

Table 1 Prevalence of current smoking among Yarmouk University students, Jordan, by demographic and academic characteristics

Variable	Total No.	Smoking No.	Smoking %	P-value	
Sex					
Male	369	210	56.9	< 0.0001	
Female	343	39	11.4		
Age (years)					
17–19	258	60	23.3	< 0.0001	
20–24	429	179	41.7		
25–28	25	13	52.0		
Faculty					
Literature	131	36	27.5	< 0.0001	
Economic and administrative sciences	202	97	48.0		
Education	75	22	29.3		
Fine arts and sport	66	23	34.8		
Science	103	48	46.6		
Religion and law	72	10	13.9		
Engineering (hajjawi)	63	13	20.6		
Year					
1st	167	38	22.8		< 0.0001
2nd	185	64	34.6		
3rd	144	63	43.8		
4th	216	84	38.9		
Academic achievement				< 0.0001	
Acceptable	72	47	65.3		
Good	316	118	37.3		
Very good	260	72	27.7		
Excellent	64	12	18.8		
Family income (JD/month)			0.007		
< 250	231	62		26.8	
250–500	318	117		36.8	
> 500–750	43	17		39.5	
> 750	120	53		44.2	

JD = Jordanian dinar.