

**National Summary Report: Descriptive Statistics of PRAXIS Examination Scores for the
Audiology Specialty Test for Test Administration Years 2008-2009 through 2018-2019**

The following tables present descriptive statistics on the PRAXIS audiology test for all exam participants (Table 1) and for those individuals who have earned a bachelor's degree plus additional credits, earned a master's degree, earned a master's degree plus additional credits, or earned a doctoral degree (Table 2) for test administration years 2008-2009 through 2018-2019 and who have identified ASHA as a score recipient.

Table 1. Audiology – All Exam Participants (Includes all scores from multiple test takers)

Test Year	Count	Mean	Standard Deviation	Pass		Fail	
				Count	Percentage	Count	Percentage
2018-2019	576	177	9	470	81.6%	106	18.4%
2017-2018	733	177	10	602	82.1%	131	17.9%
2016-2017	730	178	9	636	87.1%	94	12.9%
2015-2016	712	179	9	645	90.6%	67	9.4%
2014-2015	672	178	10	575	85.6%	97	14.4%
2013-2014	653	176	10	555	85.0%	98	15.0%
2012-2013	539	175	10	434	80.5%	105	19.5%
2011-2012	748	641	112**	424	56.7%	324	43.3%
2010-2011	575	638	32	514	89.4%	61	10.6%
2009-2010	585	642	34	532	90.9%	53	9.1%
2008-2009	523	641	34	469	89.7%	54	10.3%

Table 2. Audiology – Only exam participants who reported their educational level and who have earned a bachelor's degree plus additional credits, earned a master's degree, earned a master's degree plus additional credits, or earned a doctoral degree (Includes all scores from multiple test takers)

Test Year	Count	Mean	Standard Deviation	Pass		Fail	
				Count	Percentage	Count	Percentage
2018-2019	270	177	9	226	83.7%	44	16.3%
2017-2018	290	177	10	239	82.4%	51	17.6%
2016-2017	293	178	10	248	84.6%	45	15.4%
2015-2016	330	179	9	301	91.2%	29	8.8%
2014-2015	327	177	10	270	82.6%	57	17.4%
2013-2014	212	177	10	187	88.2%	25	11.8%
2012-2013	453	630/172*	111/12*	264	58.3%	189	41.7%
2011-2012	407	645	118**	238	58.5%	169	41.5%
2010-2011	421	637	33	376	89.3%	45	10.7%
2009-2010	449	642	35	407	90.6%	42	9.4%
2008-2009	394	640	34	353	89.6%	41	10.4%

*ETS implemented a new scaled score range for the audiology exam in January 2013. The new scaled score range of 100-200 has a passing score of 170. The old score range was 250 to 990 with a passing score of 600. The means and standard deviations for both exams administered during the 2012-2013 test year are presented in this report. Beginning with the 2013-2014 test year, the means and standard deviations only reflect the new scaled score range of 100-200.

**The Audiology Praxis exam was significantly revised between the 2010-2011 and 2011-2012 test years. This resulted in a much broader distribution of scores and associated increase in the standard deviation.

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