Subject Matter---50cc thru 450cc. Extracurricular activities per semester hour.

Activities varied.

Data on the Class of 1971 shows that, as expected, this year's Freshmen are the smartest yet. The CEESB test scores of this class increased an average of seven points over the Class of '70's showing. The average Math Achievement score this year was 75, and about 85% of the incoming Freshmen were in the top tenth of their class.

Geo-graphic variety.

There are 917 members of the class, including 53 women and 42 foreign students. In all, 43 states (South Dakota is the exception) and 21 foreign countries are represented. More than 40% have qualified for advanced placement and degree credit, and nine qualified for admission after only three years of high school.

Housing shortage strikes; 42 freshmen left roomless

A housing shortage is once again a problem at MIT, as there are still 42 freshmen who have not yet been given room assignments. The difficulty can be traced to several roots. First, not as many upperclassmen as expected moved from the dormitories into apartment complexes. Second, the number of freshmen who picked fraternities dropped 35 from last year. This cannot be attributed to an unsuccessful Rush Week-only 13 bids remain unaccepted—but to a smaller number of bids extended.

Kenneth R. Wadleigh, Dean of Student Affairs, expressed the hope that these procedures would be enough to provide room for everybody by Registration Day.