									
TOOK	118	90	208	130	17	15	31	14	207
PASS	66	46	112	79	4	6	20	4	113
%PASS	55.9	51.1	53.8	60.8	23.5	40.0	64.5	28.6	54.6
OTHERS									
TOOK	266	206	472	341	31	24	42	32	470
PASS	132	118	250	206	2	8	23	9	248
%PASS	49.6	57.3	53.0	60.4	6.5	33.3	54.8	28.1	52.8
FIRST TIME TAKER TOTALS									
TOOK	785	645	1430	978	90	118	148	95	1429
PASS	403	341	744	579	17	41	73	33	743
%PASS	51.3	52.9	52.0	59.2	18.9	34.8	49.3	34.7	52.0

* TOTALS FOR WHICH SEX DATA ARE AVAILABLE

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ETHNIC STATISTICS - REPEAT TAKERS ONLY

	MALES	FEMALES	TOTAL*	WHITE	BLACK	HISPANIC	ASIAN	OTHER MINORITY	TOTAL
CALIFORNIA ACCREDITED NOT ABA APPROVED LAW SCHOOLS									
TOOK	271	241	512	343	52	54	41	30	520
PASS	52	54	106	87	4	7	7	1	106
%PASS	19.2	22.4	20.7	25.4	7.7	13.0	17.1	3.3	20.4
ABA APPROVED LAW SCHOOLS IN CALIFORNIA									
TOOK	649	556	1205	731	98	148	177	67	1221
PASS	284	283	567	361	28	66	91	39	585
%PASS	43.8	50.9	47.1	49.4	28.6	44.6	51.4	58.2	47.9
UNACCREDITED LAW SCHOOLS IN CALIFORNIA									
TOOK	114	57	171	104	26	20	12	10	172
PASS	12	8	20	15	0	3	2	1	21
%PASS	10.5	14.0	11.7	14.4	0.0	15.0	16.7	10.0	12.2
OUT-OF-STATE ABA APPROVED LAW SCHOOLS									
TOOK	239	197	436	237	50	44	68	38	437
PASS	87	84	171	100	13	18	24	17	172
%PASS	36.4	42.6	39.2	42.2	26.0	40.9	35.3	44.7	39.4
OTHERS									
TOOK	259	126	385	188	55	37	50	58	388
PASS	54	33	87	62	3	10	9	4	88
%PASS	20.8	26.2	22.6	33.0	5.5	27.0	18.0	6.9	22.7
REPEAT TAKER TOTALS									
TOOK	1532	1177	2709	1603	281	303	348	203	2738
PASS	489	462	951	625	48	104	133	62	972
%PASS	31.9	39.3	35.1	39.0	17.1	34.3	38.2	30.5	35.5

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ABA APPROVED LAW SCHOOLS IN CALIFORNIA

LAW SCHOOL NAME	ALL TAKERS			FIRST TIMERS		
	TOOK	PASS	%PASS	TOOK	PASS	%PASS
CALIF. WESTERN SCHOOL OF LAW	124	73	58.9	69	46	66.7
CHAPMAN UNIV. SCHOOL OF LAW	46	20	43.5	31	16	51.6
GOLDEN GATE UNIV.	113	75	66.4	50	36	72.0
HASTINGS COLLEGE OF THE LAW	64	41	64.1	20	15	75.0
LOYOLA LAW SCHOOL - LOS ANGELES	136	71	52.2	27	15	55.6
MCGEORGE SCHOOL OF LAW	151	68	45.0	25	13	52.0
PEPPERDINE UNIV.	61	34	55.7	11	5	45.5
SANTA CLARA UNIV.	99	63	63.6	39	32	82.1
SOUTHWESTERN UNIV.	149	80	53.7	33	21	63.6
STANFORD UNIV. LAW SCHOOL	13	9	69.2	3	2	66.7
THOMAS JEFFERSON SCHOOL OF LAW	124	40	32.3	43	20	46.5
UNIV. OF CALIF. - BERKELEY	26	16	61.5	12	8	66.7
UNIV. OF CALIF. - DAVIS	30	22	73.3	7	5	71.4
UNIV. OF CALIF. - LOS ANGELES	57	32	56.1	15	6	40.0
UNIV. OF SAN DIEGO	132	91	68.9	43	33	76.7
UNIV. OF SAN FRANCISCO	65	31	47.7	16	5	31.3
UNIV. OF SOUTHERN CALIF.	41	20	48.8	3	3	100.0
WESTERN STATE UNIV.	373	127	34.0	153	54	35.3
WHITTIER COLLEGE SCHOOL OF LAW	93	46	49.5	18	10	55.6
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CALIFORNIA ACCREDITED NOT ABA APPROVED LAW SCHOOLS

LAW SCHOOL NAME	ALL TAKERS			FIRST TIMERS		
	TOOK	PASS	%PASS	TOOK	PASS	%PASS
CALIF. NORTHERN SCHOOL OF LAW	26	9	34.6	3	2	66.7
CALIF. PACIFIC SCHOOL OF LAW	6	3	50.0	5	2	40.0
EMPIRE COLLEGE SCHOOL OF LAW	26	6	23.1	7	4	57.1
GLENDALE UNIV. COLLEGE OF LAW	27	5	18.5	3	0	0.0
HUMPHREYS COLLEGE OF LAW - STOCKTON	10	4	40.0	1	0	0.0
JOHN F. KENNEDY UNIV.	72	23	31.9	32	14	43.8
LINCOLN LAW SCHOOL OF SACRAMENTO	38	7	18.4	1	0	0.0
LINCOLN LAW SCHOOL OF SAN JOSE	22	6	27.3	0	0	0.0
MONTEREY COLLEGE OF LAW	23	6	26.1	2	0	0.0
NATIONAL UNIV. SCHOOL OF LAW	9	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
NEW COLLEGE OF CALIF. SCHOOL OF LAW	38	4	10.5	2	1	50.0
NORTHROP UNIV.	6	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
SAN FRANCISCO LAW SCHOOL	24	7	29.2	0	0	0.0
SAN JOAQUIN COLLEGE OF LAW	27	12	44.4	1	1	100.0
SANTA BARBARA COLLEGE OF LAW	36	14	38.9	12	9	75.0
SOUTHERN CALIF. INST. - VENTURA	8	1	12.5	1	0	0.0
UNIV. OF LA VERNE AT WOODLAND HILLS	56	19	33.9	20	12	60.0
UNIV. OF LA VERNE COLLEGE OF LAW	23	13	56.5	7	6	85.7
UNIV. OF WEST LOS ANGELES	168	27	16.1	33	8	24.2
VENTURA COLLEGE OF LAW	44	6	13.6	14	2	14.3
===== *** T O T A L ***	689	172	25.0	144	61	42.4

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UNACCREDITED LAW SCHOOLS IN CALIFORNIA

LAW SCHOOL NAME	ALL TAKERS			FIRST TIMERS		
	TOOK	PASS	%PASS	TOOK	PASS	%PASS
AMERICAN COLLEGE OF LAW	61	4	6.6	6	0	0.0
CALIF. COLLEGE OF LAW - LOS ANGELES	1	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
CALIF. SOUTHERN LAW SCHOOL	45	7	15.6	9	0	0.0
CENTRAL CALIF. COLLEGE	7	0	0.0	2	0	0.0
GOLDEN WEST UNIV.	1	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
IRVINE UNIV. COLLEGE OF LAW	1	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
OAKLAND COLLEGE OF LAW	3	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
PACIFIC COAST UNIV.	12	1	8.3	1	0	0.0
PACIFIC WEST COLLEGE OF LAW	6	0	0.0	3	0	0.0
PENINSULA UNIV.	14	6	42.9	3	1	33.3
PEOPLES COLLEGE OF LAW	9	0	0.0	2	0	0.0
RIDGECREST SCHOOL OF LAW	5	0	0.0	1	0	0.0
SOUTHERN CALIF. COLLEGE OF LAW - BREA	2	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
TRINITY LAW SCHOOL	8	0	0.0	3	0	0.0
UNIV. OF NORTHERN CALIF.	30	4	13.3	3	1	33.3
VAN NORMAN UNIV.	2	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
WESTERN SIERRA LAW SCHOOL	5	1	20.0	1	0	0.0
===== *** T O T A L ***	212	23	10.8	34	2	5.9

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CORRESPONDENCE LAW SCHOOLS

LAW SCHOOL NAME	ALL TAKERS			FIRST TIMERS		
	TOOK	PASS	%PASS	TOOK	PASS	%PASS
ABRAHAM LINCOLN UNIV.	1	1	100.0	1	1	100.0
BERNADEAN UNIV. COLLEGE OF LAW	1	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
CITY UNIV. SCHOOL OF LAW	3	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
KENSINGTON UNIV. COLLEGE OF LAW	7	2	28.6	2	1	50.0
NEWPORT UNIV. SCHOOL OF LAW	8	0	0.0	5	0	0.0
NORTHWESTERN CALIF. UNIV.	13	2	15.4	4	1	25.0
OCEAN UNIV.	1	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
SOUTHERN CALIF. UNIV.	3	1	33.3	2	1	50.0
SOUTHLAND UNIV.	1	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
THOMAS JEFFERSON COLLEGE OF LAW	3	1	33.3	0	0	0.0
WILLIAM HOWARD TAFT UNIV.	36	6	16.7	12	3	25.0
*** T O T A L ***	77	13	16.9	26	7	26.9

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CANADIAN LAW SCHOOLS

LAW SCHOOL NAME	ALL TAKERS			FIRST TIMERS		
	TOOK	PASS	%PASS	TOOK	PASS	%PASS
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MCGILL UNIV.	2	2	100.0	1	1	100.0
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*** T O T A L ***	2	2	100.0	1	1	100.0

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OUT-OF-STATE ABA APPROVED LAW SCHOOLS WITH 10 OR MORE TAKERS

LAW SCHOOL NAME	ALL TAKERS			FIRST TIMERS		
	TOOK	PASS	%PASS	TOOK	PASS	%PASS
AMERICAN UNIV.	17	7	41.2	4	1	25.0
BENJAMIN N. CARDOZO SCHOOL OF LAW	10	3	30.0	1	0	0.0
BOSTON UNIVERSITY	16	8	50.0	1	0	0.0
COLUMBIA UNIV.	17	11	64.7	5	4	80.0
GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIV.	14	4	28.6	5	2	40.0
GEORGETOWN UNIV.	20	11	55.0	5	5	100.0
GONZAGA UNIV.	12	3	25.0	2	0	0.0
HARVARD UNIV. LAW SCHOOL	14	9	64.3	7	4	57.1
HOWARD UNIV.	11	2	18.2	1	1	100.0
LEWIS & CLARK COLLEGE	19	9	47.4	8	6	75.0
THOMAS M. COOLEY LAW SCHOOL	14	5	35.7	5	2	40.0
TULANE UNIV.	24	11	45.8	3	0	0.0
UNIV. OF ARIZONA	10	7	70.0	3	2	66.7
UNIV. OF DENVER	10	4	40.0	5	3	60.0
UNIV. OF IOWA	10	3	30.0	2	1	50.0
UNIV. OF MICHIGAN	20	10	50.0	10	5	50.0
UNIV. OF OREGON	15	6	40.0	2	2	100.0
OTHERS	403	176	43.7	141	76	53.9
*** T O T A L ***	656	289	44.1	210	114	54.3