1. Gender

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
24	32.43%	Female
50	67.57%	Male
Total Number of Responses =		74

2. Ethnic Background

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
65	89.04%	White
7	9.59%	Black/African-American
0	0.00%	Asian/Pacific Islander
1	1.37%	American Indian/Alaska Native
0	0.00%	Hispanic
Total Number of Responses =		73

3. Are you a U.S. citizen?

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
68	91.89%	Yes
6	8.11%	No
Total Number of Responses =		74

4. What is your residency classification at MSU?

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
59	79.73%	In-state
10	13.51%	Out-of-state
5	6.76%	International
Total Number of Responses =		74

5. Age

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
28	37.84%	22 or younger
29	39.19%	23-27
8	10.81%	28-34
6	8.11%	35-44
3	4.05%	45 or older
Total Number of Responses =		74

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

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
35	47.30%	Yes
39	52.70%	No
Total Number of Responses =		74

7. What was your original entry status to MSU?

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
41	55.41%	Freshman
24	32.43%	Transfer from community college/technical school
9	12.16%	Transfer from 4-yr institution
Total Number of Responses =		74

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

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
4	11.76%	12 or fewer
7	20.59%	13-30
12	35.29%	31-60
11	32.35%	Over 60
Total Number of Responses =		34

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

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
15	42.86%	Under 25%
9	25.71%	25-49%
5	14.29%	50-74%
6	17.14%	75-100%
Total Number of Responses =		35

10. What has been your attendance status at MSU?

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
71	95.95%	Primarily full-time
3	4.05%	Primarily part-time
Total Number of Responses =		74

11. In which Residential College are you a member?

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
12	16.44%	Do not know
9	12.33%	Clark College
7	9.59%	Elizabeth College
14	19.18%	Franklin-Springer Colleges
9	12.33%	Hart College
8	10.96%	Hester College
6	8.22%	Regents College
5	6.85%	Richmond College
3	4.11%	White College

Total Number of Responses = 73

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

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
59	79.73%	Yes
15	20.27%	No

Total Number of Responses = 74

13. What degree are you seeking at this time?

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
7	9.46%	Associate
67	90.54%	Baccalaureate

Total Number of Responses = 74

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	4.05%	Two
5	6.76%	Three
20	27.03%	Four
20	27.03%	Five
16	21.62%	Six
10	13.51%	More than six

Total Number of Responses = 74

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

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
18	24.32%	2.00 - 2.50
25	33.78%	2.51 - 3.00
21	28.38%	3.01 - 3.50
10	13.51%	3.51 - 4.00
Total Number of Responses =		74

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
3	4.11%	To receive an associate degree
31	42.47%	To receive a baccalaureate degree
32	43.84%	To take a few job related courses
7	9.59%	To transfer to another college/university
Total Number of Responses =		73

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

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
40	54.79%	Associate
6	8.22%	Baccalaureate
27	36.99%	Graduate
0	0.00%	Professional
Total Number of Responses =		73

20. Which best describes your situation?

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
17	34.00%	Did not change major/area
7	14.00%	Did not initially declare major/area
26	52.00%	Changed major/area
Total Number of Responses =		50

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
67	90.54%	Did not work
7	9.46%	Worked 1-10 hrs
0	0.00%	Worked 11-20 hrs
0	0.00%	Worked 21-30 hrs
0	0.00%	Worked 31-40 hrs
0	0.00%	Worked over 40 hrs

Total Number of Responses = 74

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

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
9	81.82%	Yes
2	18.18%	No

Total Number of Responses = 11

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

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
72	100.00%	Late afternoon
0	0.00%	Evening
0	0.00%	Weekend
0	0.00%	During the day

Total Number of Responses = 72

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

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
29	39.19%	On campus
45	60.81%	Paducah
0	0.00%	Ft. Campbell
0	0.00%	Madisonville
0	0.00%	Hopkinsville
0	0.00%	Other

Total Number of Responses = 74

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

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
20	83.33%	Yes
4	16.67%	No
Total Number of Responses =	24	

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

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
20	27.40%	Not offered the semester I needed it.
33	45.21%	Not offered at hours convenient to my work schedule.
14	19.18%	Not offered at hours suitable for my school schedule.
6	8.22%	All course sections were closed.
0	0.00%	I was unaware of the prerequisites for the course.
Total Number of Responses =	73	

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

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
1	1.37%	Cannot judge, I did not have one.
69	94.52%	My experience was very valuable.
3	4.11%	My experience was valuable.
0	0.00%	My experience was of little value.
0	0.00%	My experience was of no value.
Total Number of Responses =	73	

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

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
36	48.65%	Cannot judge; I did not make use of the opportunity.
38	51.35%	I was satisfied with information my adviser provided.
0	0.00%	Advice was inaccurate, incomplete, or misleading.
0	0.00%	My adviser was not available.
Total Number of Responses =	74	

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

29. Class size relative to type of course

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
23	31.08%	Very satisfied
46	62.16%	Satisfied
5	6.76%	Dissatisfied
0	0.00%	Very dissatisfied
Total Number of Responses =		74

30. Out-of-class availability of faculty

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
20	27.03%	Very satisfied
50	67.57%	Satisfied
3	4.05%	Dissatisfied
1	1.35%	Very dissatisfied
Total Number of Responses =		74

31. Fairness of faculty in their treatment of individual students

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
9	12.16%	Very satisfied
49	66.22%	Satisfied
14	18.92%	Dissatisfied
2	2.70%	Very dissatisfied
Total Number of Responses =		74

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

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
33	44.59%	Very satisfied
40	54.05%	Satisfied
0	0.00%	Dissatisfied
1	1.35%	Very dissatisfied
Total Number of Responses =		74

33. Quality of instruction in your major

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
25	33.78%	Very satisfied
40	54.05%	Satisfied
7	9.46%	Dissatisfied
2	2.70%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 74

34. Clarity of program objectives in your major

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
25	33.78%	Very satisfied
46	62.16%	Satisfied
3	4.05%	Dissatisfied
0	0.00%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 74

35. Intellectual challenge of the academic program

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
20	27.03%	Very satisfied
37	50.00%	Satisfied
12	16.22%	Dissatisfied
5	6.76%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 74

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

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
17	22.97%	Very satisfied
47	63.51%	Satisfied
8	10.81%	Dissatisfied
2	2.70%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 74

37. Library hours

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
16	21.62%	Very satisfied
49	66.22%	Satisfied
8	10.81%	Dissatisfied
1	1.35%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 74

38. Effectiveness of library personnel in meeting your information needs

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
15	20.27%	Very satisfied
49	66.22%	Satisfied
8	10.81%	Dissatisfied
2	2.70%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 74

39. Access to library resources on hand

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
16	21.62%	Very satisfied
50	67.57%	Satisfied
7	9.46%	Dissatisfied
1	1.35%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 74

40. Electronic access to library resources

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
13	17.57%	Very satisfied
52	70.27%	Satisfied
8	10.81%	Dissatisfied
1	1.35%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 74

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
15	20.27%	Very effective
51	68.92%	Effective
8	10.81%	Ineffective
0	0.00%	Very ineffective
Total Number of Responses =		74

42. Speaking Skills

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
16	21.62%	Very effective
54	72.97%	Effective
4	5.41%	Ineffective
0	0.00%	Very ineffective
Total Number of Responses =		74

43. Critical Thinking Skills

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
27	36.49%	Very effective
41	55.41%	Effective
6	8.11%	Ineffective
0	0.00%	Very ineffective
Total Number of Responses =		74

44. Computer Technology

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
9	12.16%	Very effective
50	67.57%	Effective
14	18.92%	Ineffective
1	1.35%	Very ineffective
Total Number of Responses =		74

45. General Knowledge in the liberal arts and sciences

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
10	13.51%	Very effective
42	56.76%	Effective
17	22.97%	Ineffective
5	6.76%	Very ineffective
Total Number of Responses =		74

46. International Perspectives

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
12	16.22%	Very effective
46	62.16%	Effective
11	14.86%	Ineffective
5	6.76%	Very ineffective
Total Number of Responses =		74

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

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
70	95.89%	Very effective
1	1.37%	Effective
2	2.74%	Ineffective
0	0.00%	Very ineffective
Total Number of Responses =		73

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

48. African-American Student Services

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
30	40.54%	Did not use
13	17.57%	Very satisfied
25	33.78%	Satisfied
3	4.05%	Dissatisfied
3	4.05%	Very dissatisfied
Total Number of Responses =		74

49. Career Services Office

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
64	86.49%	Did not use
0	0.00%	Very satisfied
8	10.81%	Satisfied
1	1.35%	Dissatisfied
1	1.35%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 74

50. Counseling and Testing Center

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
63	85.14%	Did not use
4	5.41%	Very satisfied
5	6.76%	Satisfied
2	2.70%	Dissatisfied
0	0.00%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 74

51. Cultural programming and activities

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
16	21.62%	Did not use
15	20.27%	Very satisfied
38	51.35%	Satisfied
4	5.41%	Dissatisfied
1	1.35%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 74

52. Food Services

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
50	67.57%	Did not use
15	20.27%	Very satisfied
6	8.11%	Satisfied
3	4.05%	Dissatisfied
0	0.00%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 74

53. Greek life and activities

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
26	35.14%	Did not use
16	21.62%	Very satisfied
23	31.08%	Satisfied
6	8.11%	Dissatisfied
3	4.05%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 74

54. Health Services

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
34	46.58%	Did not use
18	24.66%	Very satisfied
20	27.40%	Satisfied
1	1.37%	Dissatisfied
0	0.00%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 73

55. Honor Societies/Departmental Clubs/Special Interest Organizations

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
62	83.78%	Did not use
4	5.41%	Very satisfied
6	8.11%	Satisfied
2	2.70%	Dissatisfied
0	0.00%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 74

56. International Programs and activities

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
66	89.19%	Did not use
5	6.76%	Very satisfied
2	2.70%	Satisfied
0	0.00%	Dissatisfied
1	1.35%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 74

57. International student support services

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
46	62.16%	Did not use
11	14.86%	Very satisfied
13	17.57%	Satisfied
3	4.05%	Dissatisfied
1	1.35%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 74

58. Intracollegiate Sports and Recreation

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
60	82.19%	Did not use
5	6.85%	Very satisfied
7	9.59%	Satisfied
0	0.00%	Dissatisfied
1	1.37%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 73

59. Learning Center

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
13	17.57%	Did not use
25	33.78%	Very satisfied
31	41.89%	Satisfied
5	6.76%	Dissatisfied
0	0.00%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 74

60. Library

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
3	4.05%	Did not use
17	22.97%	Very satisfied
34	45.95%	Satisfied
14	18.92%	Dissatisfied
6	8.11%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 74

61. MAP Report

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
1	1.35%	Did not use
37	50.00%	Very satisfied
33	44.59%	Satisfied
3	4.05%	Dissatisfied
0	0.00%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 74

62. MSU Web site

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
38	51.35%	Did not use
11	14.86%	Very satisfied
22	29.73%	Satisfied
2	2.70%	Dissatisfied
1	1.35%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 74

63. NCAA Sports

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
2	2.74%	Did not use
33	45.21%	Very satisfied
35	47.95%	Satisfied
3	4.11%	Dissatisfied
0	0.00%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 73

64. Racer Touch Registration

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
40	54.05%	Did not use
8	10.81%	Very satisfied
19	25.68%	Satisfied
6	8.11%	Dissatisfied
1	1.35%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 74

65. Residential College programming and activities

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
8	10.81%	Did not use
22	29.73%	Very satisfied
29	39.19%	Satisfied
11	14.86%	Dissatisfied
4	5.41%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 74

66. Scholarships/grants/student employment

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
42	56.76%	Did not use
9	12.16%	Very satisfied
20	27.03%	Satisfied
3	4.05%	Dissatisfied
0	0.00%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 74

67. Security Services

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
57	77.03%	Did not use
5	6.76%	Very satisfied
10	13.51%	Satisfied
1	1.35%	Dissatisfied
1	1.35%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 74

68. Services for non-traditional students

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
63	85.14%	Did not use
6	8.11%	Very satisfied
4	5.41%	Satisfied
1	1.35%	Dissatisfied
0	0.00%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 74

69. Student Support Services (Trio)

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
20	27.03%	Did not use
19	25.68%	Very satisfied
32	43.24%	Satisfied
3	4.05%	Dissatisfied
0	0.00%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 74

70. Student Records/Transcript Services

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
7	9.46%	Did not use
36	48.65%	Very satisfied
25	33.78%	Satisfied
5	6.76%	Dissatisfied
1	1.35%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 74

71. Computer and Internet access for study and research needs

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
72	97.30%	Did not use
1	1.35%	Very satisfied
0	0.00%	Satisfied
1	1.35%	Dissatisfied
0	0.00%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 74

72. Women's Center

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
28	37.84%	Did not use
10	13.51%	Very satisfied
29	39.19%	Satisfied
7	9.46%	Dissatisfied
0	0.00%	Very dissatisfied

Total Number of Responses = 74

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

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
16	21.62%	Not familiar with Residential Colleges
52	70.27%	Very positive
5	6.76%	Positive
1	1.35%	Negative
0	0.00%	Very negative

Total Number of Responses = 74

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
11	14.86%	Very effective
60	81.08%	Effective
2	2.70%	Ineffective
1	1.35%	Very ineffective

Total Number of Responses = 74

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

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
16	21.62%	Very effective
56	75.68%	Effective
1	1.35%	Ineffective
1	1.35%	Very ineffective

Total Number of Responses = 74

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

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
32	43.24%	Very effective
39	52.70%	Effective
2	2.70%	Ineffective
1	1.35%	Very ineffective
Total Number of Responses =		74

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

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
9	12.16%	Very effective
50	67.57%	Effective
13	17.57%	Ineffective
2	2.70%	Very ineffective
Total Number of Responses =		74

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

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
18	24.32%	Very effective
44	59.46%	Effective
11	14.86%	Ineffective
1	1.35%	Very ineffective
Total Number of Responses =		74

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

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
11	14.86%	Very effective
52	70.27%	Effective
8	10.81%	Ineffective
3	4.05%	Very ineffective
Total Number of Responses =		74

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

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
24	32.43%	Very effective
47	63.51%	Effective
2	2.70%	Ineffective
1	1.35%	Very ineffective

Total Number of Responses = 74

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

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
48	67.61%	Very effective
8	11.27%	Effective
3	4.23%	Ineffective
12	16.90%	Very ineffective

Total Number of Responses = 71

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

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
32	58.18%	I will look for a job.
5	9.09%	I will continue working in the position I now have.
18	32.73%	I will seek a bachelor's degree.
0	0.00%	I will go to graduate school.
0	0.00%	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 = 55

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

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
19	27.54%	Murray State University
30	43.48%	University/College in Kentucky
20	28.99%	University/College outside Kentucky

Total Number of Responses = 69

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

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
28	37.84%	Very effective
42	56.76%	Effective
3	4.05%	Ineffective
1	1.35%	Very ineffective
Total Number of Responses =		74

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

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
43	58.90%	Excellent
28	38.36%	Good
1	1.37%	Fair
1	1.37%	Poor
Total Number of Responses =		73

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

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
55	74.32%	Excellent
18	24.32%	Good
1	1.35%	Fair
0	0.00%	Poor
Total Number of Responses =		74

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

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
7	46.67%	Yes
8	53.33%	No
Total Number of Responses =		15

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

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
16	21.62%	Work obligation limited my enrollment.
38	51.35%	Family obligations limited my enrollment.
9	12.16%	Tuition and other costs of attendance limited my enrollment.
4	5.41%	A decision to change majors added to my requirements.
7	9.46%	A required course or courses were not offered.
0	0.00%	Credits were lost transferring to MSU.
0	0.00%	Other

Total Number of Responses = 74

Questions 89-91

Please rate the quality of educational resources at MSU.

89. Quality of library services

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
22	29.73%	Excellent
41	55.41%	Good
7	9.46%	Fair
2	2.70%	Poor
2	2.70%	N/A

Total Number of Responses = 74

90. Availability of computing resources

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
31	42.47%	Excellent
35	47.95%	Good
6	8.22%	Fair
1	1.37%	Poor
0	0.00%	N/A

Total Number of Responses = 73

91. Willingness of faculty to meet with students

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
52	71.23%	Excellent
19	26.03%	Good
1	1.37%	Fair
1	1.37%	Poor
0	0.00%	N/A
Total Number of Responses =		73

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

Frequency	Percent	Response Choice
0	#DIV/0!	Strongly agree
0	#DIV/0!	Agree
0	#DIV/0!	Disagree
0	#DIV/0!	Strongly disagree
Total Number of Responses =		0