Equated Percent Correct (EPC) Score Summary Statistics

	Academic Year	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
Number of Examinees	19,421	4,652	4,403	4,788	4,529
Mean	74.9	73.4	75.2	75.8	75.1
SD	8.9	9.1	8.9	8.7	8.9

Interpreting Academic Norms

- Norms are provided to aid in the interpretation of examinee performance.
- They make it possible to compare examinees' scores with the performance of a norm group.
- Norm group characteristics:
  - Examinees from LCME-accredited medical schools who took a form of this examination as an end-of-course or end-of-clerkship examination for the first time during the academic year from 8/1/2021 through 7/31/2022.

Quarterly Norms

- The percentile ranks for each quarter are defined using the school reported start date of the first rotation for this subject.
- Using the start date of the first rotation, examinees are assigned to the appropriate quarter based on the assumption that their test date would be at least four weeks later.
- For example, if a school's start date for the first rotation is March, then the performance of examinees from that school that tested in April, May or June would be represented in the first quarter.
- Since quarterly norms are based only on schools that supplied the start date of the first rotation for this subject, the number of examinees reported across quarters may not add up to the total norm group for the academic year.

Using the Table

- Locate an examinee's score in the column labeled "EPC" and note the entry in the adjacent column for the academic year or quarterly testing period of interest. This number indicates the percentage of examinees that scored at or below the examinee's equated percent correct score.

Percentile Ranks

EPC	Acad. Year	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
100	100	100	100	100	100
99	100	100	100	100	100
98	100	100	100	100	100
97	100	100	100	100	100
96	100	100	100	100	100
95	100	100	100	100	100
94	100	100	100	100	99
93	99	100	99	99	99
92	99	99	99	99	99
91	99	99	99	98	98
90	98	99	98	97	97
89	97	98	97	96	96
88	95	97	95	94	95
87	93	96	93	92	93
86	91	94	91	90	90
85	89	92	88	87	88
84	86	90	85	84	85
83	83	88	82	80	82
82	79	84	78	77	79
81	76	81	75	73	75
80	72	77	71	69	71
79	68	73	66	64	67
78	63	69	62	60	62
77	59	65	57	55	58
76	55	61	53	51	54
75	50	57	49	46	50
74	46	52	45	42	46
73	42	48	41	37	42
72	37	43	36	33	37
71	34	40	33	30	33
70	30	35	29	26	29
69	27	31	26	23	26
68	24	29	22	20	23
67	20	25	19	17	20
66	17	21	16	14	16
65	14	18	13	12	14
64	12	16	11	9	11
63	11	15	11	9	10
62	9	12	9	7	9
61	8	10	7	6	7
60	6	8	6	4	5
59	5	7	5	4	4
58	5	6	4	3	4
57	4	5	3	2	3
56	3	4	3	2	3
55	2	3	2	2	2
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