### Definitions and Notes

**Available Tenure System Faculty (FTE):** Faculty with tenure or in a tenure track position. Excludes faculty on leave without pay and the percent of FTE paid from non-state/GOF funds.

**Teaching Tenure System Faculty:** Faculty from Available Tenure System who taught during the given semester.

**Non-tenure System Faculty:** Visiting, post-retirement, and temporary faculty teaching credit bearing sections; excludes the percent of FTE paid from non-state/GOF funds. Includes other instructors who teach such as campus administrators and staff, Five College faculty, and individuals who are not on the payroll. Sections with no instructors listed are also counted here except as described in Note 4 below.

**Teaching Associates:** Faculty with tenure or in a tenure track position. Excludes faculty on leave without pay and the percent of FTE paid from non-state/GOF funds.

**Graduate FTEIS:** Visiting, post-retirement, and temporary faculty teaching graduate credit bearing sections; excludes the percent of FTE paid from non-state/GOF funds.

**FTE Instructed Students:** FTE Instructed students generated in 300-level and 400-level courses and 500-level if undergraduate students are enrolled.

**FTE Instructed Students (FTE):** FTE Instructed students generated in 100-level and 200-level courses.

**Student/Faculty Ratio:** Ratio (Total FTEIS/Available Faculty) = Total FTEIS / Available Faculty.

**Ratio (Total FTEIS/Teaching Faculty):** Ratio (Total FTEIS/Available Faculty) = Total FTEIS / Available Faculty.

### Departmental Profiles

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**Note:**
- **Note 1:** The definitions used in these reports are consistent with the guidelines of the Delaware study (National Survey of Instructional Costs and Productivity, [http://www.udel.edu/IR/cost/definitions.html](http://www.udel.edu/IR/cost/definitions.html)).
- **Note 2:** Data reflect the organizational structure as of Fall 2016.
- **Note 3:** FTEs for Tenure System administrative faculty, Teaching Associates and non-faculty staff are assigned in proportion to the credit value of the section where 1 FTE = 9 credit hours.
- **Note 4:** FTEs for Teaching Associates and other instructors under Non-Tenure System Faculty are assigned based on the course rubric.
- **Note 5:** Independent study, practica, and thesis and dissertation sections with no assigned instructor are attributed to "Teaching Tenure System Faculty".
- **Note 6:** Instructor FTE and SCH are reported as an academic year average (the sum of fall and spring semesters divided by two).
- **Note 7:** Undergraduate and graduate instruction administered through Continuing and Professional Education is not included.