1. Gender

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
41	71.93%	Female
16	28.07%	Male
Total Number of Responses =		57

2. Ethnic Background

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
46	82.14%	White
8	14.29%	Black/African-American
1	1.79%	Asian/Pacific Islander
0	0.00%	American Indian/Alaska Native
1	1.79%	Hispanic
Total Number of Responses =		56

3. Are you a U.S. citizen?

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
55	96.49%	Yes
2	3.51%	No
Total Number of Responses =		57

4. What is your residency classification at MSU?

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
47	82.46%	In-state
9	15.79%	Out-of-state
1	1.75%	International
Total Number of Responses =		57

5. Age

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
30	52.63%	22 or younger
19	33.33%	23-27
3	5.26%	28-34
3	5.26%	35-44
2	3.51%	45 or older
Total Number of Responses =		57

6. Has either of your parents received a bachelor's degree?

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
25	43.86%	Yes
32	56.14%	No
Total Number of Responses =		57

7. What was your original entry status to MSU?

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
39	68.42%	Freshman
12	21.05%	Transfer from community college/technical school
6	10.53%	Transfer from 4-yr institution
Total Number of Responses =		57

8. If transfer student, how many credits were transferred?

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
6	28.57%	12 or fewer
4	19.05%	13-30
5	23.81%	31-60
6	28.57%	Over 60
Total Number of Responses =		21

9. If transfer student, approximately what percent of your University Studies (general education) classes did you take at MSU?

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
8	42.11%	Under 25%
1	5.26%	25-49%
8	42.11%	50-74%
2	10.53%	75-100%
Total Number of Responses =		19

10. What has been your attendance status at MSU?

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
51	91.07%	Primarily full-time
5	8.93%	Primarily part-time
Total Number of Responses =		56

11. In which Residential College are you a member?

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
10	17.54%	Do not know
2	3.51%	Clark College
6	10.53%	Elizabeth College
10	17.54%	Franklin-Springer Colleges
3	5.26%	Hart College
13	22.81%	Hester College
7	12.28%	Regents College
2	3.51%	Richmond College
4	7.02%	White College

Total Number of Responses = 57

12. Have you ever received any type of Financial Aid while at MSU? (Scholarships, grants, work-study, etc.)

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
42	73.68%	Yes
15	26.32%	No

Total Number of Responses = 57

13. What degree are you seeking at this time?

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
0	0.00%	Associate
57	100.00%	Baccalaureate

Total Number of Responses = 57

14. How many years will it take you to complete your degree from the point of your initial enrollment in college (including any time at a previous institution)?

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
3	5.26%	Two
1	1.75%	Three
20	35.09%	Four
22	38.60%	Five
4	7.02%	Six
7	12.28%	More than six

Total Number of Responses = 57

15. In what range does your grade point average fall?

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
11	19.30%	2.00 - 2.50
16	28.07%	2.51 - 3.00
20	35.09%	3.01 - 3.50
10	17.54%	3.51 - 4.00
Total Number of Responses =		57

Questions 16 and 17 relate to department and program information. They are used to sort the data, and do not appear in this table

18. For what purpose did you enroll at MSU?

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
0	0.00%	To receive an associate degree
55	100.00%	To receive a baccalaureate degree
0	0.00%	To take a few job related courses
0	0.00%	To transfer to another college/university
Total Number of Responses =		55

19. What is the highest degree you eventually hope to receive?

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
0	0.00%	Associate
24	42.11%	Baccalaureate
23	40.35%	Graduate
10	17.54%	Professional
Total Number of Responses =		57

20. Which best describes your situation?

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
10	17.54%	Did not change major/area
9	15.79%	Did not initially declare major/area
38	66.67%	Changed major/area
Total Number of Responses =		57

21. While school was in session during the past year, how many hours per week, on average, did you work for pay?

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
8	14.29%	Did not work
7	12.50%	Worked 1-10 hrs
16	28.57%	Worked 11-20 hrs
15	26.79%	Worked 21-30 hrs
7	12.50%	Worked 31-40 hrs
3	5.36%	Worked over 40 hrs

Total Number of Responses = 56

22. For the most part, were classes offered at times convenient to you?

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
49	89.09%	Yes
6	10.91%	No

Total Number of Responses = 55

23. If no, what time would you have preferred?

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
9	56.25%	Late afternoon
1	6.25%	Evening
0	0.00%	Weekend
6	37.50%	During the day

Total Number of Responses = 16

24. Which best describes the location where you completed the majority of your coursework?

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
54	94.74%	On campus
2	3.51%	Paducah
0	0.00%	Ft. Campbell
1	1.75%	Madisonville
0	0.00%	Hopkinsville
0	0.00%	Other

Total Number of Responses = 57

25. Did you have trouble getting any course(s) you needed while at MSU?

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
15	26.79%	Yes
41	73.21%	No
Total Number of Responses =		56

26. If yes, why did you have trouble getting the course?

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
2	11.76%	Not offered the semester I needed it.
2	11.76%	Not offered at hours convenient to my work schedule.
4	23.53%	Not offered at hours suitable for my school schedule.
9	52.94%	All course sections were closed.
0	0.00%	I was unaware of the prerequisites for the course.
Total Number of Responses =		17

27. Which statement best describes your experience with coop/internship?

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
27	47.37%	Cannot judge, I did not have one.
15	26.32%	My experience was very valuable.
10	17.54%	My experience was valuable.
5	8.77%	My experience was of little value.
0	0.00%	My experience was of no value.
Total Number of Responses =		57

28. Which statement best describes your experience with academic advising in your major/area?

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
4	7.02%	Cannot judge; I did not make use of the opportunity.
47	82.46%	I was satisfied with information my adviser provided.
2	3.51%	Advice was inaccurate, incomplete, or misleading.
4	7.02%	My adviser was not available.
Total Number of Responses =		57

For questions 29-40, indicate the extent to which you were satisfied.

29. Class size relative to type of course

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
30	52.63%	Very satisfied
26	45.61%	Satisfied
1	1.75%	Dissatisfied
0	0.00%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 57

30. Out-of-class availability of faculty

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
19	33.33%	Very satisfied
36	63.16%	Satisfied
2	3.51%	Dissatisfied
0	0.00%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 57

31. Fairness of faculty in their treatment of individual students

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
20	35.09%	Very satisfied
35	61.40%	Satisfied
2	3.51%	Dissatisfied
0	0.00%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 57

32. Quality of instruction in University Studies (General Education) courses

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
12	21.05%	Very satisfied
36	63.16%	Satisfied
7	12.28%	Dissatisfied
2	3.51%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 57

33. Quality of instruction in your major

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
26	45.61%	Very satisfied
30	52.63%	Satisfied
1	1.75%	Dissatisfied
0	0.00%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 57

34. Clarity of program objectives in your major

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
23	40.35%	Very satisfied
32	56.14%	Satisfied
2	3.51%	Dissatisfied
0	0.00%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 57

35. Intellectual challenge of the academic program

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
21	36.84%	Very satisfied
33	57.89%	Satisfied
3	5.26%	Dissatisfied
0	0.00%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 57

36. Encouragement and information from your major department for employment after graduation

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
15	26.32%	Very satisfied
29	50.88%	Satisfied
10	17.54%	Dissatisfied
3	5.26%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 57

37. Library hours

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
20	35.09%	Very satisfied
28	49.12%	Satisfied
7	12.28%	Dissatisfied
2	3.51%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 57

38. Effectiveness of library personnel in meeting your information needs

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
15	26.32%	Very satisfied
33	57.89%	Satisfied
7	12.28%	Dissatisfied
2	3.51%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 57

39. Access to library resources on hand

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
13	23.21%	Very satisfied
29	51.79%	Satisfied
5	8.93%	Dissatisfied
9	16.07%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 56

40. Electronic access to library resources

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
16	28.07%	Very satisfied
29	50.88%	Satisfied
8	14.04%	Dissatisfied
4	7.02%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 57

For questions 41-47, please indicate how effective University Studies at MSU was in helping you achieve these goals.

41. Writing Skills

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
13	23.21%	Very effective
32	57.14%	Effective
10	17.86%	Ineffective
1	1.79%	Very ineffective
Total Number of Responses =		56

42. Speaking Skills

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
19	33.93%	Very effective
27	48.21%	Effective
6	10.71%	Ineffective
4	7.14%	Very ineffective
Total Number of Responses =		56

43. Critical Thinking Skills

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
16	28.57%	Very effective
27	48.21%	Effective
11	19.64%	Ineffective
2	3.57%	Very ineffective
Total Number of Responses =		56

44. Computer Technology

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
12	21.43%	Very effective
27	48.21%	Effective
12	21.43%	Ineffective
5	8.93%	Very ineffective
Total Number of Responses =		56

45. General Knowledge in the liberal arts and sciences

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
11	19.64%	Very effective
33	58.93%	Effective
8	14.29%	Ineffective
4	7.14%	Very ineffective

Total Number of Responses = 56

46. International Perspectives

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
9	16.07%	Very effective
31	55.36%	Effective
10	17.86%	Ineffective
6	10.71%	Very ineffective

Total Number of Responses = 56

47. Stimulation of interest in areas outside your chosen field of study

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
9	16.07%	Very effective
34	60.71%	Effective
9	16.07%	Ineffective
4	7.14%	Very ineffective

Total Number of Responses = 56

For questions 48-72, please indicate how satisfactorily the following met your needs

48. African-American Student Services

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
43	75.44%	Did not use
6	10.53%	Very satisfied
7	12.28%	Satisfied
1	1.75%	Dissatisfied
0	0.00%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 57

49. Career Services Office

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
15	26.79%	Did not use
23	41.07%	Very satisfied
15	26.79%	Satisfied
3	5.36%	Dissatisfied
0	0.00%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 56

50. Counseling and Testing Center

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
41	71.93%	Did not use
11	19.30%	Very satisfied
4	7.02%	Satisfied
1	1.75%	Dissatisfied
0	0.00%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 57

51. Cultural programming and activities

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
37	64.91%	Did not use
12	21.05%	Very satisfied
6	10.53%	Satisfied
2	3.51%	Dissatisfied
0	0.00%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 57

52. Food Services

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
16	28.57%	Did not use
13	23.21%	Very satisfied
19	33.93%	Satisfied
7	12.50%	Dissatisfied
1	1.79%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 56

53. Greek life and activities

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
34	60.71%	Did not use
13	23.21%	Very satisfied
7	12.50%	Satisfied
0	0.00%	Dissatisfied
2	3.57%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 56

54. Health Services

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
19	33.33%	Did not use
15	26.32%	Very satisfied
10	17.54%	Satisfied
8	14.04%	Dissatisfied
5	8.77%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 57

55. Honor Societies/Departmental Clubs/Special Interest Organizations

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
32	56.14%	Did not use
12	21.05%	Very satisfied
11	19.30%	Satisfied
2	3.51%	Dissatisfied
0	0.00%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 57

56. International Programs and activities

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
44	78.57%	Did not use
9	16.07%	Very satisfied
1	1.79%	Satisfied
2	3.57%	Dissatisfied
0	0.00%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 56

57. International student support services

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
52	91.23%	Did not use
3	5.26%	Very satisfied
1	1.75%	Satisfied
1	1.75%	Dissatisfied
0	0.00%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 57

58. Intracollegiate Sports and Recreation

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
30	52.63%	Did not use
21	36.84%	Very satisfied
5	8.77%	Satisfied
0	0.00%	Dissatisfied
1	1.75%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 57

59. Learning Center

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
39	68.42%	Did not use
11	19.30%	Very satisfied
6	10.53%	Satisfied
1	1.75%	Dissatisfied
0	0.00%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 57

60. Library

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
2	3.51%	Did not use
21	36.84%	Very satisfied
26	45.61%	Satisfied
4	7.02%	Dissatisfied
4	7.02%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 57

61. MAP Report

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
0	0.00%	Did not use
21	36.84%	Very satisfied
27	47.37%	Satisfied
8	14.04%	Dissatisfied
1	1.75%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 57

62. MSU Web site

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
2	3.51%	Did not use
25	43.86%	Very satisfied
29	50.88%	Satisfied
1	1.75%	Dissatisfied
0	0.00%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 57

63. NCAA Sports

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
28	49.12%	Did not use
12	21.05%	Very satisfied
13	22.81%	Satisfied
3	5.26%	Dissatisfied
1	1.75%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 57

64. Racer Touch Registration

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
2	3.51%	Did not use
24	42.11%	Very satisfied
26	45.61%	Satisfied
4	7.02%	Dissatisfied
1	1.75%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 57

65. Residential College programming and activities

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
20	35.71%	Did not use
12	21.43%	Very satisfied
21	37.50%	Satisfied
2	3.57%	Dissatisfied
1	1.79%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 56

66. Scholarships/grants/student employment

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
13	22.81%	Did not use
18	31.58%	Very satisfied
18	31.58%	Satisfied
3	5.26%	Dissatisfied
5	8.77%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 57

67. Security Services

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
23	40.35%	Did not use
11	19.30%	Very satisfied
20	35.09%	Satisfied
3	5.26%	Dissatisfied
0	0.00%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 57

68. Services for non-traditional students

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
47	82.46%	Did not use
4	7.02%	Very satisfied
6	10.53%	Satisfied
0	0.00%	Dissatisfied
0	0.00%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 57

69. Student Support Services (Trio)

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
49	85.96%	Did not use
4	7.02%	Very satisfied
3	5.26%	Satisfied
1	1.75%	Dissatisfied
0	0.00%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 57

70. Student Records/Transcript Services

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
14	24.56%	Did not use
13	22.81%	Very satisfied
27	47.37%	Satisfied
3	5.26%	Dissatisfied
0	0.00%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 57

71. Computer and Internet access for study and research needs

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
6	10.53%	Did not use
20	35.09%	Very satisfied
27	47.37%	Satisfied
3	5.26%	Dissatisfied
1	1.75%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 57

72. Women's Center

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
43	75.44%	Did not use
8	14.04%	Very satisfied
6	10.53%	Satisfied
0	0.00%	Dissatisfied
0	0.00%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 57

73. Which phrase best describes your opinion of Residential Colleges?

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
15	26.32%	Not familiar with Residential Colleges
15	26.32%	Very positive
19	33.33%	Positive
4	7.02%	Negative
4	7.02%	Very negative

Total Number of Responses = 57

Questions 74-81

The University has formulated eight desired "Characteristics of the Murray State University Graduate." Please indicate how effective your MSU experience was in enhancing your abilities in each area.

74. Engage in mature, independent thought and express that thought effectively in oral and written communication

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
26	45.61%	Very effective
29	50.88%	Effective
2	3.51%	Ineffective
0	0.00%	Very ineffective

Total Number of Responses = 57

75. Understand the critical and scientific methodologies academic disciplines employ to discover knowledge and ascertain its validity

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
13	22.81%	Very effective
42	73.68%	Effective
1	1.75%	Ineffective
1	1.75%	Very ineffective

Total Number of Responses = 57

76. Apply sound standards of analysis and evaluation to reach logical decisions

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
20	35.09%	Very effective
36	63.16%	Effective
1	1.75%	Ineffective
0	0.00%	Very ineffective
Total Number of Responses =		57

77. Understand the role and applications of technology and science in the solution of the problems of a changing world

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
14	24.56%	Very effective
35	61.40%	Effective
8	14.04%	Ineffective
0	0.00%	Very ineffective
Total Number of Responses =		57

78. Demonstrate a critical understanding of the world's historical, literary, philosophical, and artistic traditions

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
12	21.05%	Very effective
38	66.67%	Effective
7	12.28%	Ineffective
0	0.00%	Very ineffective
Total Number of Responses =		57

79. Understand the dynamics of cultural diversity, of competing economic and political systems, and of complex moral and ethical issues

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
18	31.58%	Very effective
33	57.89%	Effective
4	7.02%	Ineffective
2	3.51%	Very ineffective
Total Number of Responses =		57

80. Understand the nature of responsible citizenship and pursue an active role in a democratic society

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
19	33.33%	Very effective
34	59.65%	Effective
4	7.02%	Ineffective
0	0.00%	Very ineffective

Total Number of Responses = 57

81. Demonstrate mastery of your chosen field of study in preparation for a successful, productive life

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
22	38.60%	Very effective
32	56.14%	Effective
3	5.26%	Ineffective
0	0.00%	Very ineffective

Total Number of Responses = 57

82. What do you expect to do after you graduate?

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
34	60.71%	I will look for a job.
7	12.50%	I will continue working in the position I now have.
1	1.79%	I will seek a bachelor's degree.
13	23.21%	I will go to graduate school.
1	1.79%	I will go to law school.
0	0.00%	I will go to medical school.
0	0.00%	I will go to other professional school.
0	0.00%	I will not work or attend school.

Total Number of Responses = 56

83. If you intend to continue your education, please indicate which statement best describes the institution you will attend.

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
22	53.66%	Murray State University
6	14.63%	University/College in Kentucky
13	31.71%	University/College outside Kentucky

Total Number of Responses = 41

84. How effective was your high school preparation for college work?

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
14	24.56%	Very effective
25	43.86%	Effective
14	24.56%	Ineffective
4	7.02%	Very ineffective

Total Number of Responses = 57

85. How would you rate the overall quality of instruction at MSU?

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
17	30.36%	Excellent
30	53.57%	Good
9	16.07%	Fair
0	0.00%	Poor

Total Number of Responses = 56

86. How would you rate the quality of instruction in your major?

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
33	57.89%	Excellent
23	40.35%	Good
1	1.75%	Fair
0	0.00%	Poor

Total Number of Responses = 57

87. Did it take you an extra semester or more to complete degree requirements at MSU?

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
42	73.68%	Yes
15	26.32%	No

Total Number of Responses = 57

88. If yes, why did it take you an extra semester or more?

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
10	22.22%	Work obligation limited my enrollment.
1	2.22%	Family obligations limited my enrollment.
4	8.89%	Tuition and other costs of attendance limited my enrollment.
18	40.00%	A decision to change majors added to my requirements.
0	0.00%	A required course or courses were not offered.
2	4.44%	Credits were lost transferring to MSU.
10	22.22%	Other

Total Number of Responses = 45

Questions 89-91

Please rate the quality of educational resources at MSU.

89. Quality of library services

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
14	24.56%	Excellent
23	40.35%	Good
10	17.54%	Fair
10	17.54%	Poor
0	0.00%	N/A

Total Number of Responses = 57

90. Availability of computing resources

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
15	26.32%	Excellent
25	43.86%	Good
13	22.81%	Fair
3	5.26%	Poor
1	1.75%	N/A

Total Number of Responses = 57

91. Willingness of faculty to meet with students

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
24	42.86%	Excellent
28	50.00%	Good
4	7.14%	Fair
0	0.00%	Poor
0	0.00%	N/A

Total Number of Responses = 56

92. "I would recommend MSU to a prospective student."

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
31	56.36%	Strongly agree
20	36.36%	Agree
3	5.45%	Disagree
1	1.82%	Strongly disagree

Total Number of Responses = 55