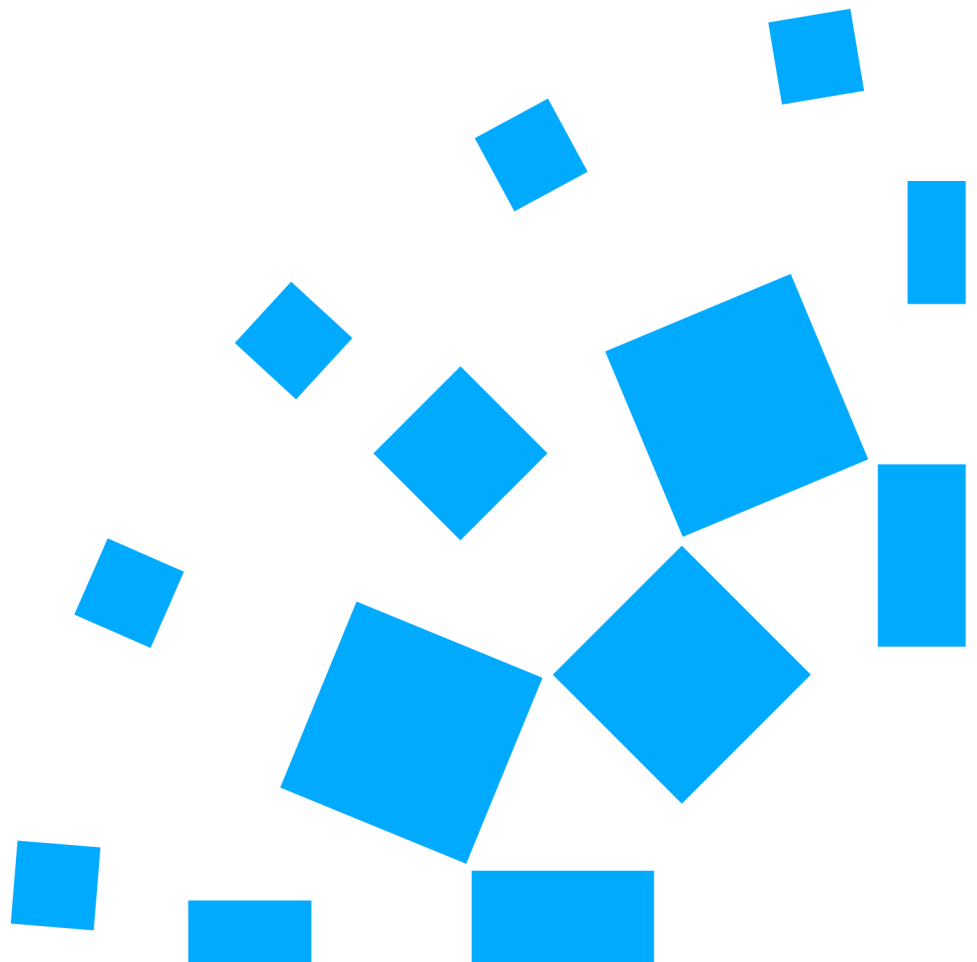


# National investigators' examination November 2022

## Results and analysis overview

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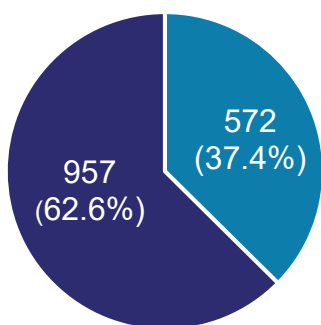
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## Results

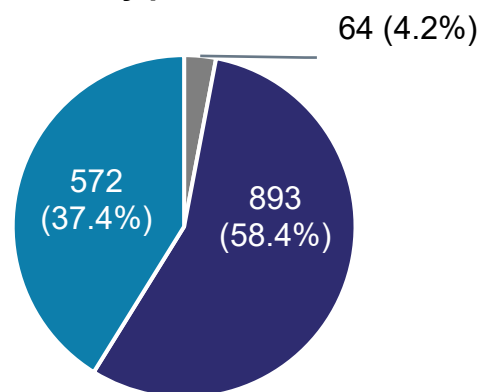
The results were fully analysed and an absolute cut score of 55.7% was applied to all candidates. Candidates who scored 85.7% or above were awarded an exceptional grade. This generated the following success rates.

**Overall success rate**



■ Unsuccessful ■ Successful

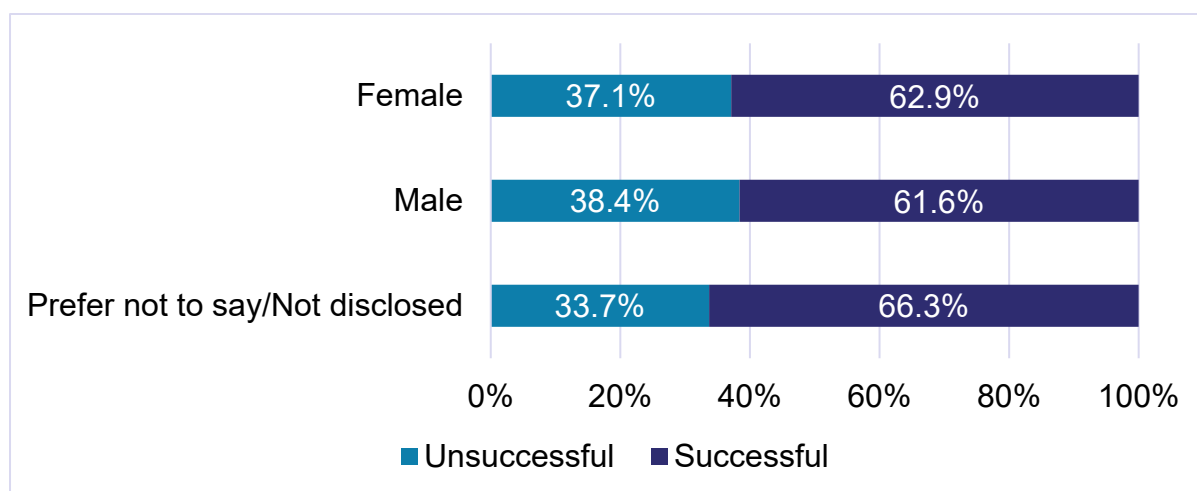
**Success rate by performance band**



■ Exceptional ■ Pass ■ Fail

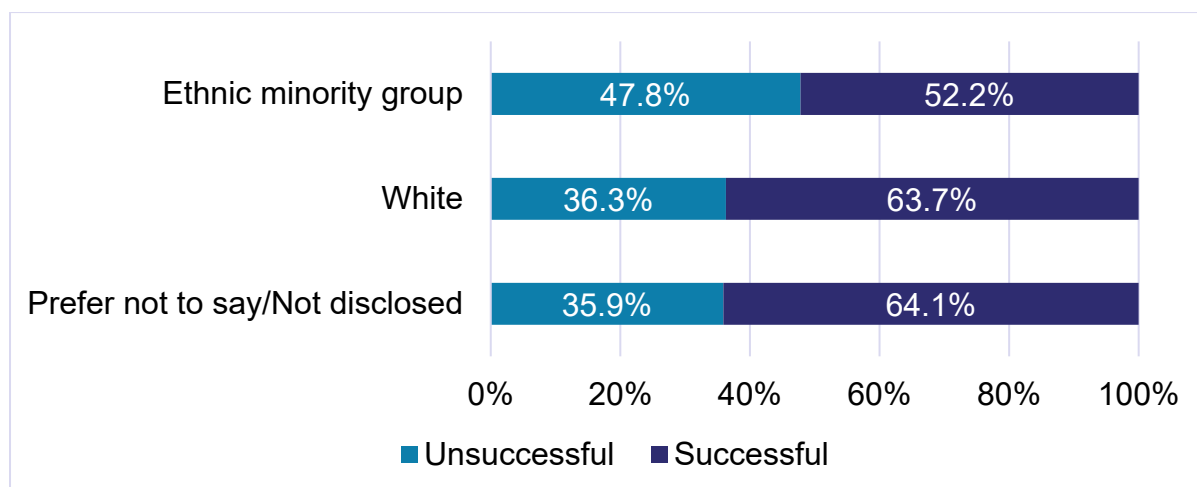
## Sex

There were 847 female candidates and 596 male candidates. 86 candidates did not state their sex. This generated the following success rates.



## Ethnicity

There were 1225 White candidates and 157 candidates from an ethnic minority group. 117 candidates did not disclose their ethnicity. This generated the following success rates.



## Force

The table below provides the pass rate for each force that nominated candidates.

	Number of candidates attended	Number of successful candidates	Success rate (%)
<b>Avon and Somerset</b>	45	30	66.7
<b>Bedfordshire</b>	28	20	71.4
<b>British Transport</b>	15	9	60.0
<b>Cambridgeshire</b>	24	18	75.0
<b>Cheshire</b>	■	■	72.7
<b>City of London</b>	■	■	40.0
<b>Cleveland</b>	30	14	46.7
<b>Cumbria</b>	■	■	50.0
<b>Derbyshire</b>	11	5	45.5
<b>Devon and Cornwall</b>	■	■	84.6
<b>Dorset</b>	■	■	91.7
<b>Durham</b>	■	■	61.5

	Number of candidates attended	Number of successful candidates	Success rate (%)
Dyfed-Powys	■	■	50.0
Essex	34	23	67.6
Gloucestershire	■	■	63.6
Greater Manchester	92	55	59.8
Guernsey	■	■	100.0
Gwent	■	■	66.7
Hampshire	72	39	54.2
Hertfordshire	24	15	62.5
Humberside	■	■	12.5
Kent	63	42	66.7
Lancashire	27	15	55.6
Leicestershire	38	24	63.2
Lincolnshire	■	■	87.5
Merseyside	20	13	65.0
Metropolitan	441	278	63.0
Ministry of Defence	■	■	100.0
Norfolk	22	15	68.2
North Wales	■	■	60.0
North Yorkshire	■	■	33.3
Northamptonshire	■	■	66.7
Northumbria	44	25	56.8
Nottinghamshire	■	■	69.2
South Wales	25	16	64.0
South Yorkshire	■	■	66.7
Staffordshire	24	15	62.5
Suffolk	■	■	85.7
Surrey	■	■	78.6

	Number of candidates attended	Number of successful candidates	Success rate (%)
<b>Sussex</b>	36	23	63.9
<b>Thames Valley</b>	66	45	68.2
<b>Warwickshire</b>	■	■	72.7
<b>West Mercia</b>	■	■	68.8
<b>West Midlands</b>	101	42	41.6
<b>West Yorkshire</b>	■	■	85.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,529</b>	<b>957</b>	<b>62.6</b>

Please note that where candidate numbers are low, these have been removed to ensure that no candidates can be personally identified from this data. Low figures in terms of pass or fail rates could, when paired with other information in the public domain, result in the identification of individuals. To avoid this, we will not release information where identification could result. We are unable to confirm the threshold used to redact data, as this in itself may allow calculations to be made from other information released in the public domain.

Comparison between force pass rates should be done with caution, due to the differences in the number of candidates taking the examination per force.

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