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8,010 GROSS ENROLLMENT
AT UM IS RECORD

MISSOULA---

Gross enrollment at the University of Montana reached a record 8,010 at the close of business Friday at the UM Registrar's Office.

The figure represents a gain of 10.3 per cent compared with gross enrollment for fall quarter a year ago. Figures supplied by the office of Leo Smith, UM registrar, show the gross enrollment on the Missoula campus reached 7,257 a year ago compared with this fall's 8,010, a gain this fall of 753 students.

A total of 508 more men registered for classes at UM this fall than last. That figure jumped from 4,786 a year ago to 5,294 this fall, a gain exceeding 10 per cent. The gross number of coeds jumped 245 this fall, from 2,471 a year ago to 2,716 as of Friday, an increase exceeding 9 per cent.

The overall gross enrollment of 8,010 on the Missoula campus exceeds by 360 the prediction of 7,650 made by Smith two months ago.

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