

# Graduation Rates by Major

## Fall 1996 Cohort



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### **Executive Summary**

Typically, Southeastern reports graduation rates for the entire university or for a subgroup of students such as athletes, or by ethnicity or gender. This report is unique in that it will show graduation rates based on the original major of the student when they first enrolled at Southeastern. Each major will show a graduation rate for its major, for the major's department, the major's college and for the university. This report for the first time includes information on student progression. Students were tracked by student classification for each semester.

The Fall 1996 cohort of 2,337 first-time, full-time, degree-seeking students were tracked each semester by major for six years. Of the 2,337 students who started in Fall 1996, 554 graduated for an overall graduation rate of 23.7%. But if you look at those students who graduated with the same major they started with when they entered the institution, only 211 students graduated for a 9.0% graduation rate. Three hundred forty three (14.7%) students had switched their major at least once before graduating. There were an additional 282 (12.1%) students who were still enrolled in Southeastern. Students who transferred to another Louisiana public higher education institution made up another 6.4% (149).

Majors in both the College of Education and Human Development and College of Business and Technology graduate within their original major at a much higher rate than the rest of the University, 22.44% and 13.71% respectively. A smaller percentage of students are graduating from their original majors in the College of Arts and Sciences and the College of Nursing and Health Sciences. The departments of Mathematics, Accounting, Teaching and Learning, and Human Development all have relatively high graduation rates for those students who began in majors within their respective departments, 36.4%, 30.2%, 22.6%, and 21.6% respectively.

Another measure in this report is the average-time-to-degree. For each major the number of semesters on average it took for students to obtain a degree is displayed. This measure includes all intervening semesters between the student's first semester here at Southeastern and their graduating semester, not including summer semesters. Overall, the average time it took for a student to obtain a degree was 12.3 semesters. The quickest time-to-degree for majors came from Communication Education 8.0 semesters, and Physics 9.1 semesters. Art Education, Science Education (Biology), Mild/Moderate Elementary, and English had the longest time-to-degree with 24.0, 22.5, 17.8, and 15.7 semesters respectively.

The progression figures show that at the university level only 19.2% of students actually progress to the sophomore level by the start of their second fall semester. Likewise, only 11.9% percent of students progress from sophomore to junior class by the start of their third fall semester. Only 11.5% of students progress from junior to senior class by the start of their fourth fall semester.

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## Introduction

This report takes a longitudinal look at a beginning cohort of students. This cohort was tracked for six years in order to analyze the retention and graduation patterns of Southeastern's students. The analysis took first-time, full-time, degree-seeking freshmen in the fall of 1996 and tracked them for six years through Fall 2002 using the following six categories: students persisting in the major; students who changed their major and are still enrolled; students who transferred to another Louisiana public higher educational institution; students who graduated within the original major; students who graduated outside of the original major; and students who dropped out.

For the first time, this report has included information on students' progression through their program. This information will show by semester the number of students who progressed in their program.

## Graduation Rates

The National Center for Educational Statistics Integrated Postsecondary Educational Data Systems' (IPEDS) definition of graduation rates is the basis of this report. IPEDS considers a student graduated if that student has graduated within one hundred and fifty percent of normal time. For baccalaureate degree-seeking students, one hundred and fifty percent of normal time will be six years. For associate degree-seeking students, one hundred and fifty percent of normal time will be three years. Associate degree-seeking students are included in the "Within the Major" category if they graduated with an associate degree within the three-year limit. If the associate degree-seeking student changed their major to a baccalaureate major and graduated, they will be included if they have graduated within the six year time limit.

## Cohort

The cohort is defined as first-time, full-time, degree-seeking students who entered Southeastern in the fall of 1996. First-time students are those students who have not attended any postsecondary institution prior to attending Southeastern. Full-time students are those who are enrolled in twelve or more credit hours. Students must have been classified in a degree-seeking major; students in Special Programs for Adults are excluded. Students who entered as Developmental or Provisional were tracked until they matriculated into the first non-developmental, degree-seeking majors. These majors were then used as their intended cohort majors.

After the cohort was defined, the students were tracked each fall semester to determine if they persisted in their original majors, changed their majors and were still persisting, dropped out of Southeastern or transferred to another public institution. The students were also tracked every semester to determine if they had graduated in their original majors or if they had graduated in different majors.

Two graduation rates are presented for each degree program. One is for those students who graduated in the original degree program.

The second is an overall graduation rate for those students that started in that particular major including those who changed majors. There are also four comparative graduation rates given per major -- the department rate, the college rate, and two university rates.

### **Progression**

An indicator of students' progression has been added to this year's report. The students were tracked to see if they had obtained a higher classification for each successive fall semester. Therefore, in Fall 1997 progression indicates the number of students who were enrolled as sophomores. Likewise, this progression indicator for Fall 1998 and Fall 1999 indicates the number of students who were enrolled as juniors and seniors, respectively. For Fall 2000, Fall 2001, and Fall 2002, this indicator shows the number of students who have obtained senior status.

### **Average Time to Degree**

Those students who graduated with a baccalaureate degree during Summer 2002, Fall 2002 and Spring 2003 semesters were tracked backwards to determine the Average Time-to-Degree. This figure per major indicates the amount of time, fall and spring semesters only, from the first semester the student started at Southeastern until and including the semester of graduation. Included in this figure are those semesters that would be considered stop-outs. This figure does not include transfer students.

### **Graphs**

The graphs depict each major separately and reflect the cohort's percent distribution between each of the above mentioned five categories. It is especially important to take into account the size of the cohort. Caution should be used when interpreting graphs for relatively small cohorts. A change in the status of one or two students in a major with a relatively small cohort may have a large effect on the percent change between categories.

Note: This report follows the academic departmental reorganization of Summer 2000. The 1996 majors in this report are placed in the appropriate academic department in the new organization, although this may not have been their department during their college career.

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Declared Majors	Number in Cohort	Number that are Still Enrolled	Number that Graduated in Original Major	Number that Graduated Out of Original Major	Number that Transferred Out	Number That Dropped Out	Six - Year Graduation Rate for Those Who Persisted in Original Major	Six - Year Graduation Rate for ALL Students
<b>COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES</b>								
<i>Department of Biological Science</i>								
Biological Sciences	298	36	18	41	22	181	6.0%	19.8%
Horticulture	5	1	2	0	0	2	40.0%	40.0%
Science Education Biology	1	0	0	0	0	1	0.0%	0.0%
<b>Department Total</b>	<b>304</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>184</b>	<b>6.6%</b>	<b>20.1%</b>
<i>Department of Chemistry and Physics</i>								
Chemistry	21	5	0	5	2	9	0.0%	23.8%
Physics	60	7	0	13	9	31	0.0%	21.7%
Science Education Chemistry	1	0	0	1	0	0	0.0%	100.0%
Science Education Physics	1	0	0	1	0	0	0.0%	100.0%
<b>Department Total</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>24.1%</b>
<i>Department of Communication</i>								
Communication	57	4	8	4	4	37	14.0%	21.1%
Communication Education	4	0	0	1	0	3	0.0%	25.0%
<b>Department Total</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>13.1%</b>	<b>21.3%</b>
<i>Department of English</i>								
English	16	1	1	4	0	10	6.3%	31.3%
English Education	15	2	0	1	1	11	0.0%	6.7%
Liberal Arts Studies	16	3	0	5	1	7	0.0%	31.3%
<b>Department Total</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>2.1%</b>	<b>23.4%</b>
<i>Department of Foreign Languages and Literatures</i>								
French Education	1	0	1	0	0	0	100.0%	100.0%
<b>Department Total</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>
<i>General Studies Degree Program</i>								
General Studies	5	0	0	1	0	4	0.0%	20.0%
<b>Department Total</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>20.0%</b>

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<i>Department of History and Political Sciences</i>								
Government	14	0	0	2	0	12	0.0%	14.3%
History	25	3	4	5	2	11	16.0%	36.0%
Social Studies Education	14	0	2	2	3	7	14.3%	28.6%
<b>Department Total</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>11.3%</b>	<b>28.3%</b>
<i>Department of Mathematics</i>								
Mathematics	4	0	3	0	0	1	75.0%	75.0%
Mathematics Education	7	2	1	0	0	4	14.3%	14.3%
<b>Department Total</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>36.4%</b>	<b>36.4%</b>
<i>Department of Music and Dramatic Arts</i>								
Music	14	2	1	1	1	9	7.1%	14.3%
Music Education	12	3	1	0	1	7	8.3%	8.3%
<b>Department Total</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>7.7%</b>	<b>11.5%</b>
<i>Department of Psychology</i>								
Psychology	93	12	7	21	6	47	7.5%	30.1%
<b>Department Total</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>7.5%</b>	<b>30.1%</b>
<i>Department of Sociology and Criminal Justice</i>								
Criminal Justice	92	11	17	11	3	50	18.5%	30.4%
Criminal Justice (Associate of Arts)	23	4	2	2	1	14	8.7%	17.4%
Sociology	2	1	0	0	0	1	0.0%	0.0%
<b>Department Total</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>16.2%</b>	<b>27.4%</b>

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<i>Department of Visual Art</i>								
Art	23	4	0	3	1	15	0.0%	13.0%
Art Education	3	0	0	0	3	0	0.0%	0.0%
<b>Department Total</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>11.5%</b>
<b>COLLEGE TOTAL</b>	<b>827</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>474</b>	<b>8.2%</b>	<b>23.2%</b>
<b>COLLEGE OF BASIC STUDIES</b>								
<i>Department of Junior Division</i>								
Undecided	354	37	0	96	30	191	N/A	27.1%
<b>Department Total</b>	<b>354</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>N/A</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>191</b>	<b>N/A</b>	<b>27.1%</b>
<b>COLLEGE TOTAL</b>	<b>354</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>N/A</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>191</b>	<b>N/A</b>	<b>27.1%</b>

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<b>COLLEGE OF BUSINESS AND TECHNOLOGY</b>								
<i>Department of Accounting</i>								
Accounting	96	14	29	11	2	40	30.2%	41.7%
<b>Department Total</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>30.2%</b>	<b>41.7%</b>
<i>Department of Computer Science</i>								
Computer Science	89	15	6	12	3	53	6.7%	20.2%
<b>Department Total</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>6.7%</b>	<b>20.2%</b>
<i>Department of General Business</i>								
Business Education	5	1	0	2	0	2	0.0%	40.0%
General Business	4	3	0	0	0	1	0.0%	0.0%
Office Administration	29	4	0	11	1	13	0.0%	37.9%
Office Administration (Associate of Arts)	2	0	0	0	0	2	0.0%	0.0%
<b>Department Total</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>32.5%</b>
<i>Department of Industrial Technology</i>								
Design-Drafter Technology (Associates of Applied Science)	12	1	0	1	1	9	0.0%	8.3%
Industrial Technology (Bachelor of Science)	58	5	7	7	2	37	12.1%	24.1%
<b>Department Total</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>10.0%</b>	<b>21.4%</b>
<i>Department of Management</i>								
Management	113	11	15	12	4	71	13.3%	23.9%
<b>Department Total</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>13.3%</b>	<b>23.9%</b>
<i>Department of Marketing and Finance</i>								
Finance	20	3	1	4	0	12	5.0%	25.0%
Marketing	46	9	7	2	6	22	15.2%	19.6%
<b>Department Total</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>12.1%</b>	<b>21.2%</b>
<b>COLLEGE TOTAL</b>	<b>474</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>262</b>	<b>13.7%</b>	<b>26.8%</b>

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<b>COLLEGE OF EDUCATION AND HUMAN DEVELOPMENT</b>								
<i>Department of Human Development</i>								
Consumer Family Services	3	0	2	0	0	1	66.7%	66.7%
Fashion Merchandising	6	1	0	1	1	3	0.0%	16.7%
Social Work	28	5	6	3	0	14	21.4%	32.1%
<b>Department Total</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>21.6%</b>	<b>32.4%</b>
<i>Department of Teaching and Learning</i>								
Elementary Education	162	21	37	18	6	80	22.8%	34.0%
Mild/Moderate Elementary	6	1	1	0	0	4	16.7%	16.7%
<b>Department Total</b>	<b>168</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>22.6%</b>	<b>33.3%</b>
<b>COLLEGE TOTAL</b>	<b>205</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>22.4%</b>	<b>33.2%</b>

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<b>COLLEGE OF NURSING AND HEALTH SCIENCES</b>								
<i>Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders</i>								
Speech, Language, and Hearing	13	1	1	3	1	7	7.7%	30.8%
<b>Department Total</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>7.7%</b>	<b>30.8%</b>
<i>Department of Kinesiology and Health Studies</i>								
Kinesiology	74	10	11	8	2	43	14.9%	25.7%
<b>Department Total</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>14.9%</b>	<b>25.7%</b>
<i>School of Nursing</i>								
Nursing	204	39	20	25	18	102	9.8%	22.1%
Respiratory Care (Associate of Science)	7	0	0	3	0	4	0.0%	42.9%
<b>Department Total</b>	<b>211</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>9.5%</b>	<b>22.7%</b>
<b>COLLEGE TOTAL</b>	<b>298</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>156</b>	<b>10.7%</b>	<b>23.8%</b>
Provisional Admit	39	0	0	0	2	37	0.0%	0.0%
Developmental Education	140	2	0	0	10	128	0.0%	0.0%
<b><u>UNIVERSITY TOTAL</u></b>	<b>2337</b>	<b>284</b>	<b>211</b>	<b>343</b>	<b>149</b>	<b>1350</b>	<b>9.0%</b>	<b>23.7%</b>

**Southeastern Louisiana University  
Progression Rates by Major**

	Percent of Returning Students Who Enrolled as:			Percent of Returning Students Who Were Enrolled As Seniors In:		
	Sophomore Fall 1997	Juniors Fall 1998	Seniors Fall 1999	Fall 2000	Fall 2001	Fall 2002
<b>Departments</b>						
Biological Science	21.7%	15.1%	11.8%	21.7%	12.2%	6.9%
Chemistry and Physics	21.7%	12.0%	7.2%	15.7%	18.1%	7.2%
Communication	11.5%	4.9%	3.3%	13.1%	11.5%	4.9%
English	21.3%	6.4%	6.4%	21.3%	12.8%	10.6%
Foreign Languages and Literatures	100.0%	0.0%	100.0%	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%
General Studies Degree Program	20.0%	20.0%	20.0%	40.0%	20.0%	0.0%
History and Political Sciences	24.5%	18.9%	17.0%	18.9%	13.2%	3.8%
Mathematics	27.3%	27.3%	27.3%	36.4%	9.1%	9.1%
Music and Dramatic Arts	23.1%	23.1%	15.4%	26.9%	23.1%	15.4%
Psychology	16.1%	8.6%	11.8%	24.7%	15.1%	7.5%
Sociology and Criminal Justice	14.5%	11.1%	10.3%	18.8%	12.0%	4.3%
Visual Art	11.5%	3.8%	7.7%	11.5%	3.8%	3.8%
Junior Division	17.8%	9.9%	9.0%	22.3%	13.8%	7.3%
Accounting	37.5%	31.3%	55.2%	33.3%	18.8%	12.5%
Computer Science	12.4%	7.9%	5.6%	22.5%	16.9%	12.4%
General Business	20.0%	15.0%	15.0%	20.0%	17.5%	12.5%
Industrial Technology	12.9%	4.3%	7.1%	20.0%	12.9%	4.3%
Management	13.3%	7.1%	5.3%	15.0%	15.9%	7.1%
Marketing and Finance	10.6%	6.1%	6.1%	9.1%	10.6%	7.6%
Human Development	24.3%	0.0%	10.8%	27.0%	21.6%	10.8%
Teaching and Learning	33.3%	20.8%	19.0%	32.7%	19.6%	8.9%
Communication Sciences and Disorders	38.5%	23.1%	15.4%	15.4%	15.4%	7.7%
Kinesiology and Health Studies	18.9%	13.5%	9.5%	20.3%	18.9%	6.8%
Nursing	26.1%	15.2%	10.4%	27.0%	19.9%	12.8%
<b>Colleges</b>						
Arts and Science	19.3%	12.6%	10.9%	20.4%	13.2%	6.7%
Basic Studies	17.8%	9.9%	9.0%	22.3%	13.8%	7.3%
Business and Technology	18.1%	12.2%	16.7%	20.5%	15.6%	9.3%
Education and Human Development	31.7%	17.1%	17.6%	31.7%	20.0%	9.3%
Nursing and Health Sciences	24.8%	15.1%	10.4%	24.8%	19.5%	11.1%
<b><u>University Total</u></b>	19.2%	11.9%	11.5%	20.7%	14.2%	7.6%

College of Arts and Sciences  
 Department of Biological Sciences  
**Bachelor of Science, Biological Sciences**  
**Fall 1996 Cohort = 298**

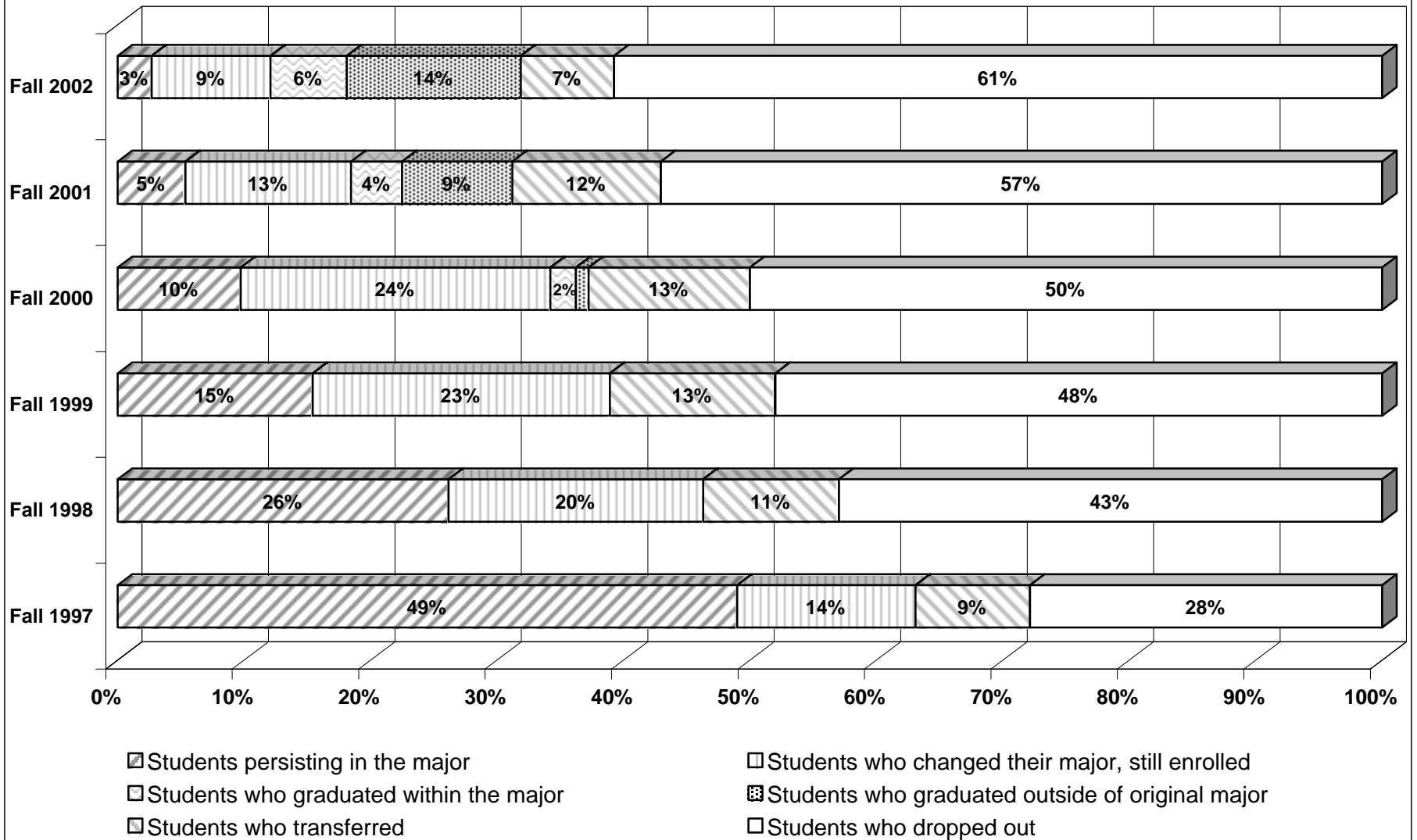
	Fall 1997	Fall 1998	Fall 1999	Fall 2000	Fall 2001	Fall 2002
<b>Students persisting in the major</b>	146	78	46	29	16	8
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	50	30	18	17	12	5
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	96	48	28	12	4	3
<b>Students who changed their major, still enrolled</b>	42	60	70	73	39	28
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	14	14	16	48	25	16
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	28	46	54	25	14	12
Students who graduated within the major	0	0	0	6	12	18
Students who graduated outside of original major	0	0	0	3	26	41
Students enrolled at another LA Institution	27	32	39	38	35	22
Students who dropped out	83	128	143	149	170	181
Total	298	298	298	298	298	298

Average Time-to-Degree for this major in semesters (2002-2003 graduates)      11.6  
 Six-year graduation rate for students who persisted in the major      6.0%  
 Six-year graduation rate for ALL students who started in the major      19.8%

**Comparative Graduation Rates**

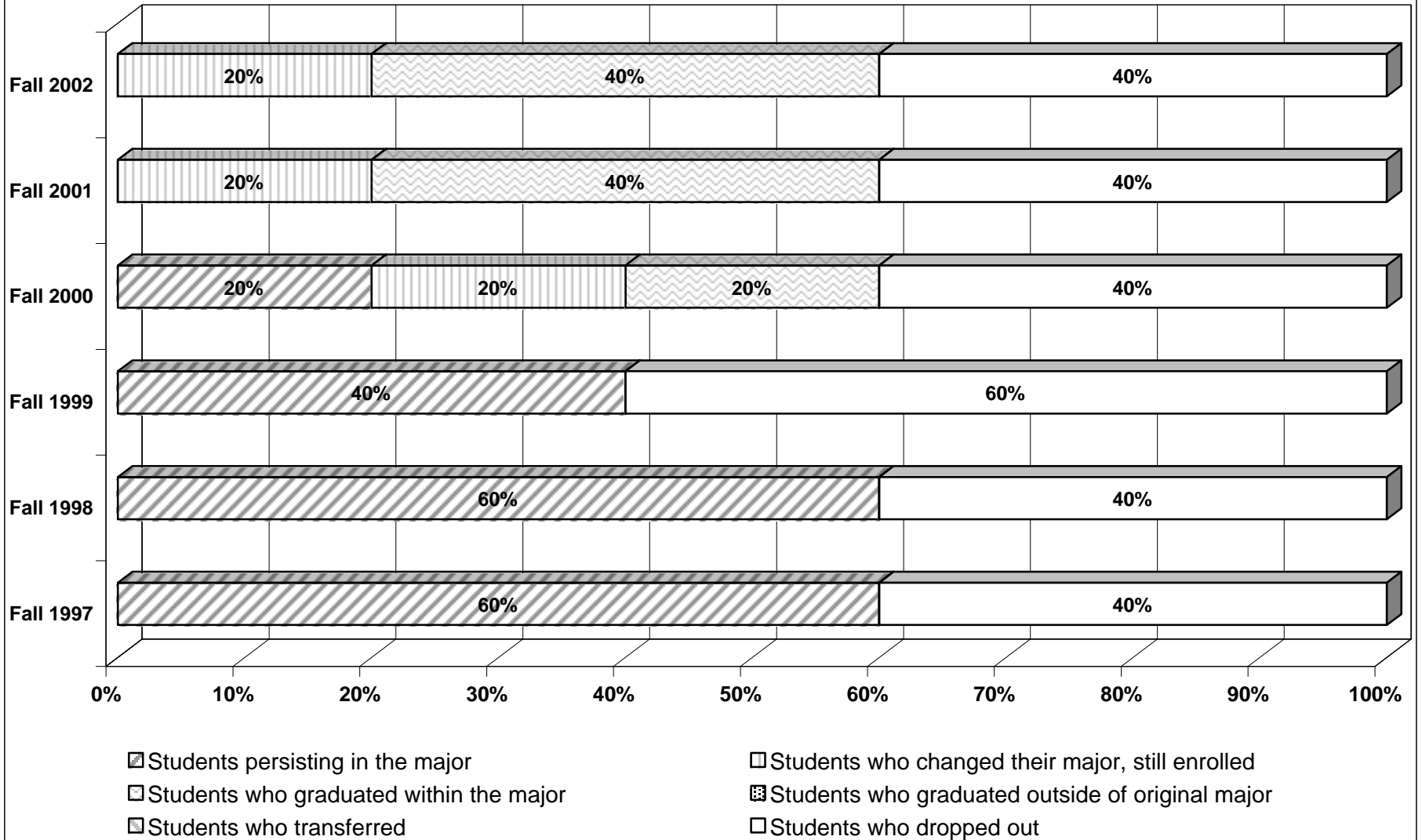
Department graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors      6.6%  
 College graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors      8.2%  
 University graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors      9.0%  
 Overall University graduation rate      23.7%

Department of Biological Sciences  
**Bachelor of Science, Biological Sciences**  
*Fall 1996 Cohort = 298*



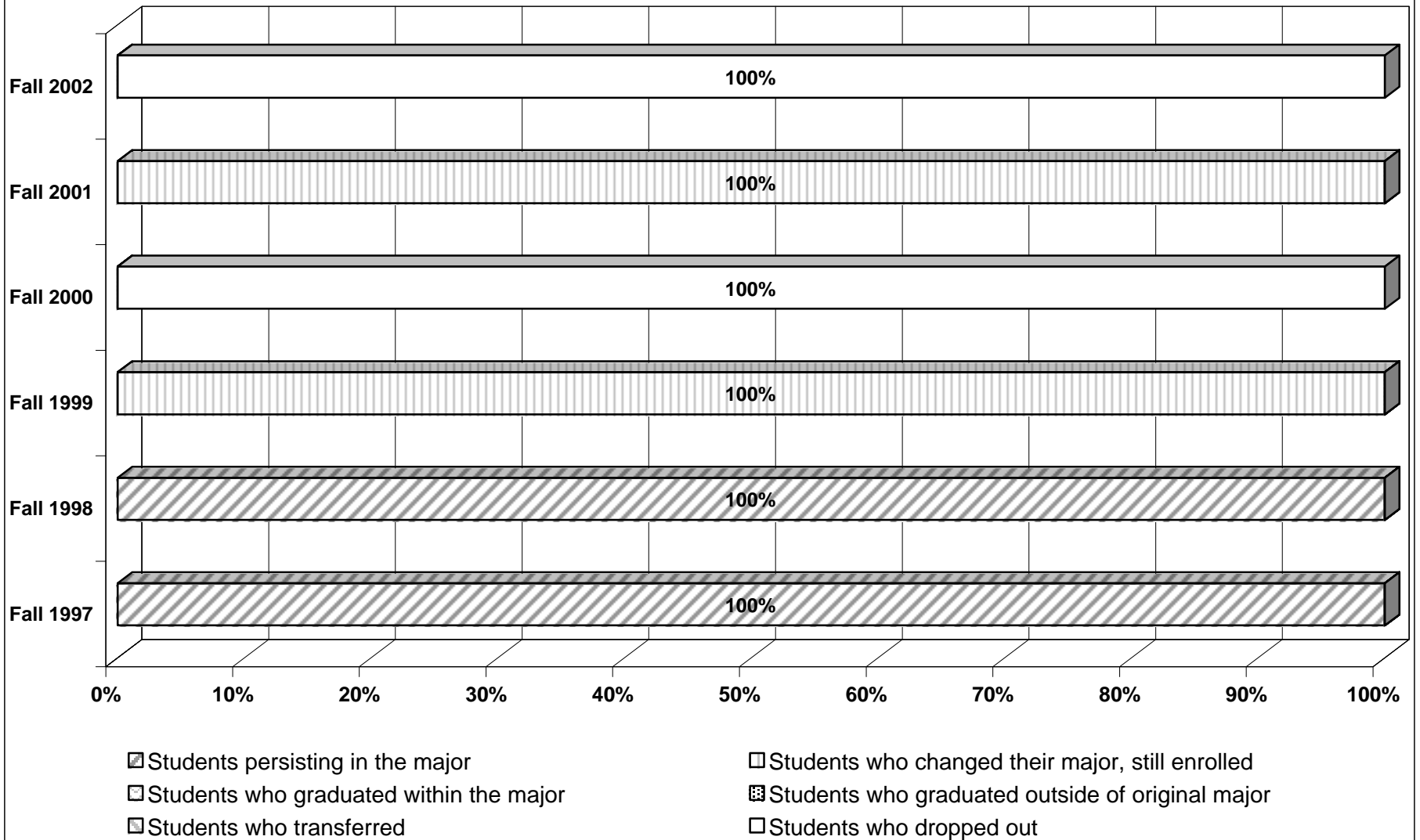


Department of Biological Sciences  
**Bachelor of Science, Horticulture**  
*Fall 1996 Cohort = 5*





Department of Biological Sciences  
**Bachelor of Science, Science Education Biology**  
*Fall 1996 Cohort = 1*



College of Arts and Sciences  
 Department of Chemistry and Physics  
**Bachelor of Science, Chemistry**  
**Fall 1996 Cohort = 21**

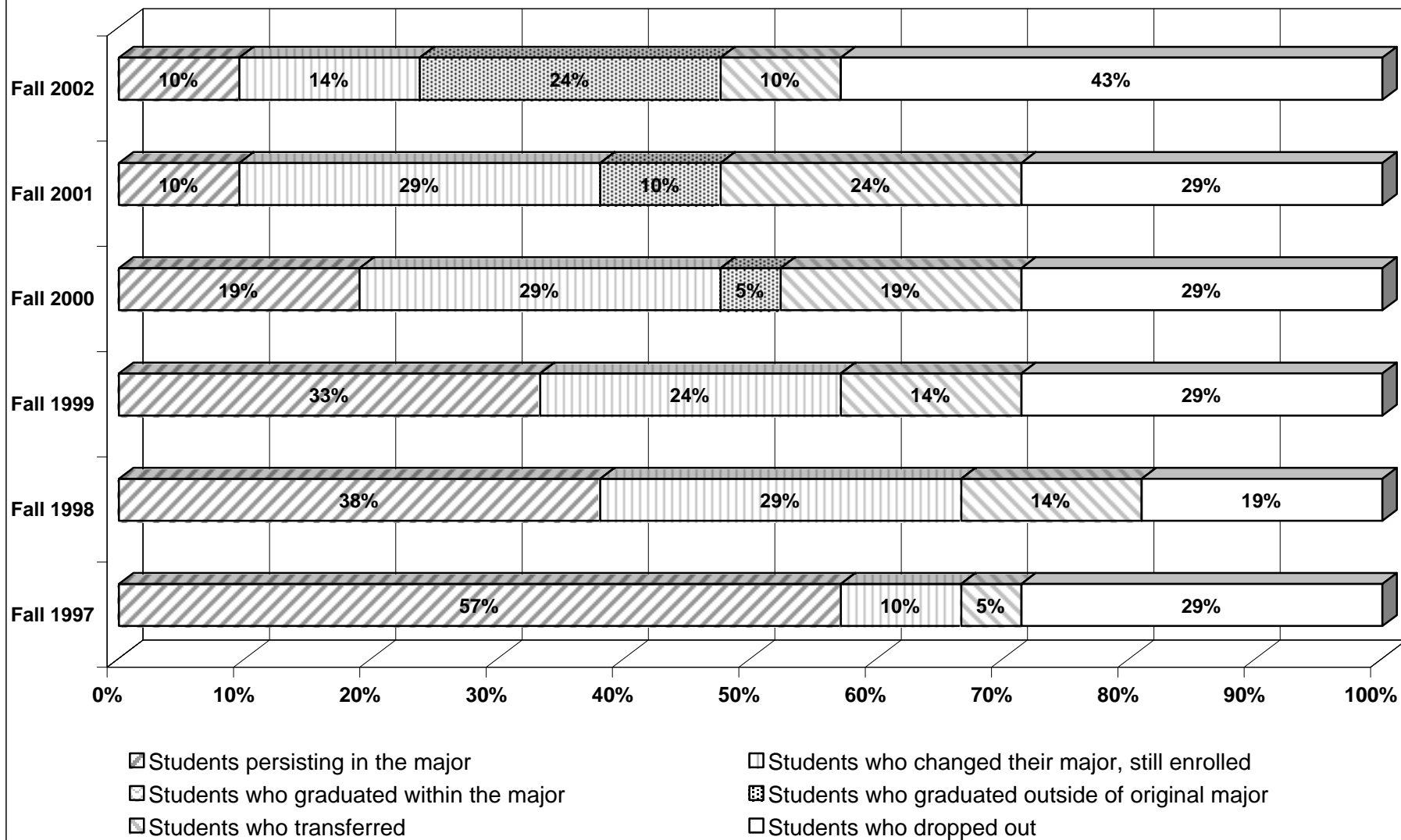
	Fall 1997	Fall 1998	Fall 1999	Fall 2000	Fall 2001	Fall 2002
<b>Students persisting in the major</b>	12	8	7	4	2	2
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	4	3	2	2	2	2
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	8	5	5	2	0	0
<b>Students who changed their major, still enrolled</b>	2	6	5	6	6	3
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	1	1	0	2	4	2
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	1	5	5	4	2	1
Students who graduated within the major	0	0	0	0	0	0
Students who graduated outside of original major	0	0	0	1	2	5
Students enrolled at another LA Institution	1	3	3	4	5	2
Students who dropped out	6	4	6	6	6	9
<b>Total</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>21</b>

Average Time-to-Degree for this major in semesters (2002-2003 graduates)	11.0
Six-year graduation rate for students who persisted in the major	0.0%
Six-year graduation rate for ALL students who started in the major	23.8%

**Comparative Graduation Rates**

Department graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors	0.0%
College graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors	8.2%
University graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors	9.0%
Overall University graduation rate	23.7%

Department of Chemistry and Physics  
**Bachelor of Science, Chemistry**  
*Fall 1996 Cohort = 21*



College of Arts and Sciences  
 Department of Chemistry and Physics  
**Bachelor of Science, Science Education Chemistry**  
**Fall 1996 Cohort = 1**

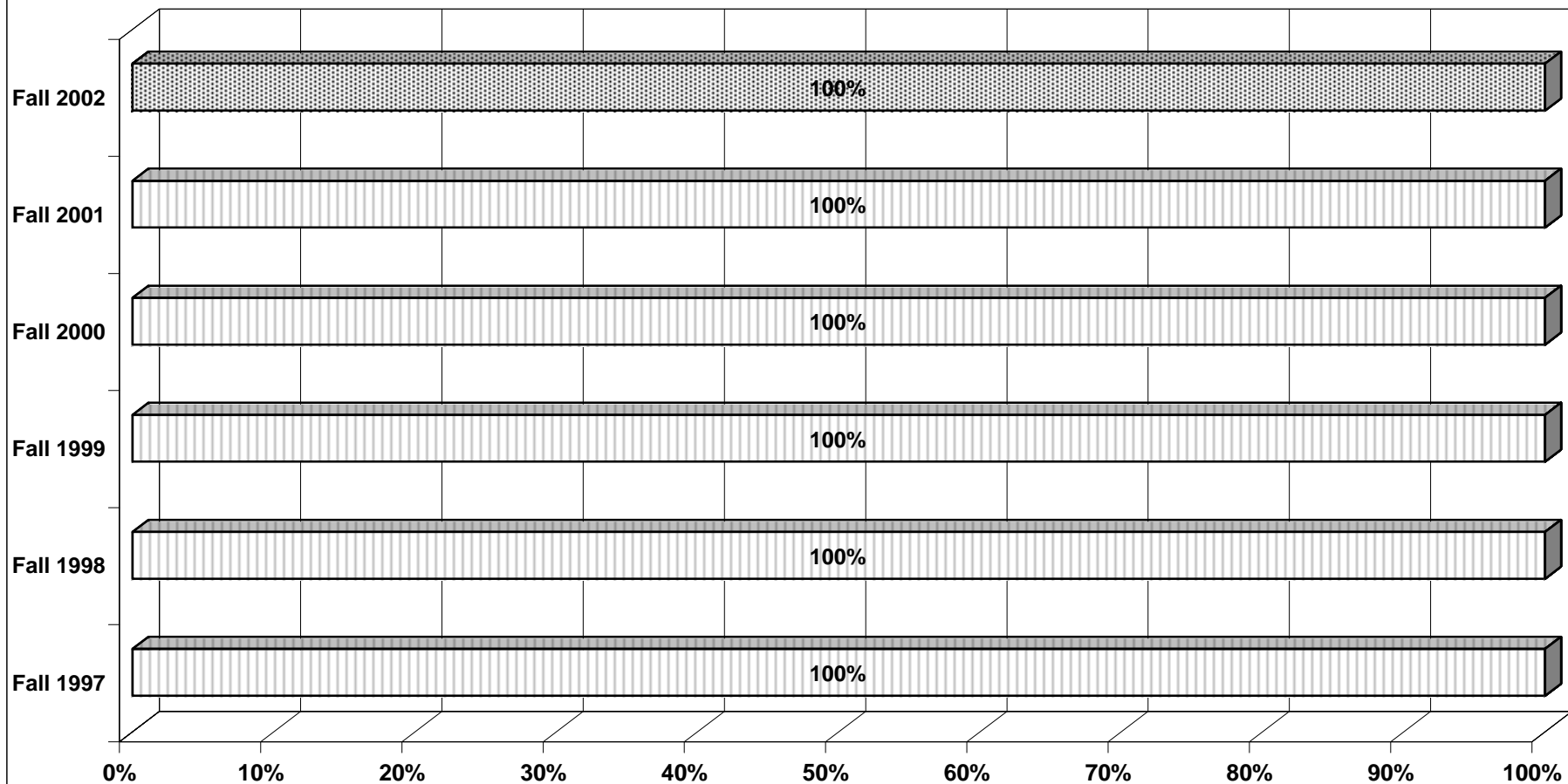
	Fall 1997	Fall 1998	Fall 1999	Fall 2000	Fall 2001	Fall 2002
<b>Students persisting in the major</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Students who changed their major, still enrolled</b>	1	1	1	1	1	0
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	1	0	0	0	1	0
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	0	1	1	1	0	0
Students who graduated within the major	0	0	0	0	0	0
Students who graduated outside of original major	0	0	0	0	0	1
Students enrolled at another LA Institution	0	0	0	0	0	0
Students who dropped out	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	1	1	1	1	1	1

Average Time-to-Degree for this major in semesters (2002-2003 graduates)	NA
Six-year graduation rate for students who persisted in the major	0.0%
Six-year graduation rate for ALL students who started in the major	100.0%

**Comparative Graduation Rates**

Department graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors	0.0%
College graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors	8.2%
University graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors	9.0%
Overall University graduation rate	23.7%

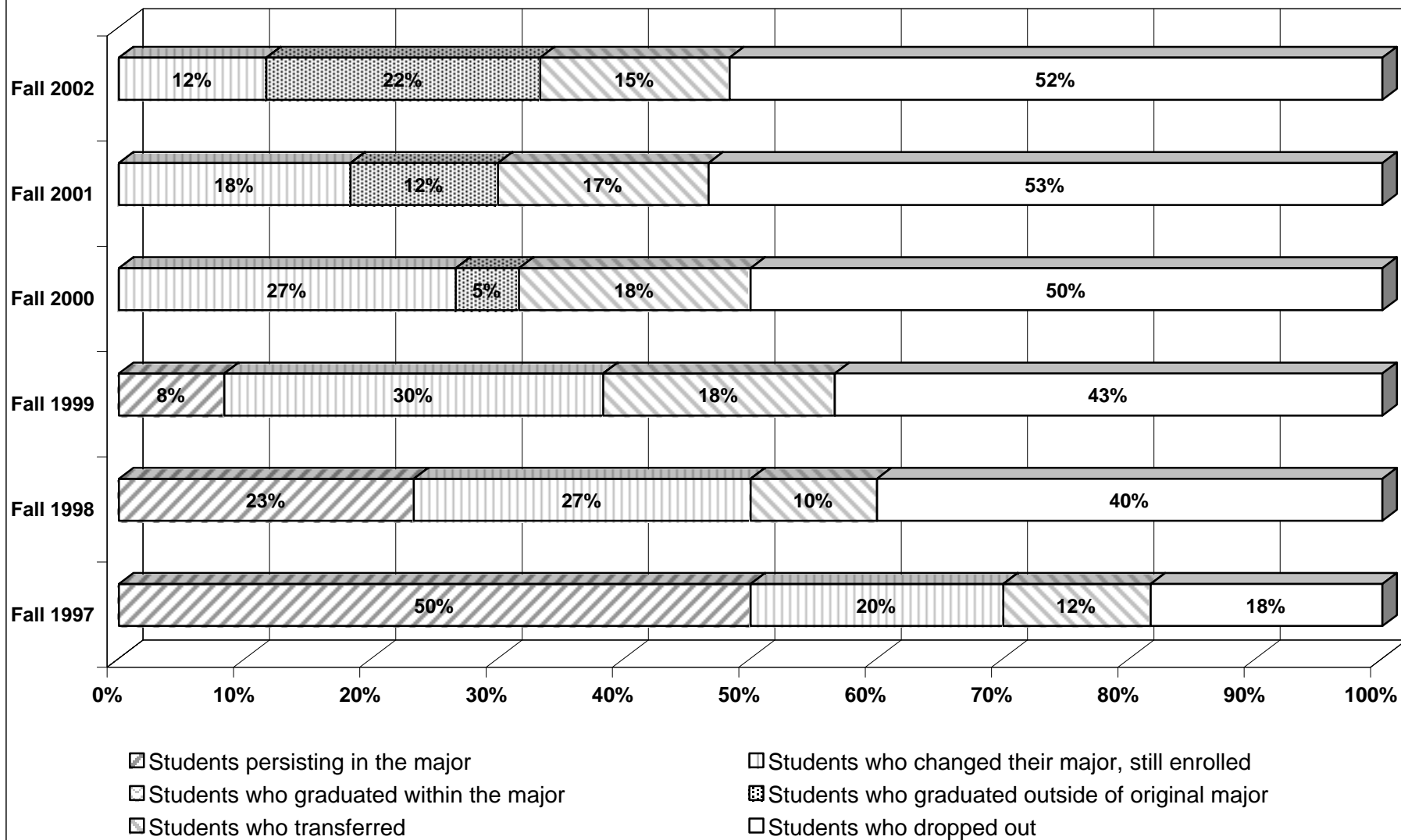
Department of Chemistry and Physics  
**Bachelor of Science, Science Education Chemistry**  
*Fall 1996 Cohort = 1*



- ▣ Students persisting in the major
- ▣ Students who graduated within the major
- ▣ Students who transferred
- ▣ Students who changed their major, still enrolled
- ▣ Students who graduated outside of original major
- ▣ Students who dropped out

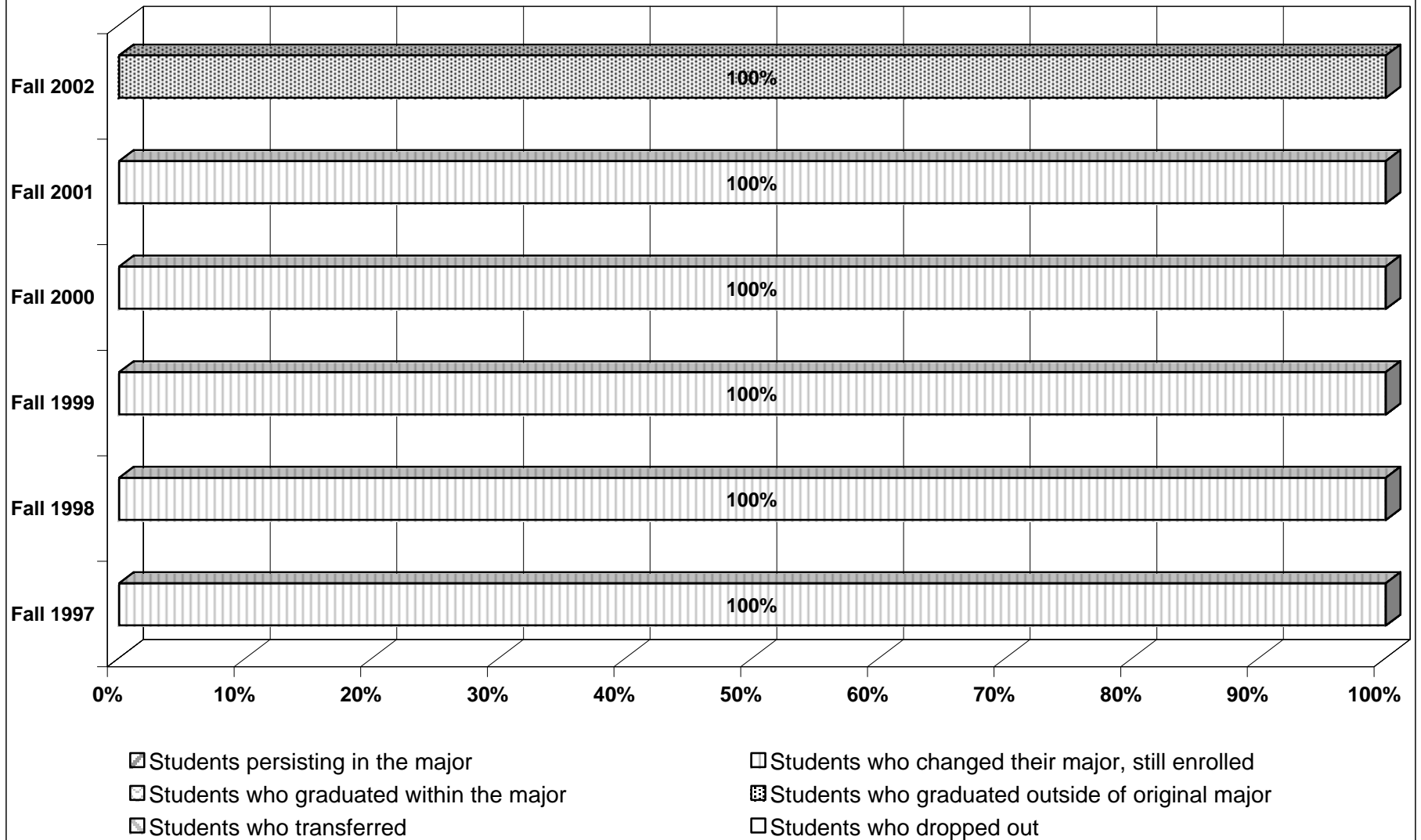


Department of Chemistry and Physics  
**Bachelor of Science, Physics**  
*Fall 1996 Cohort = 60*





Department of Chemistry and Physics  
**Bachelor of Science, Science Education Physics**  
*Fall 1996 Cohort = 1*



College of Arts and Sciences  
 Department of Communication  
**Bachelor of Arts, Communication**  
**Fall 1996 Cohort = 57**

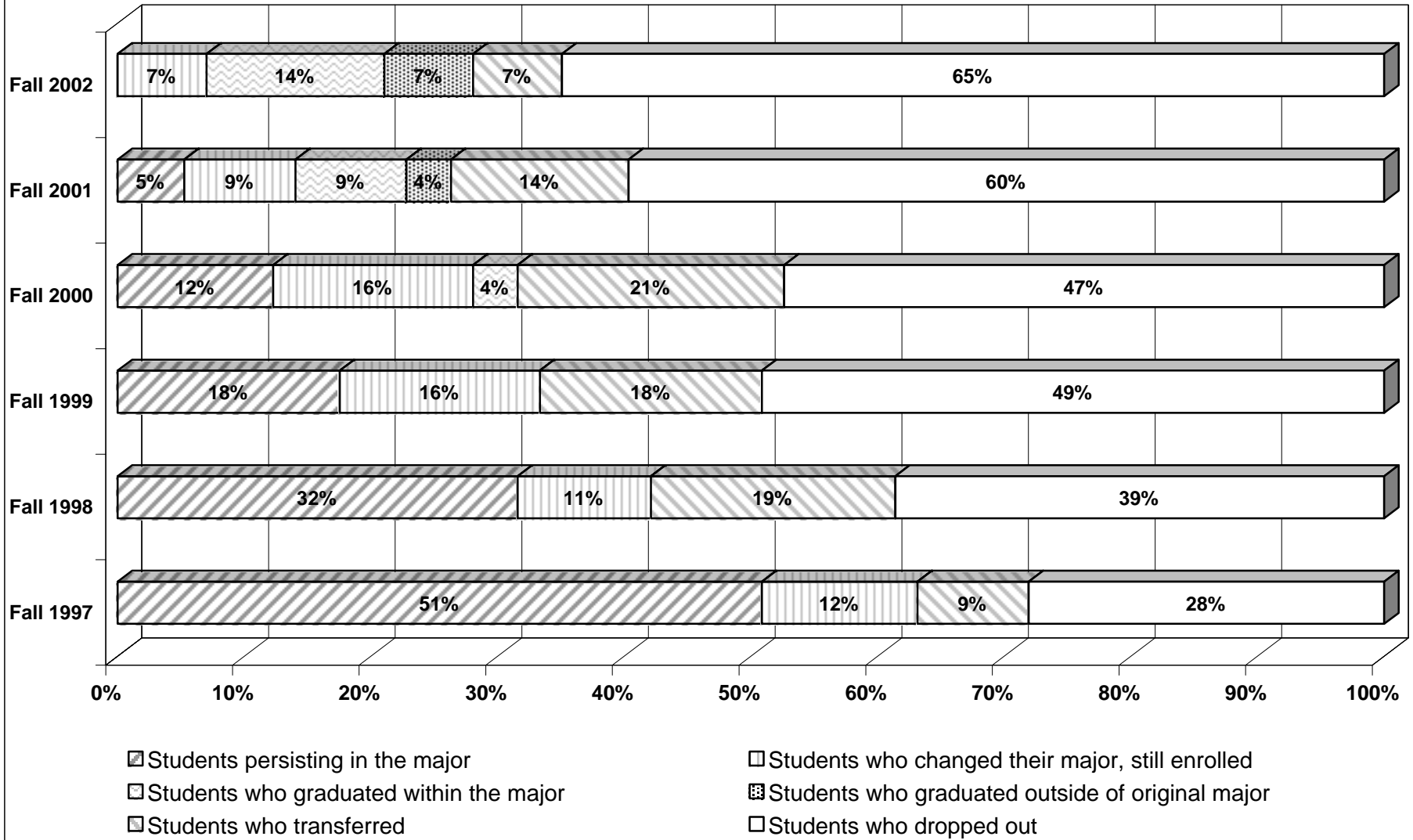
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<b>Students persisting in the major</b>	29	18	10	7	3	0
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	5	2	2	5	3	0
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	24	16	8	2	0	0
<b>Students who changed their major, still enrolled</b>	7	6	9	9	5	4
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	2	1	0	2	3	3
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	5	5	9	7	2	1
Students who graduated within the major	0	0	0	2	5	8
Students who graduated outside of original major	0	0	0	0	2	4
Students enrolled at another LA Institution	5	11	10	12	8	4
Students who dropped out	16	22	28	27	34	37
Total	57	57	57	57	57	57

Average Time-to-Degree for this major in semesters (2002-2003 graduates) 11.6  
 Six-year graduation rate for students who persisted in the major 14.0%  
 Six-year graduation rate for ALL students who started in the major 21.1%

**Comparative Graduation Rates**

Department graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors 13.1%  
 College graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors 8.2%  
 University graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors 9.0%  
 Overall University graduation rate 23.7%

Department of Communication  
**Bachelor of Arts, Communication**  
*Fall 1996 Cohort = 57*



College of Arts and Sciences  
 Department of Communication  
**Bachelor of Arts, Communication Education**  
**Fall 1996 Cohort = 4**

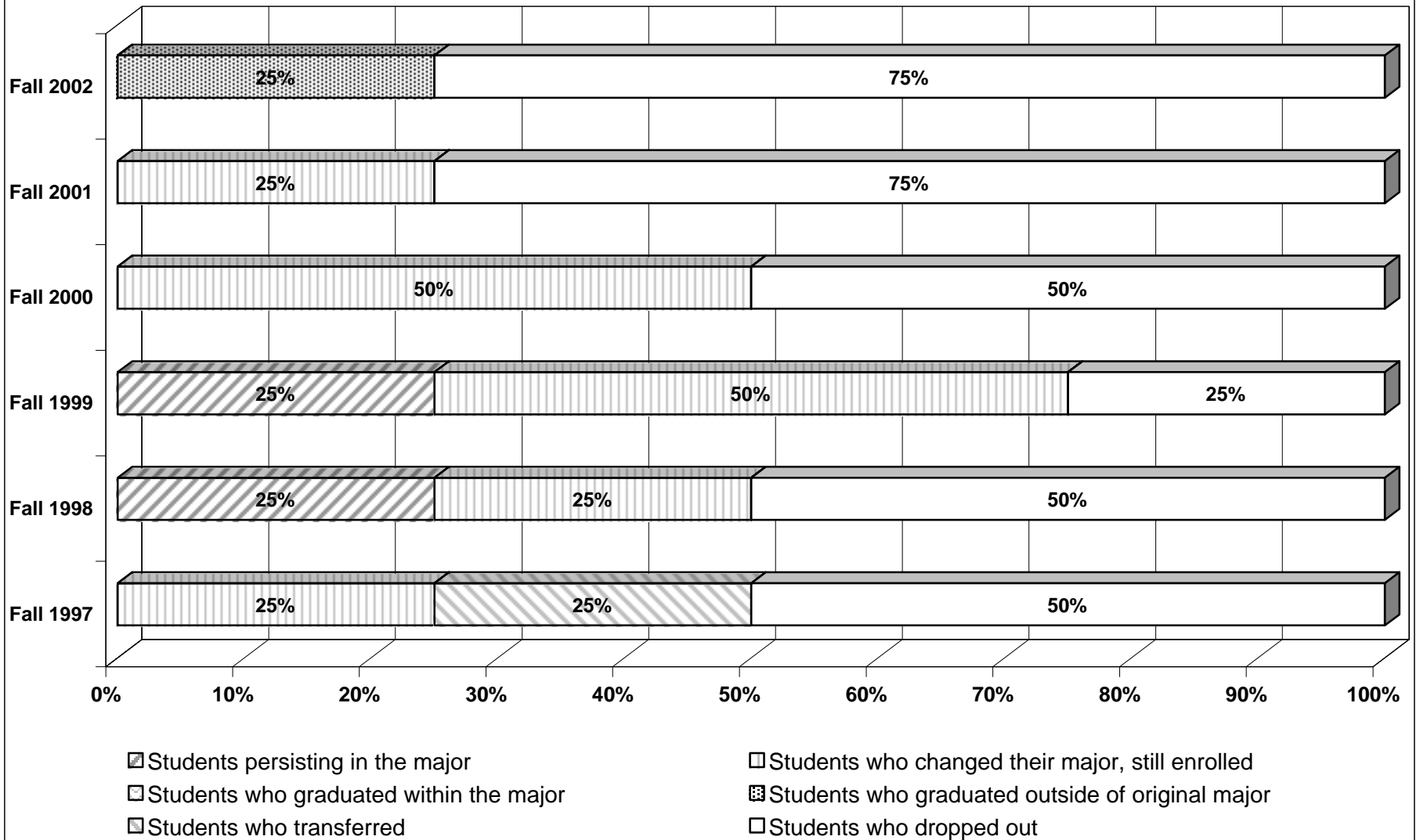
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<b>Students persisting in the major</b>	0	1	1	0	0	0
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	0	1	1	0	0	0
<b>Students who changed their major, still enrolled</b>	1	1	2	2	1	0
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	0	0	0	1	1	0
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	1	1	2	1	0	0
Students who graduated within the major	0	0	0	0	0	0
Students who graduated outside of original major	0	0	0	0	0	1
Students enrolled at another LA Institution	1	0	0	0	0	0
Students who dropped out	2	2	1	2	3	3
Total	4	4	4	4	4	4

Average Time-to-Degree for this major in semesters (2002-2003 graduates)	8.0
Six-year graduation rate for students who persisted in the major	0.0%
Six-year graduation rate for ALL students who started in the major	25.0%

**Comparative Graduation Rates**

Department graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors	13.1%
College graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors	8.2%
University graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors	9.0%
Overall University graduation rate	23.7%

Department of Communication  
**Bachelor of Arts, Communication Education**  
*Fall 1996 Cohort = 4*



College of Arts and Sciences  
 Department of English  
**Bachelor of Arts, English**  
**Fall 1996 Cohort = 16**

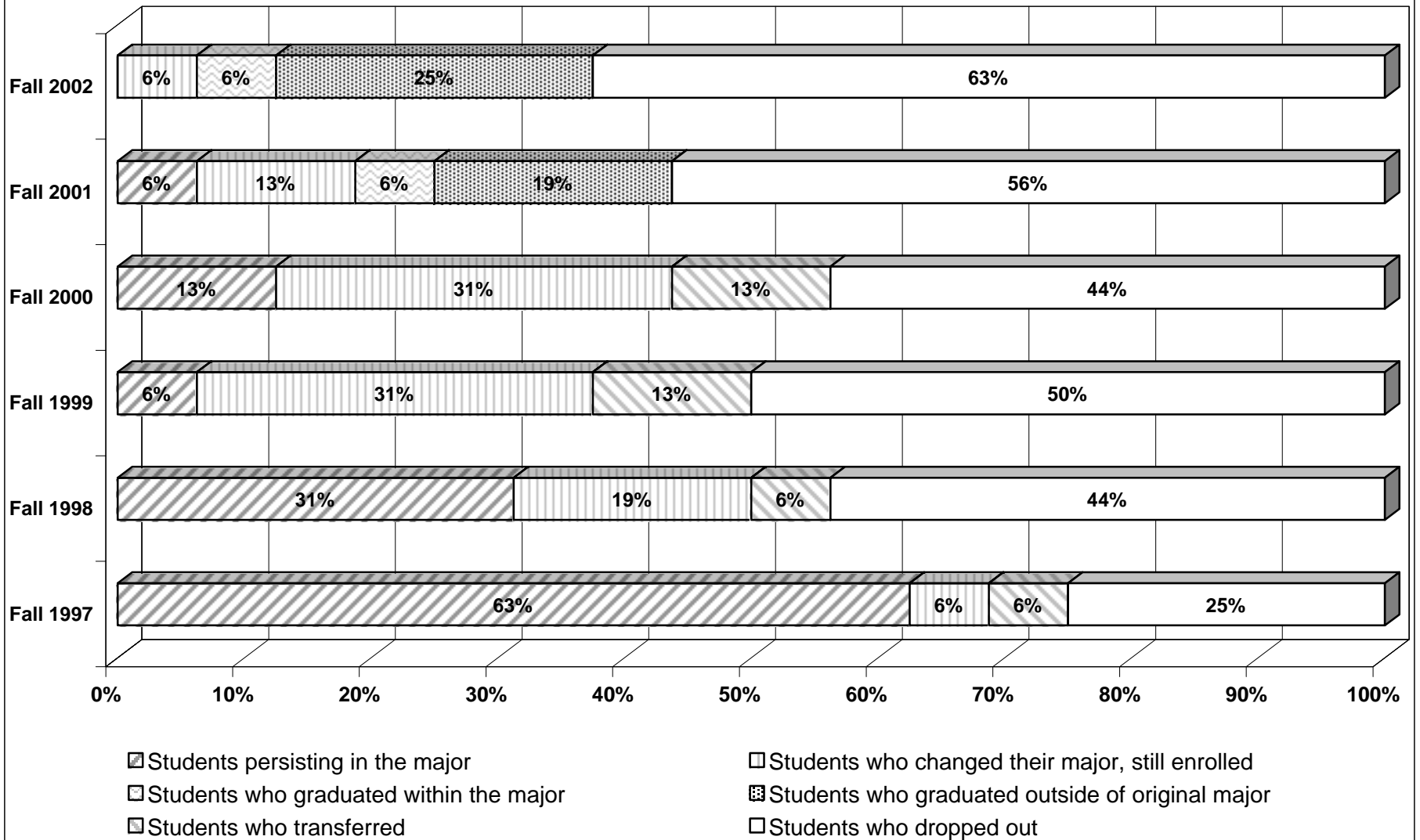
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<b>Students persisting in the major</b>	10	5	1	2	1	0
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	3	1	1	1	0	0
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	7	4	0	1	1	0
<b>Students who changed their major, still enrolled</b>	1	3	5	5	2	1
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	0	0	0	4	2	1
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	1	3	5	1	0	0
Students who graduated within the major	0	0	0	0	1	1
Students who graduated outside of original major	0	0	0	0	3	4
Students enrolled at another LA Institution	1	1	2	2	0	0
Students who dropped out	4	7	8	7	9	10
<b>Total</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>16</b>

Average Time-to-Degree for this major in semesters (2002-2003 graduates)      15.7  
 Six-year graduation rate for students who persisted in the major      6.3%  
 Six-year graduation rate for ALL students who started in the major      31.3%

**Comparative Graduation Rates**

Department graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors      2.1%  
 College graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors      8.2%  
 University graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors      9.0%  
 Overall University graduation rate      23.7%

Department of English  
**Bachelor of Arts, English**  
*Fall 1996 Cohort = 16*



College of Arts and Sciences  
 Department of English  
**Bachelor of Arts, English Education**  
**Fall 1996 Cohort = 15**

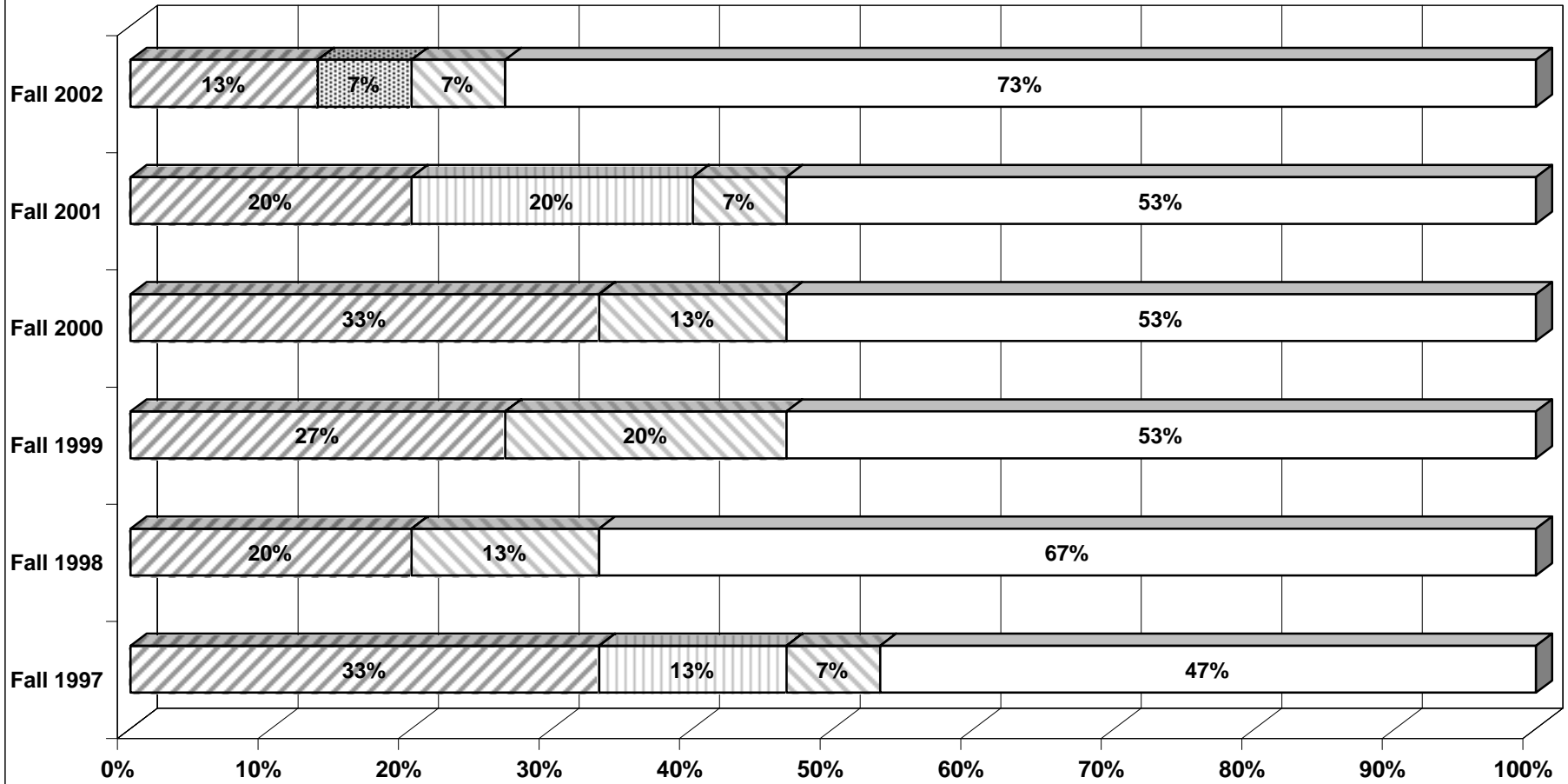
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<b>Students persisting in the major</b>	5	3	4	5	3	2
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	1	0	0	2	2	2
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	4	3	4	3	1	0
<b>Students who changed their major, still enrolled</b>	2	0	0	0	3	0
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	1	0	0	0	1	0
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	1	0	0	0	2	0
Students who graduated within the major	0	0	0	0	0	0
Students who graduated outside of original major	0	0	0	0	0	1
Students enrolled at another LA Institution	1	2	3	2	1	1
Students who dropped out	7	10	8	8	8	11
<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>15</b>

Average Time-to-Degree for this major in semesters (2002-2003 graduates) 12.7  
 Six-year graduation rate for students who persisted in the major 0.0%  
 Six-year graduation rate for ALL students who started in the major 6.7%

**Comparative Graduation Rates**

Department graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors 2.1%  
 College graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors 8.2%  
 University graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors 9.0%  
 Overall University graduation rate 23.7%

Department of English  
**Bachelor of Arts, English Education**  
*Fall 1996 Cohort = 15*



- Students persisting in the major
- Students who graduated within the major
- Students who transferred
- Students who changed their major, still enrolled
- Students who graduated outside of original major
- Students who dropped out

College of Arts and Sciences  
 Department of English  
**Bachelor of Arts, Liberal Arts Studies**  
**Fall 1996 Cohort = 16**

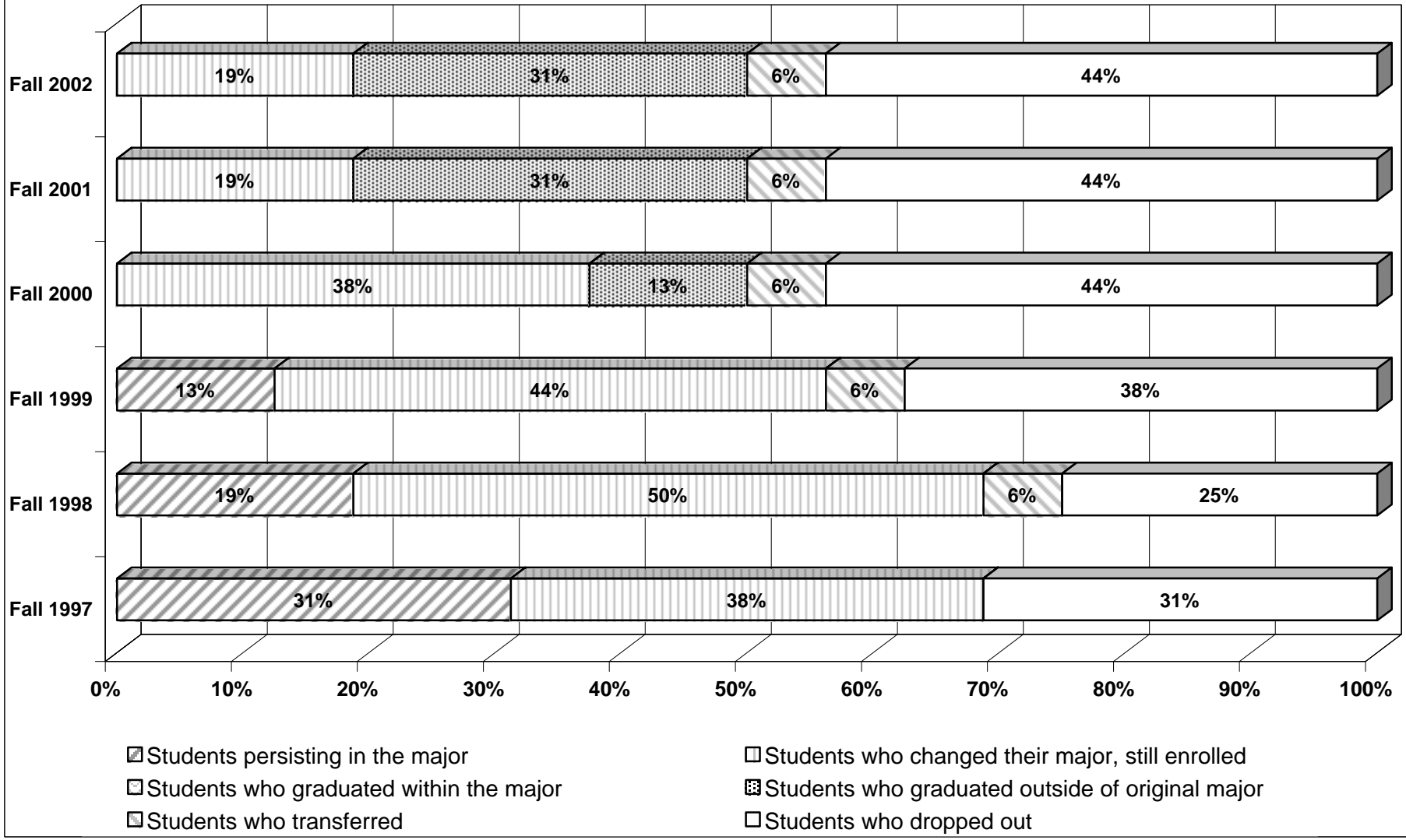
	Fall 1997	Fall 1998	Fall 1999	Fall 2000	Fall 2001	Fall 2002
<b>Students persisting in the major</b>	5	3	2	0	0	0
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	1	0	0	0	0	0
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	4	3	2	0	0	0
<b>Students who changed their major, still enrolled</b>	6	8	7	6	3	3
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	4	2	2	3	1	2
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	2	6	5	3	2	1
Students who graduated within the major	0	0	0	0	0	0
Students who graduated outside of original major	0	0	0	2	5	5
Students enrolled at another LA Institution	0	1	1	1	1	1
Students who dropped out	5	4	6	7	7	7
<b>Total</b>	16	16	16	16	16	16

Average Time-to-Degree for this major in semesters (2002-2003 graduates)      10.6  
 Six-year graduation rate for students who persisted in the major      0.0%  
 Six-year graduation rate for ALL students who started in the major      31.3%

**Comparative Graduation Rates**

Department graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors      2.1%  
 College graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors      8.2%  
 University graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors      9.0%  
 Overall University graduation rate      23.7%

Department of English  
**Bachelor of Arts, Liberal Arts Studies**  
*Fall 1996 Cohort = 16*



College of Arts and Sciences  
 Department of Foreign Languages  
**Bachelor of Arts, French Education**  
**Fall 1996 Cohort = 1**

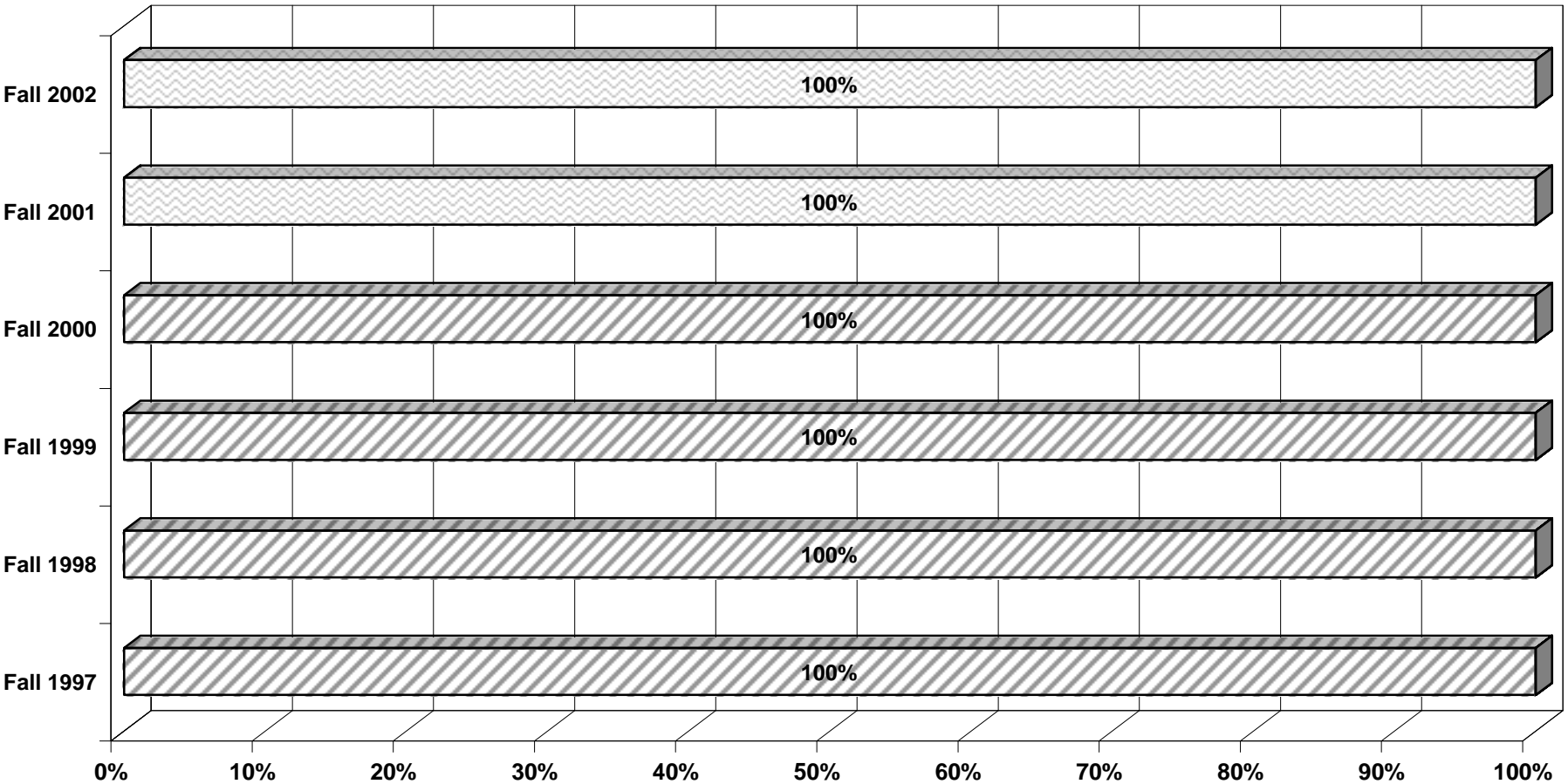
	Fall 1997	Fall 1998	Fall 1999	Fall 2000	Fall 2001	Fall 2002
<b>Students persisting in the major</b>	1	1	1	1	0	0
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	1	0	1	1	0	0
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	0	1	0	0	0	0
<b>Students who changed their major, still enrolled</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	0	0	0	0	0	0
Students who graduated within the major	0	0	0	0	1	1
Students who graduated outside of original major	0	0	0	0	0	0
Students enrolled at another LA Institution	0	0	0	0	0	0
Students who dropped out	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>

Average Time-to-Degree for this major in semesters (2002-2003 graduates)	NA
Six-year graduation rate for students who persisted in the major	100.0%
Six-year graduation rate for ALL students who started in the major	100.0%

**Comparative Graduation Rates**

Department graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors	100.0%
College graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors	8.2%
University graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors	9.0%
Overall University graduation rate	23.7%

Department of Foreign Languages  
**Bachelor of Arts, French Education**  
*Fall 1996 Cohort = 1*



- ▣ Students persisting in the major
- ▣ Students who graduated within the major
- ▣ Students who transferred
- ▣ Students who changed their major, still enrolled
- ▣ Students who graduated outside of original major
- ▣ Students who dropped out

College of Arts and Sciences  
 General Studies Degree Program  
**Bachelor of General Studies, General Studies**  
**Fall 1996 Cohort = 5**

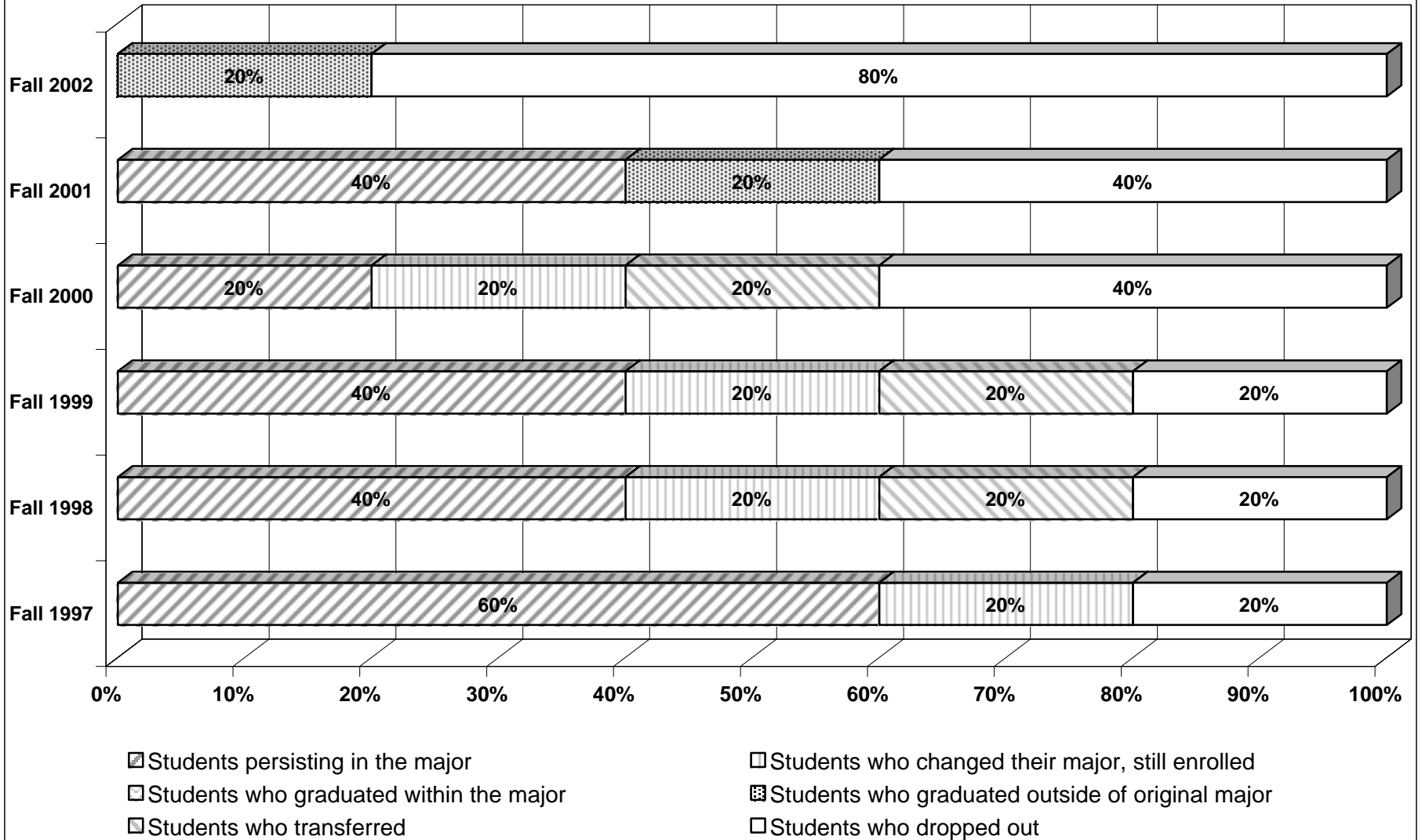
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<b>Students persisting in the major</b>	3	2	2	1	2	0
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	0	0	0	1	1	0
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	3	2	2	0	1	0
<b>Students who changed their major, still enrolled</b>	1	1	1	1	0	0
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	1	1	1	1	0	0
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	0	0	0	0	0	0
Students who graduated within the major	0	0	0	0	0	0
Students who graduated outside of original major	0	0	0	0	1	1
Students enrolled at another LA Institution	0	1	1	1	0	0
Students who dropped out	1	1	1	2	2	4
Total	5	5	5	5	5	5

Average Time-to-Degree for this major in semesters (2002-2003 graduates) 15.3  
 Six-year graduation rate for students who persisted in the major 0.0%  
 Six-year graduation rate for ALL students who started in the major 20.0%

**Comparative Graduation Rates**

Department graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors 0.0%  
 College graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors 8.2%  
 University graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors 9.0%  
 Overall University graduation rate 23.7%

General Studies Degree Program  
**Bachelor of General Studies, General Studies**  
*Fall 1996 Cohort = 5*



College of Arts and Sciences  
 Department of History and Political Sciences  
**Bachelor of Arts, Government**  
**Fall 1996 Cohort = 14**

	Fall 1997	Fall 1998	Fall 1999	Fall 2000	Fall 2001	Fall 2002
<b>Students persisting in the major</b>	7	3	1	0	0	0
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	1	0	0	0	0	0
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	6	3	1	0	0	0
<b>Students who changed their major, still enrolled</b>	2	2	2	1	0	0
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	1	1	1	1	0	0
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	1	1	1	0	0	0
Students who graduated within the major	0	0	0	0	0	0
Students who graduated outside of original major	0	0	0	1	2	2
Students enrolled at another LA Institution	1	3	3	4	2	0
Students who dropped out	4	6	8	8	10	12
<b>Total</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>14</b>

Average Time-to-Degree for this major in semesters (2002-2003 graduates)      10.9  
 Six-year graduation rate for students who persisted in the major      0.0%  
 Six-year graduation rate for ALL students who started in the major      14.3%

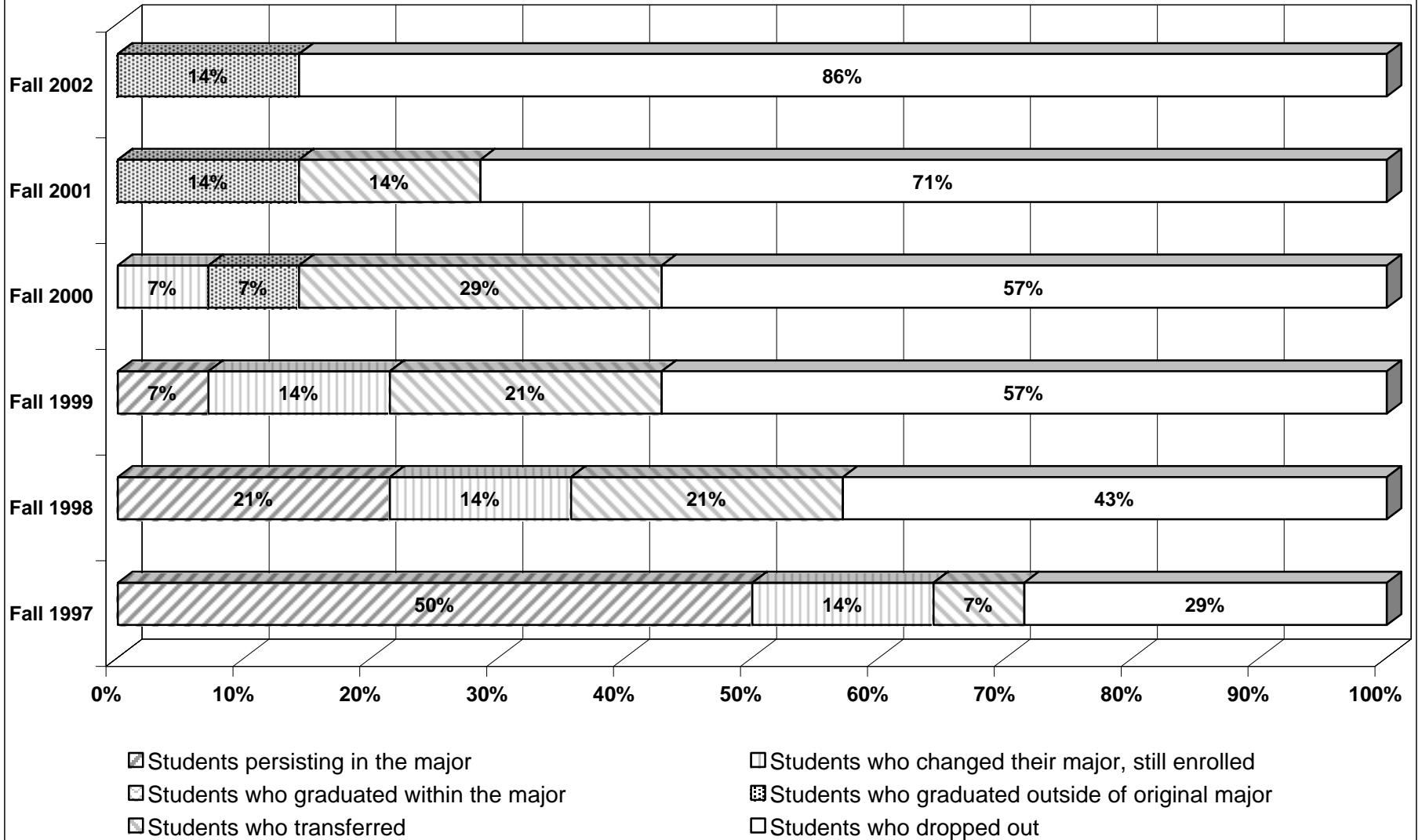
**Comparative Graduation Rates**

Department graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors      11.3%  
 College graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors      8.2%  
 University graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors      9.0%  
 Overall University graduation rate      23.7%

Department of History and Political Sciences

**Bachelor of Arts, Government**

*Fall 1996 Cohort = 14*



College of Arts and Sciences  
 Department of History and Political Sciences  
**Bachelor of Arts, History**  
**Fall 1996 Cohort = 25**

	Fall 1997	Fall 1998	Fall 1999	Fall 2000	Fall 2001	Fall 2002
<b>Students persisting in the major</b>	15	8	7	4	1	0
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	3	3	3	4	1	0
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	12	5	4	0	0	0
<b>Students who changed their major, still enrolled</b>	5	10	9	7	5	3
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	2	3	2	3	4	2
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	3	7	7	4	1	1
Students who graduated within the major	0	0	0	1	3	4
Students who graduated outside of original major	0	0	0	3	4	5
Students enrolled at another LA Institution	3	3	4	3	3	2
Students who dropped out	2	4	5	7	9	11
Total	25	25	25	25	25	25

Average Time-to-Degree for this major in semesters (2002-2003 graduates)      11.8  
 Six-year graduation rate for students who persisted in the major      16.0%  
 Six-year graduation rate for ALL students who started in the major      36.0%

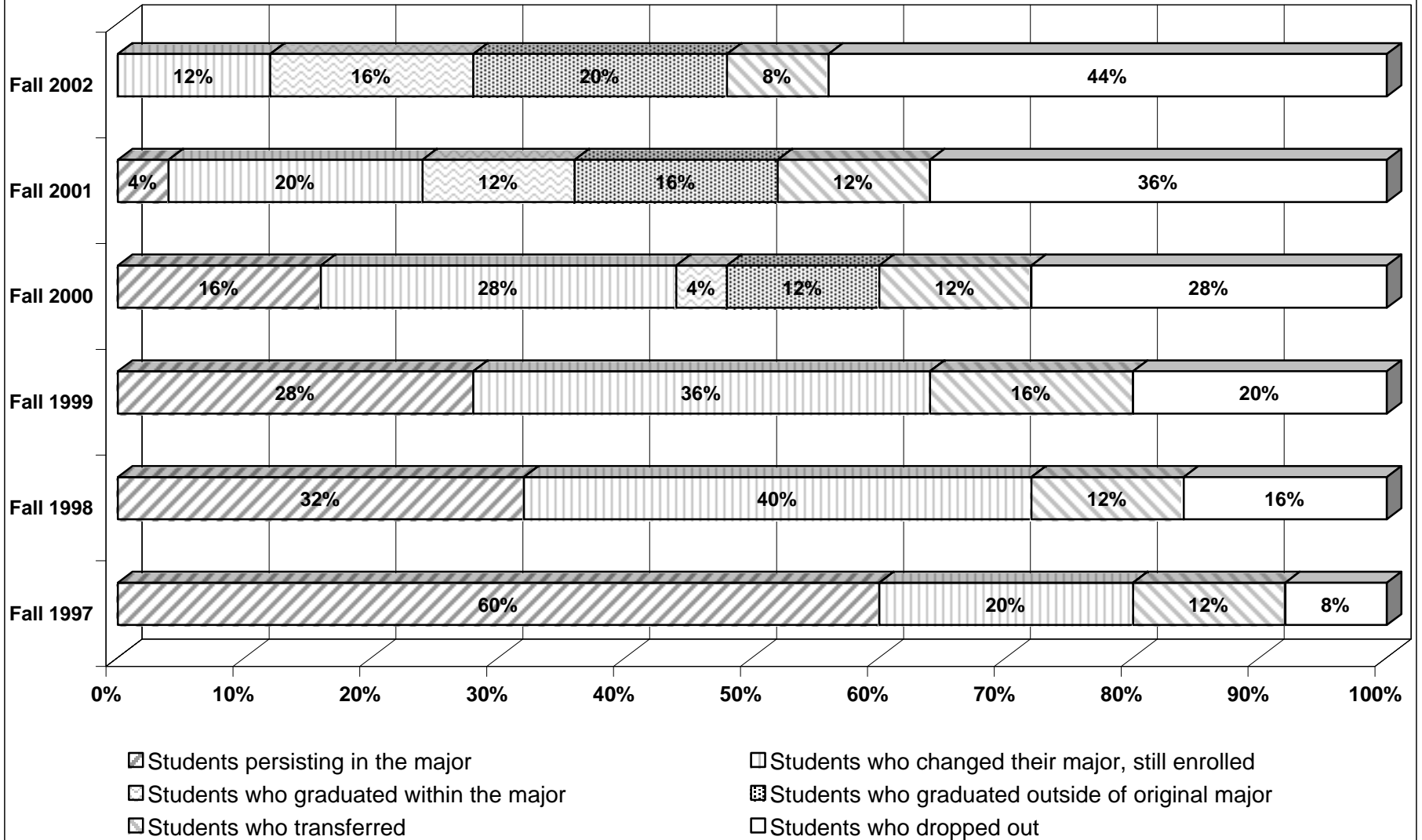
**Comparative Graduation Rates**

Department graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors      11.3%  
 College graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors      8.2%  
 University graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors      9.0%  
 Overall University graduation rate      23.7%

Department of History and Political Sciences

**Bachelor of Arts, History**

*Fall 1996 Cohort = 25*



College of Arts and Sciences  
 Department of History and Political Sciences  
**Bachelor of Arts, Social Studies Education**  
**Fall 1996 Cohort = 14**

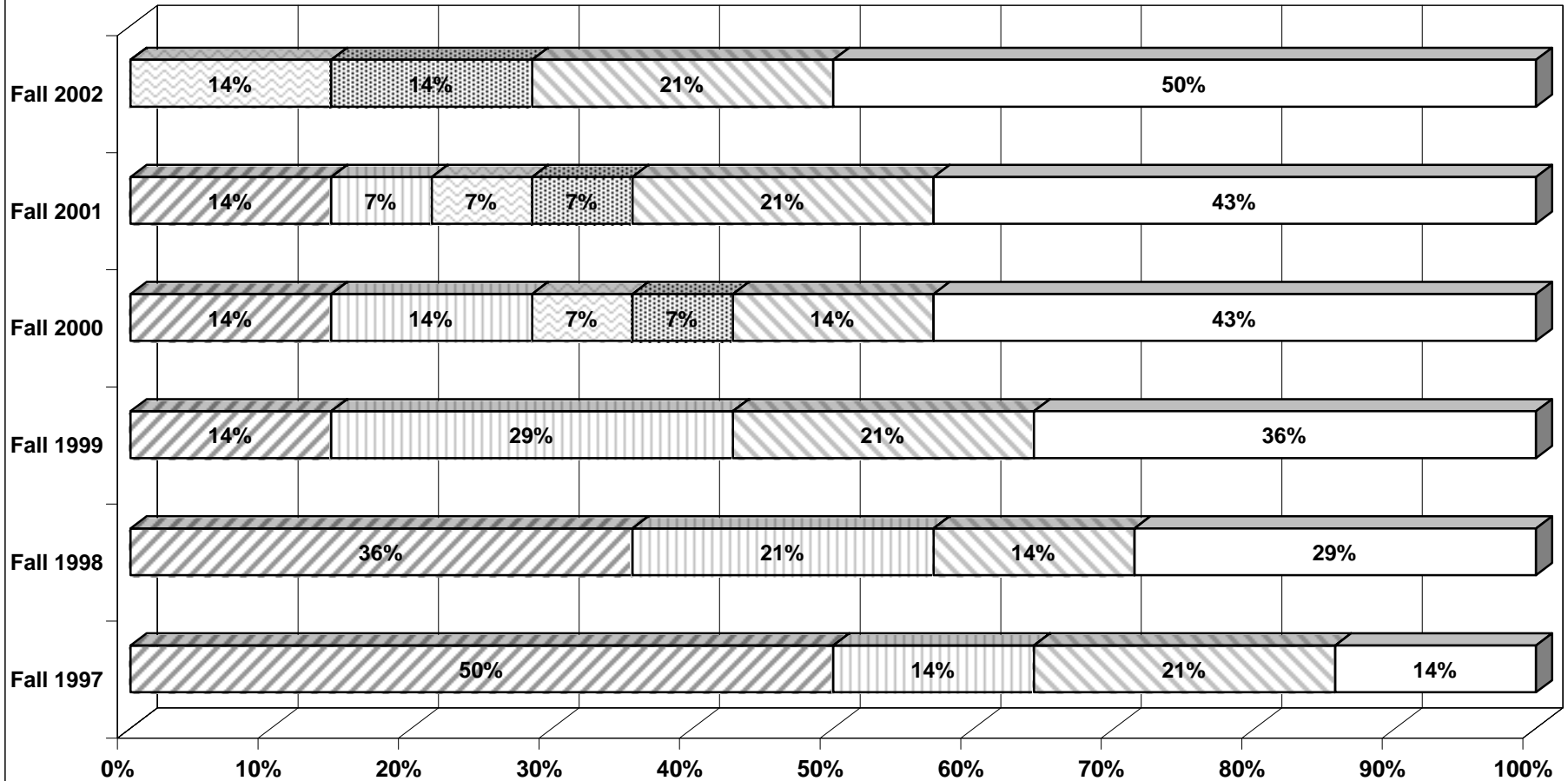
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<b>Students persisting in the major</b>	7	5	2	2	2	0
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	4	2	2	1	1	0
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	3	3	0	1	1	0
<b>Students who changed their major, still enrolled</b>	2	3	4	2	1	0
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	2	1	1	1	1	0
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	0	2	3	1	0	0
Students who graduated within the major	0	0	0	1	1	2
Students who graduated outside of original major	0	0	0	1	1	2
Students enrolled at another LA Institution	3	2	3	2	3	3
Students who dropped out	2	4	5	6	6	7
Total	14	14	14	14	14	14

Average Time-to-Degree for this major in semesters (2002-2003 graduates)      13.2  
 Six-year graduation rate for students who persisted in the major      14.3%  
 Six-year graduation rate for ALL students who started in the major      28.6%

**Comparative Graduation Rates**

Department graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors      11.3%  
 College graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors      8.2%  
 University graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors      9.0%  
 Overall University graduation rate      23.7%

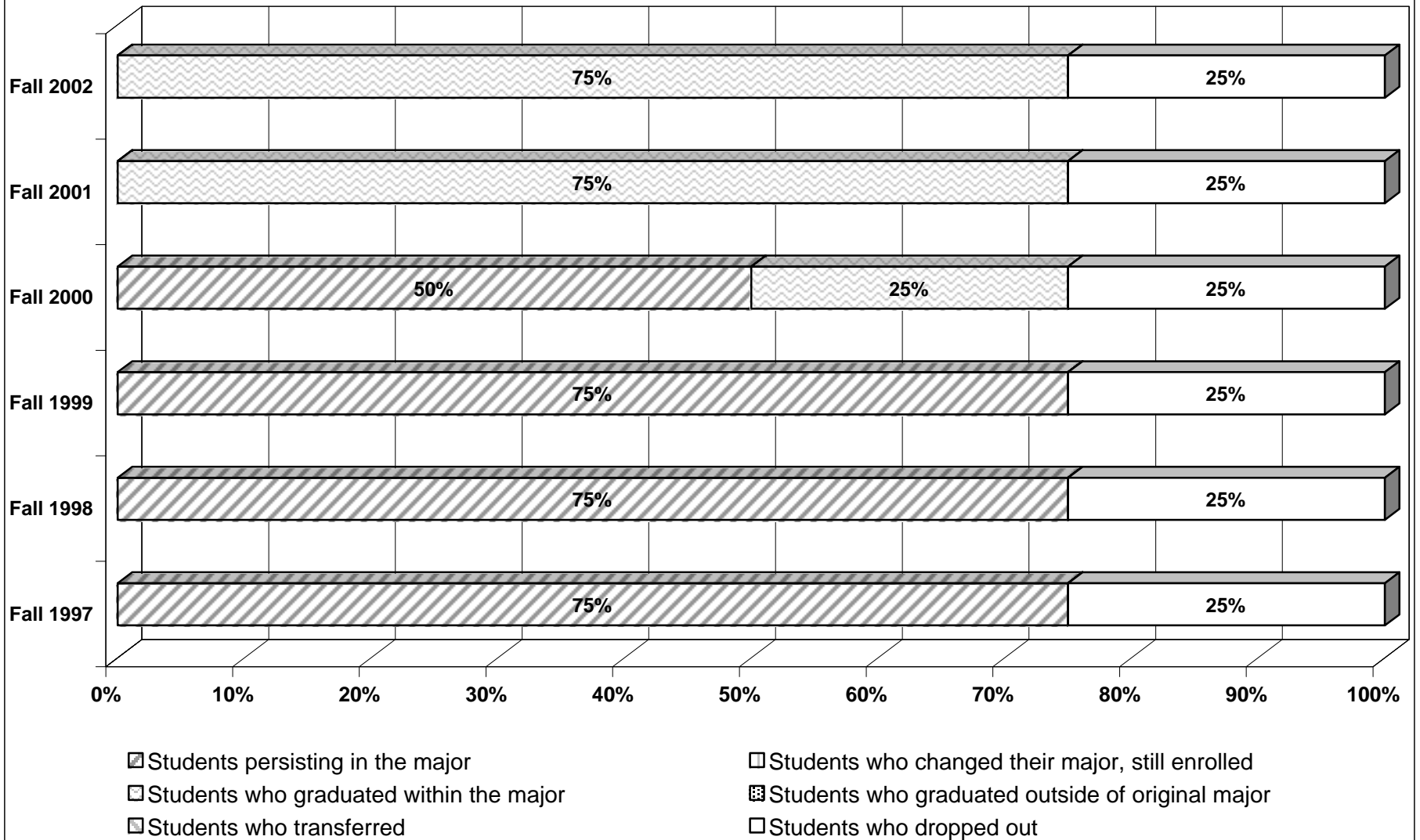
Department of History and Political Sciences  
**Bachelor of Arts, Social Studies Education**  
*Fall 1996 Cohort = 14*



- Students persisting in the major
- Students who graduated within the major
- Students who transferred
- Students who changed their major, still enrolled
- Students who graduated outside of original major
- Students who dropped out



Department of Mathematics  
**Bachelor of Science, Mathematics**  
*Fall 1996 Cohort = 4*



College of Arts and Sciences  
 Department of Mathematics  
**Bachelor of Science, Mathematics Education**  
**Fall 1996 Cohort = 7**

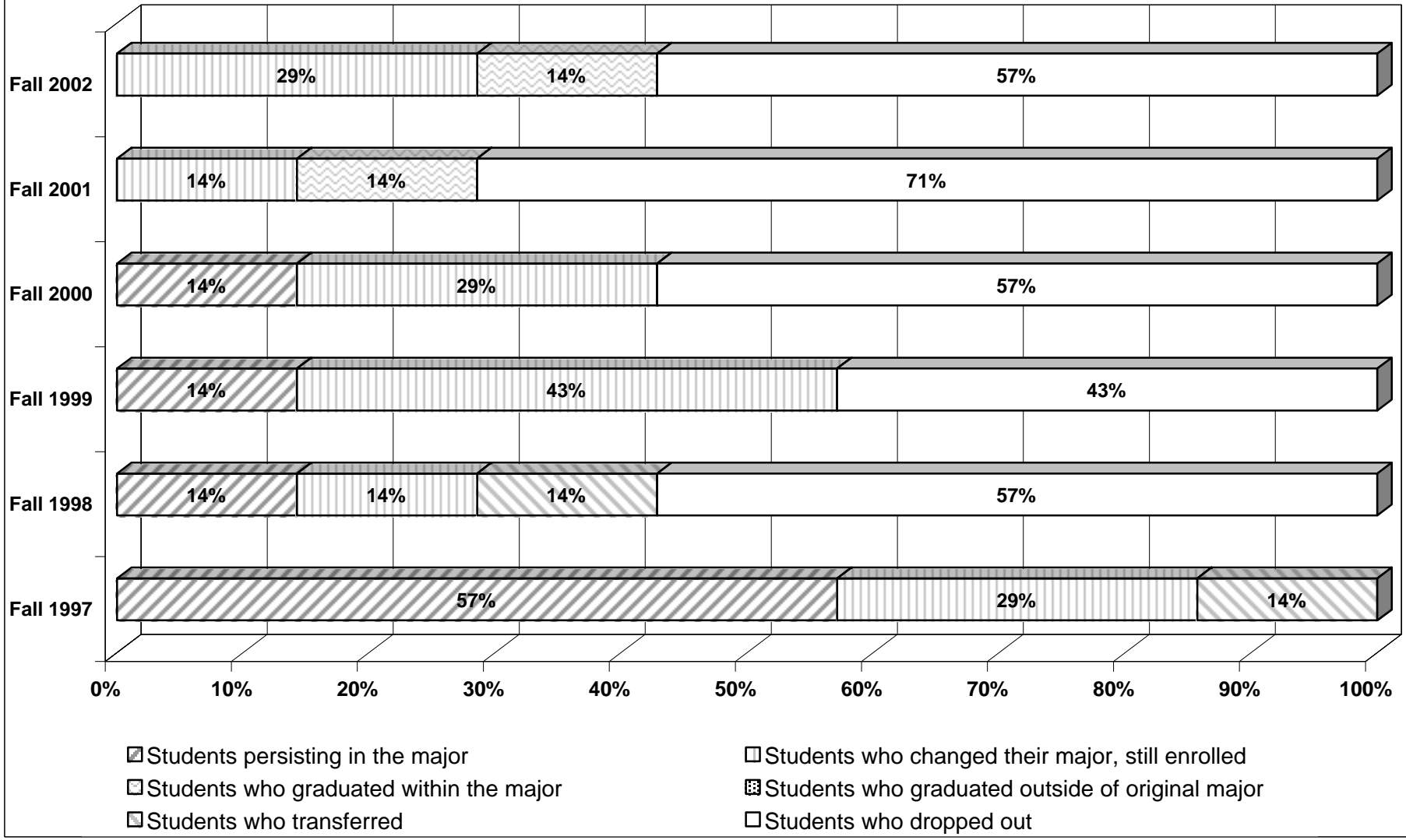
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<b>Students persisting in the major</b>	4	1	1	1	0	0
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	1	0	0	1	0	0
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	3	1	1	0	0	0
<b>Students who changed their major, still enrolled</b>	2	1	3	2	1	2
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	0	1	1	1	1	1
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	2	0	2	1	0	1
Students who graduated within the major	0	0	0	0	1	1
Students who graduated outside of original major	0	0	0	0	0	0
Students enrolled at another LA Institution	1	1	0	0	0	0
Students who dropped out	0	4	3	4	5	4
<b>Total</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>7</b>

Average Time-to-Degree for this major in semesters (2002-2003 graduates)      11.2  
 Six-year graduation rate for students who persisted in the major      14.3%  
 Six-year graduation rate for ALL students who started in the major      14.3%

**Comparative Graduation Rates**

Department graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors      36.4%  
 College graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors      8.2%  
 University graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors      9.0%  
 Overall University graduation rate      23.7%

Department of Mathematics  
**Bachelor of Science, Mathematics Education**  
*Fall 1996 Cohort = 7*



College of Arts and Sciences  
 Department of Music and Dramatic Arts  
**Bachelor of Music, Music**  
**Fall 1996 Cohort = 14**

	Fall 1997	Fall 1998	Fall 1999	Fall 2000	Fall 2001	Fall 2002
<b>Students persisting in the major</b>	9	5	2	2	1	1
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	4	3	1	2	1	1
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	5	2	1	0	0	0
<b>Students who changed their major, still enrolled</b>	1	3	6	3	2	1
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	0	1	1	2	2	1
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	1	2	5	1	0	0
Students who graduated within the major	0	0	0	0	1	1
Students who graduated outside of original major	0	0	0	0	0	1
Students enrolled at another LA Institution	0	1	1	1	1	1
Students who dropped out	4	5	5	8	9	9
Total	14	14	14	14	14	14

Average Time-to-Degree for this major in semesters (2002-2003 graduates)      11.3  
 Six-year graduation rate for students who persisted in the major      7.1%  
 Six-year graduation rate for ALL students who started in the major      14.3%

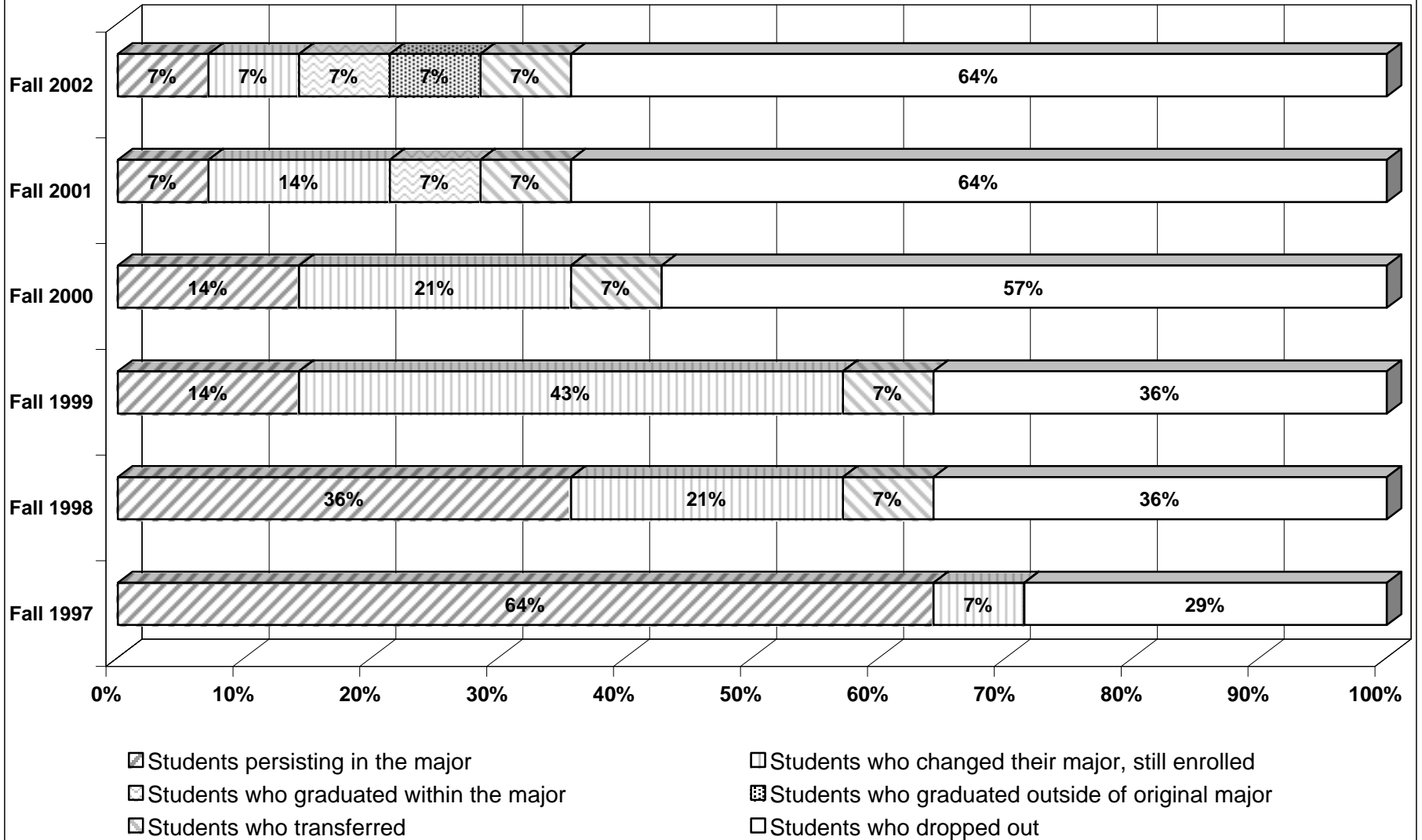
**Comparative Graduation Rates**

Department graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors      7.7%  
 College graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors      8.2%  
 University graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors      9.0%  
 Overall University graduation rate      23.7%

Department of Music and Dramatic Arts

**Bachelor of Music, Music**

*Fall 1996 Cohort = 14*



College of Arts and Sciences  
 Department of Music and Dramatic Arts  
**Bachelor of Music Education, Music Education**  
**Fall 1996 Cohort = 12**

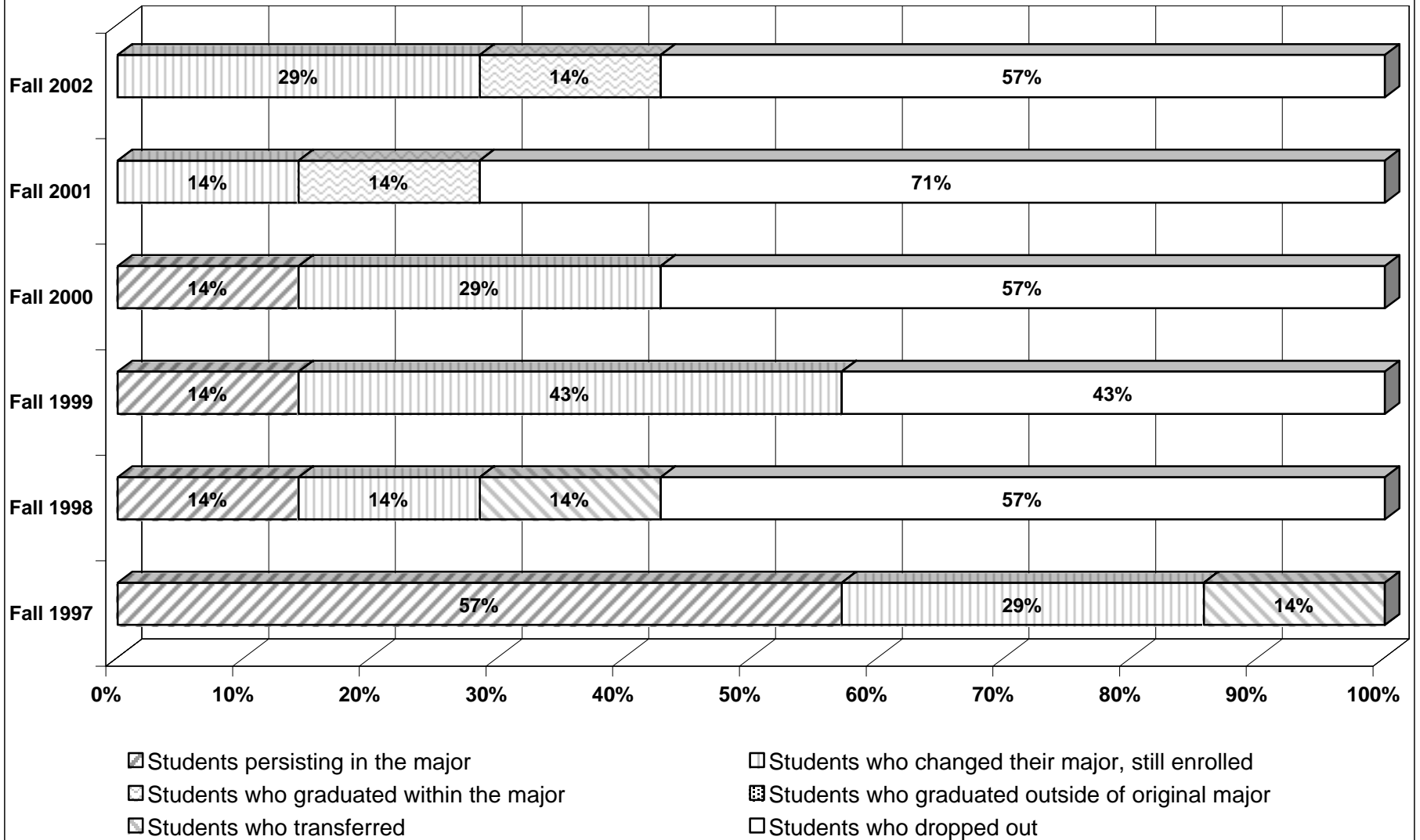
	Fall 1997	Fall 1998	Fall 1999	Fall 2000	Fall 2001	Fall 2002
<b>Students persisting in the major</b>	5	3	3	3	3	2
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	1	2	2	3	3	2
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	4	1	1	0	0	0
<b>Students who changed their major, still enrolled</b>	2	2	3	2	2	1
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	1	0	0	0	0	0
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	1	2	3	2	2	1
Students who graduated within the major	0	0	0	0	0	1
Students who graduated outside of original major	0	0	0	0	0	0
Students enrolled at another LA Institution	2	2	2	2	0	1
Students who dropped out	3	5	4	5	7	7
Total	12	12	12	12	12	12

Average Time-to-Degree for this major in semesters (2002-2003 graduates)      11.7  
 Six-year graduation rate for students who persisted in the major      8.3%  
 Six-year graduation rate for ALL students who started in the major      8.3%

**Comparative Graduation Rates**

Department graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors      7.7%  
 College graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors      8.2%  
 University graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors      9.0%  
 Overall University graduation rate      23.7%

Department of Mathematics  
**Bachelor of Science, Music Education**  
*Fall 1996 Cohort = 12*



College of Arts and Sciences  
 Department of Psychology  
**Bachelor of Arts, Psychology**  
**Fall 1996 Cohort = 93**

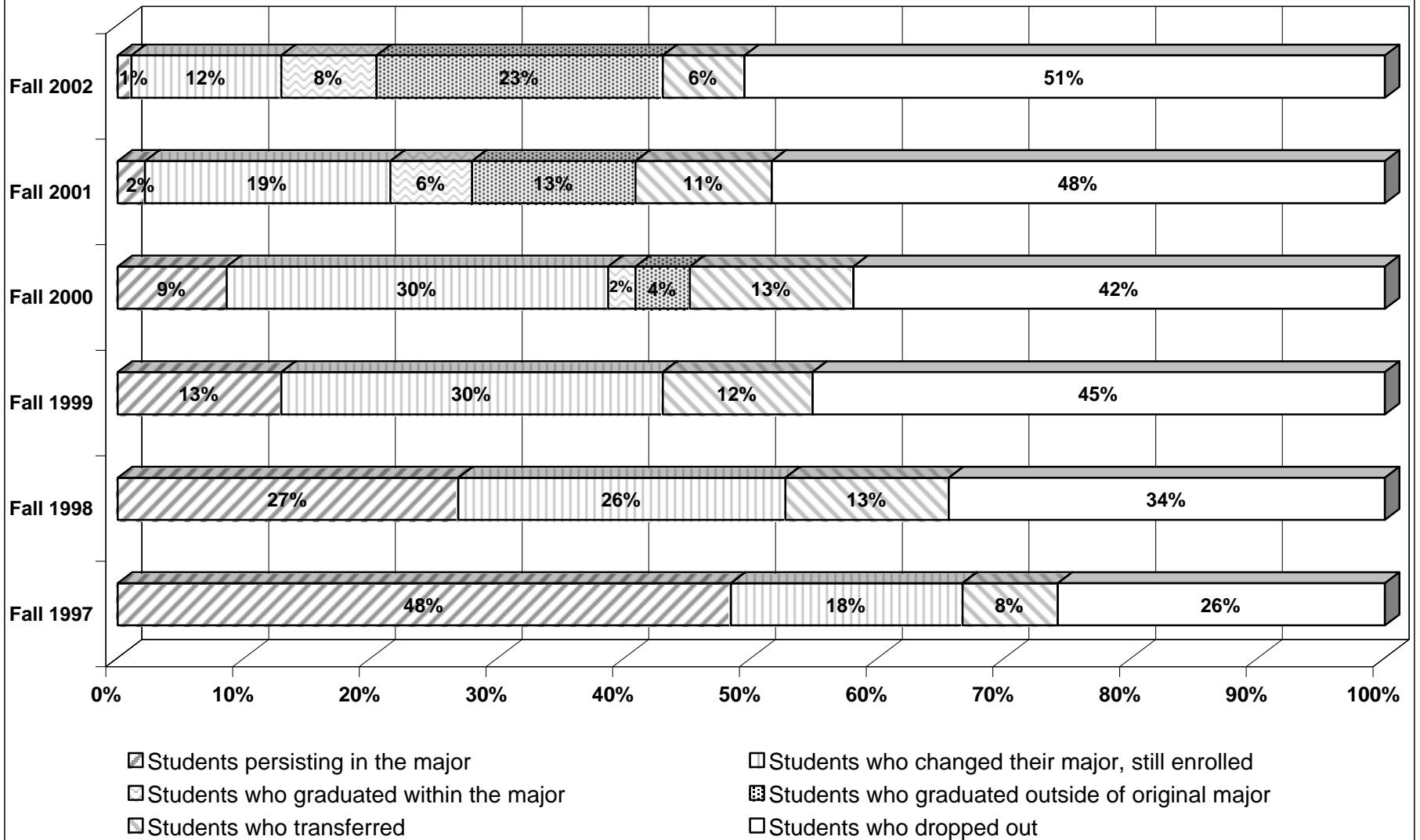
	Fall 1997	Fall 1998	Fall 1999	Fall 2000	Fall 2001	Fall 2002
<b>Students persisting in the major</b>	45	25	12	8	2	1
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	9	2	3	6	1	1
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	36	23	9	2	1	0
<b>Students who changed their major, still enrolled</b>	17	24	28	28	18	11
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	6	6	8	17	13	6
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	11	18	20	11	5	5
Students who graduated within the major	0	0	0	2	6	7
Students who graduated outside of original major	0	0	0	4	12	21
Students enrolled at another LA Institution	7	12	11	12	10	6
Students who dropped out	24	32	42	39	45	47
Total	93	93	93	93	93	93

Average Time-to-Degree for this major in semesters (2002-2003 graduates)      10.4  
 Six-year graduation rate for students who persisted in the major      7.5%  
 Six-year graduation rate for ALL students who started in the major      30.1%

**Comparative Graduation Rates**

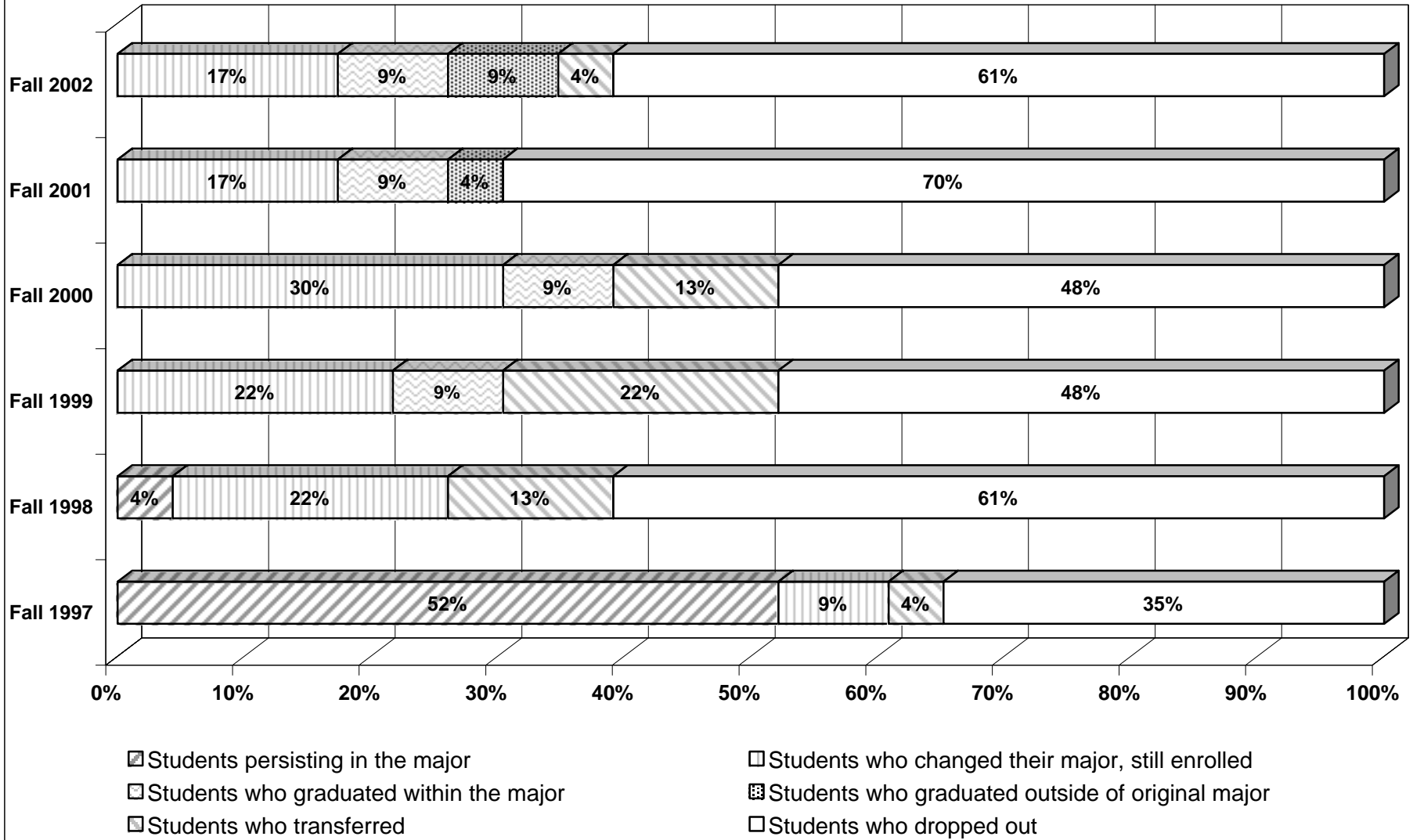
Department graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors      7.5%  
 College graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors      8.2%  
 University graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors      9.0%  
 Overall University graduation rate      23.7%

Department of Psychology  
**Bachelor of Arts, Psychology**  
*Fall 1996 Cohort = 93*





Department of Sociology and Criminal Justice  
**Associate of Arts, Criminal Justice**  
*Fall 1996 Cohort = 23*



College of Arts and Sciences  
 Department of Sociology and Criminal Justice  
**Bachelor of Arts, Criminal Justice**  
**Fall 1996 Cohort = 92**

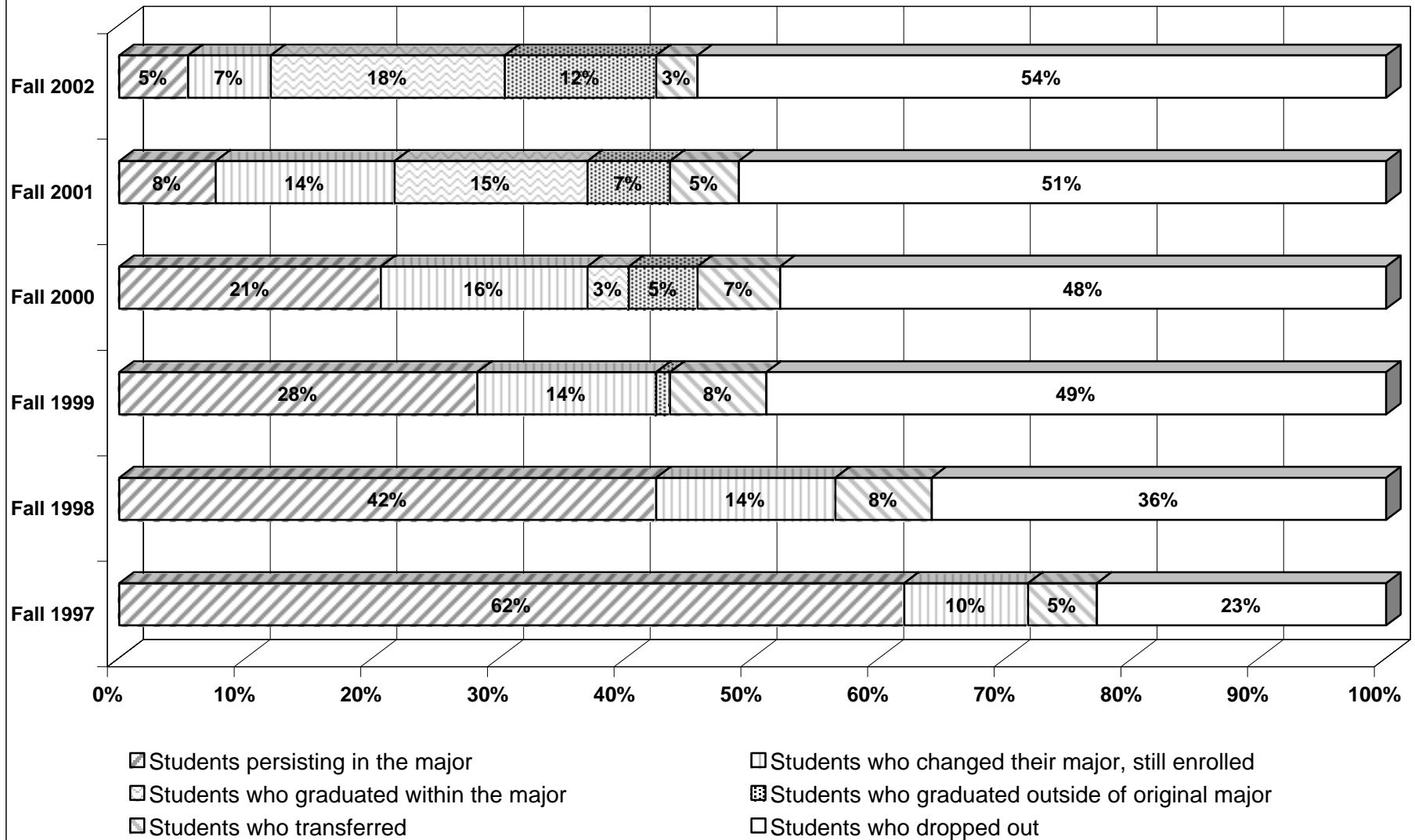
	Fall 1997	Fall 1998	Fall 1999	Fall 2000	Fall 2001	Fall 2002
<b>Students persisting in the major</b>	57	39	26	19	7	5
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	10	10	7	14	4	1
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	47	29	19	5	3	4
<b>Students who changed their major, still enrolled</b>	9	13	13	15	13	6
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	5	2	4	5	7	2
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	4	11	9	10	6	4
Students who graduated within the major	0	0	0	3	14	17
Students who graduated outside of original major	0	0	1	5	6	11
Students enrolled at another LA Institution	5	7	7	6	5	3
Students who dropped out	21	33	45	44	47	50
<b>Total</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>92</b>

Average Time-to-Degree for this major in semesters (2002-2003 graduates) 10.3  
 Six-year graduation rate for students who persisted in the major 18.5%  
 Six-year graduation rate for ALL students who started in the major 30.4%

**Comparative Graduation Rates**

Department graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors 16.2%  
 College graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors 8.2%  
 University graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors 9.0%  
 Overall University graduation rate 23.7%

Department of Sociology and Criminal Justice  
**Bachelor of Arts, Criminal Justice**  
*Fall 1996 Cohort = 92*



College of Arts and Sciences  
 Department of Sociology and Criminal Justice  
**Bachelor of Arts, Sociology**  
**Fall 1996 Cohort = 2**

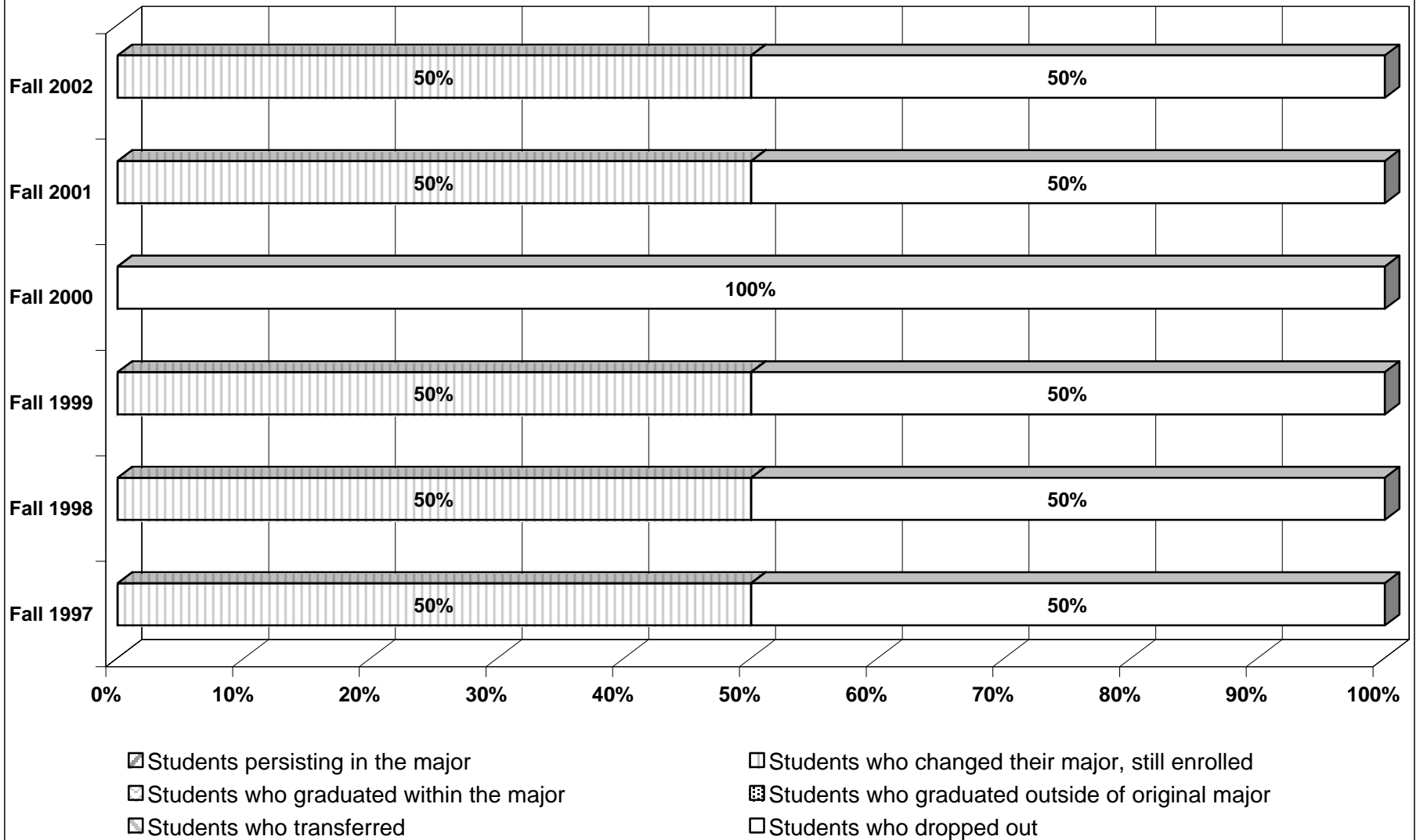
	Fall 1997	Fall 1998	Fall 1999	Fall 2000	Fall 2001	Fall 2002
<b>Students persisting in the major</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Students who changed their major, still enrolled</b>	1	1	1	0	1	1
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	1	1	1	0	1	1
Students who graduated within the major	0	0	0	0	0	0
Students who graduated outside of original major	0	0	0	0	0	0
Students enrolled at another LA Institution	0	0	0	0	0	0
Students who dropped out	1	1	1	2	1	1
Total	2	2	2	2	2	2

Average Time-to-Degree for this major in semesters (2002-2003 graduates) 15.3  
 Six-year graduation rate for students who persisted in the major 0.0%  
 Six-year graduation rate for ALL students who started in the major 0.0%

**Comparative Graduation Rates**

Department graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors 16.2%  
 College graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors 8.2%  
 University graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors 9.0%  
 Overall University graduation rate 23.7%

Department of Sociology and Criminal Justice  
**Bachelor of Arts, Sociology**  
*Fall 1996 Cohort = 2*



College of Arts and Sciences  
 Department of Visual Arts  
**Bachelor of Arts, Art**  
**Fall 1996 Cohort = 23**

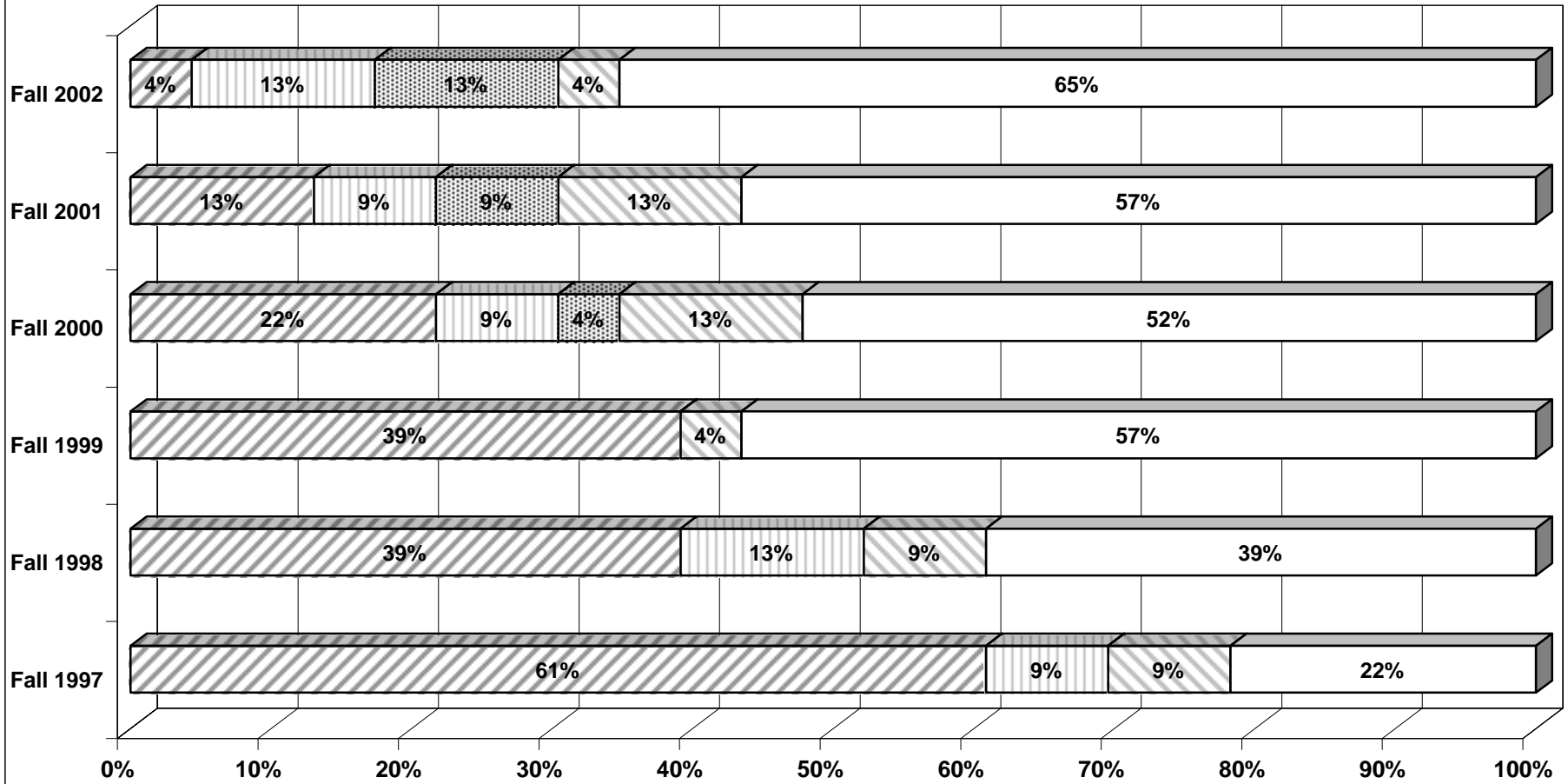
	Fall 1997	Fall 1998	Fall 1999	Fall 2000	Fall 2001	Fall 2002
<b>Students persisting in the major</b>	14	9	9	5	3	1
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	3	1	2	3	1	0
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	11	8	7	2	2	1
<b>Students who changed their major, still enrolled</b>	2	3	0	2	2	3
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	0	0	0	0	0	1
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	2	3	0	2	2	2
Students who graduated within the major	0	0	0	0	0	0
Students who graduated outside of original major	0	0	0	1	2	3
Students enrolled at another LA Institution	2	2	1	3	3	1
Students who dropped out	5	9	13	12	13	15
Total	23	23	23	23	23	23

Average Time-to-Degree for this major in semesters (2002-2003 graduates)      12.4  
 Six-year graduation rate for students who persisted in the major      0.0%  
 Six-year graduation rate for ALL students who started in the major      13.0%

**Comparative Graduation Rates**

Department graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors      0.0%  
 College graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors      8.2%  
 University graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors      9.0%  
 Overall University graduation rate      23.7%

Department of Visual Arts  
**Bachelor of Arts, Art**  
*Fall 1996 Cohort = 23*



- ▨ Students persisting in the major
- ▤ Students who graduated within the major
- ▧ Students who graduated outside of original major
- ▩ Students who transferred
- ▦ Students who changed their major, still enrolled
- Students who dropped out

College of Arts and Sciences  
 Department of Visual Arts  
**Bachelor of Arts, Art Education**  
**Fall 1996 Cohort = 3**

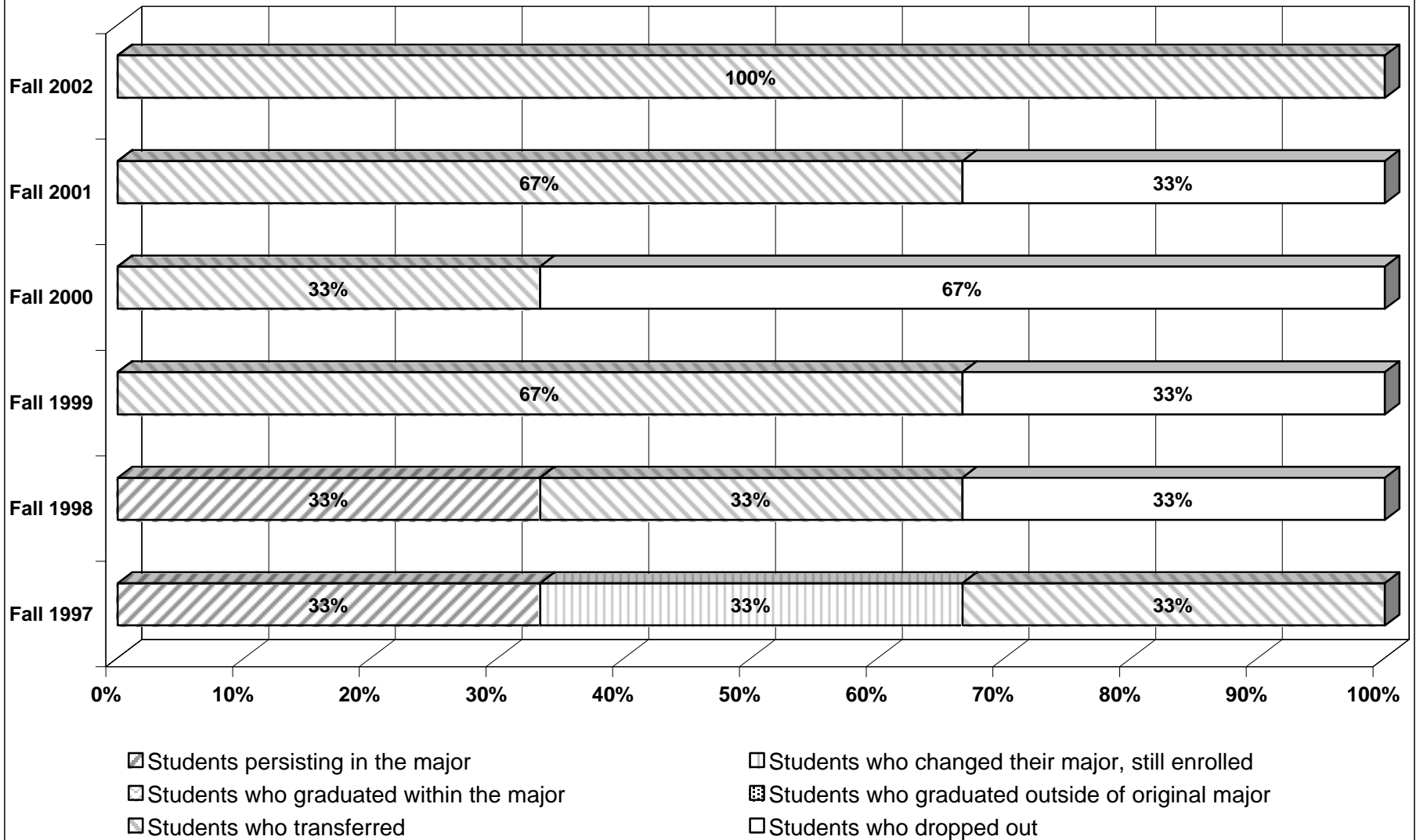
	Fall 1997	Fall 1998	Fall 1999	Fall 2000	Fall 2001	Fall 2002
<b>Students persisting in the major</b>	1	1	0	0	0	0
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	1	1	0	0	0	0
<b>Students who changed their major, still enrolled</b>	1	0	0	0	0	0
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	1	0	0	0	0	0
Students who graduated within the major	0	0	0	0	0	0
Students who graduated outside of original major	0	0	0	0	0	0
Students enrolled at another LA Institution	1	1	2	1	2	3
Students who dropped out	0	1	1	2	1	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>

Average Time-to-Degree for this major in semesters (2002-2003 graduates)	24.0
Six-year graduation rate for students who persisted in the major	0.0%
Six-year graduation rate for ALL students who started in the major	0.0%

**Comparative Graduation Rates**

Department graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors	0.0%
College graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors	8.2%
University graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors	9.0%
Overall University graduation rate	23.7%

Department of Visual Arts  
**Bachelor of Arts, Art Education**  
*Fall 1996 Cohort = 3*



College of Basic Studies  
 Department of Junior Division

**Undecided**

**Fall 1996 Cohort = 354**

	Fall 1997	Fall 1998	Fall 1999	Fall 2000	Fall 2001	Fall 2002
<b>Students persisting in the major</b>	169	28	10	4	6	0
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	34	0	0	0	1	0
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	135	28	10	4	5	0
<b>Students who changed their major, still enrolled</b>	74	160	147	124	75	37
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	29	35	32	79	48	26
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	45	125	115	45	27	11
Students who graduated within the major	0	0	0	0	0	0
Students who graduated outside of original major	0	0	1	15	64	96
Students enrolled at another LA Institution	25	48	56	54	42	30
Students who dropped out	86	118	140	157	167	191
<b>Total</b>	<b>354</b>	<b>354</b>	<b>354</b>	<b>354</b>	<b>354</b>	<b>354</b>

Average Time-to-Degree for this major in semesters (2002-2003 graduates) NA  
 Six-year graduation rate for students who persisted in the major NA  
 Six-year graduation rate for ALL students who started in the major 27.1%

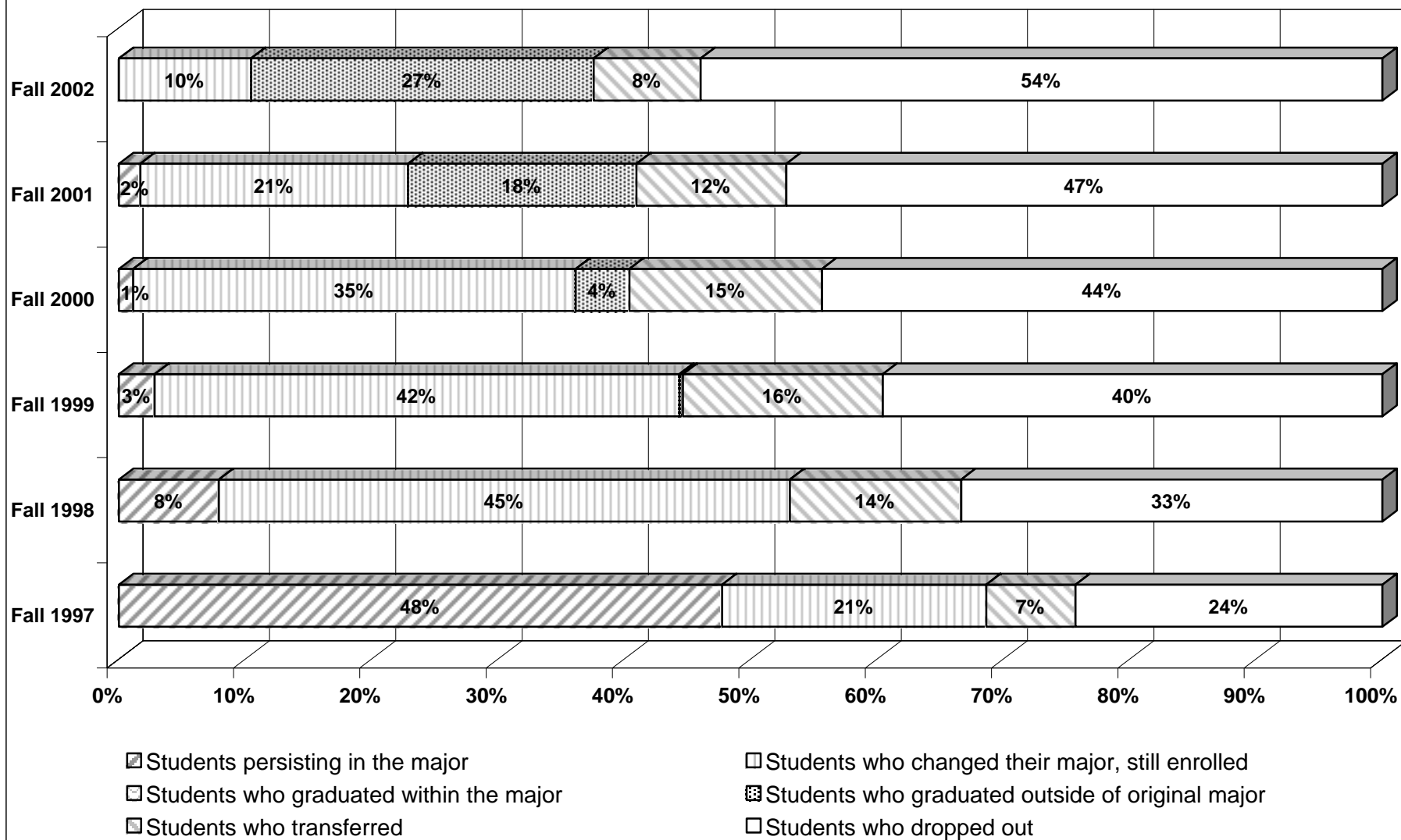
**Comparative Graduation Rates**

Department graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors NA  
 College graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors NA  
 University graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors 9.0%  
 Overall University graduation rate 23.7%

Department of Junior Division

Undecided

Fall 1996 Cohort = 354



College of Basic Studies  
 Department of Junior Division  
**Provisional Admit**  
**Fall 1996 Cohort = 39**

	Fall 1997	Fall 1998	Fall 1999	Fall 2000	Fall 2001	Fall 2002
<b>Students persisting in the major</b>	9	0	1	0	0	0
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	9	0	1	0	0	0
<b>Students who changed their major, still enrolled</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	0	0	0	0	0	0
Students who graduated within the major	0	0	0	0	0	0
Students who graduated outside of original major	0	0	0	0	0	0
Students enrolled at another LA Institution	2	3	1	3	3	2
Students who dropped out	28	36	37	36	36	37
Total	39	39	39	39	39	39

Average Time-to-Degree for this major in semesters (2002-2003 graduates)      NA  
 Six-year graduation rate for students who persisted in the major      NA  
 Six-year graduation rate for ALL students who started in the major      0.0%

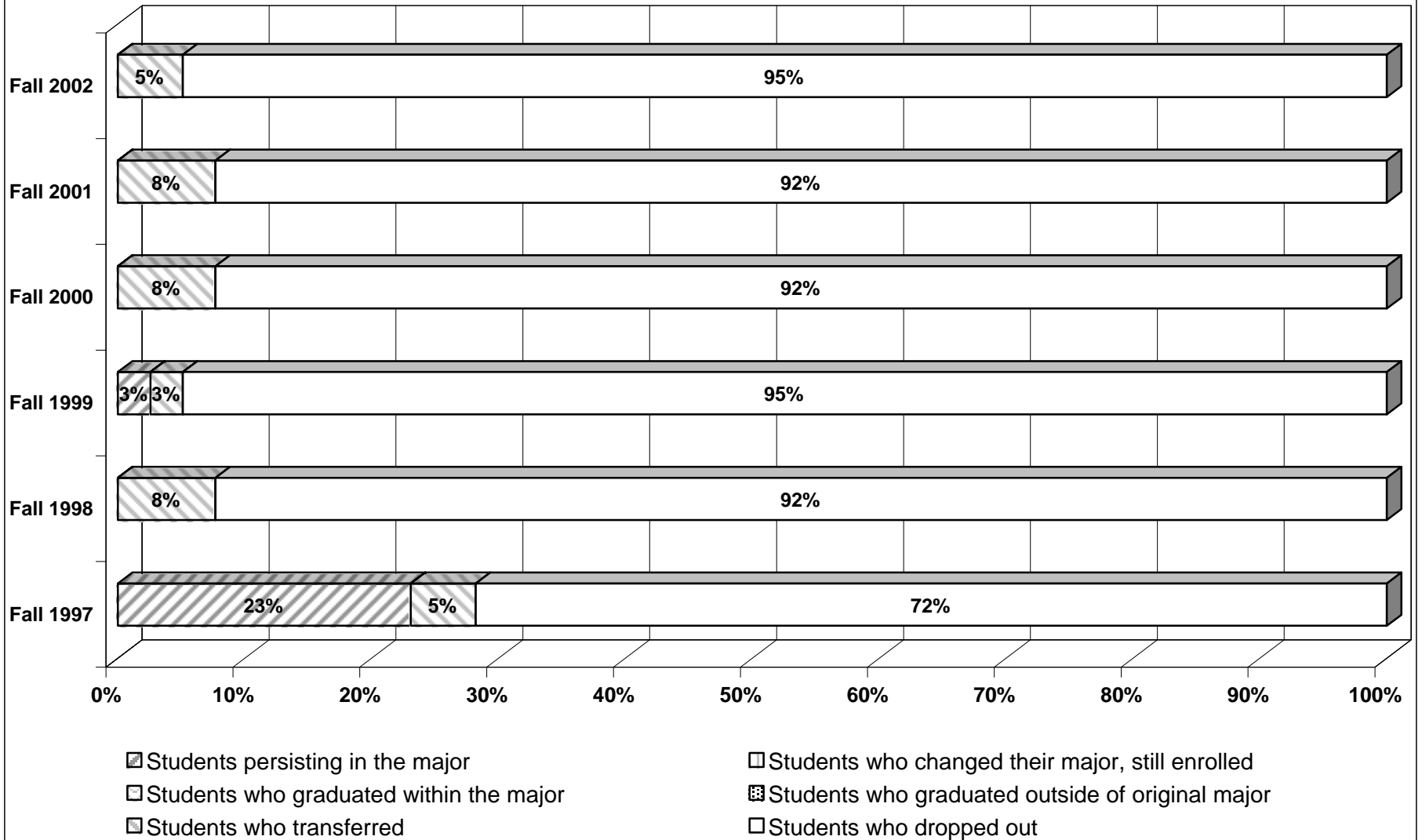
**Comparative Graduation Rates**

Department graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors      NA  
 College graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors      NA  
 University graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors      9.0%  
 Overall University graduation rate      23.7%

Department of Junior Division

**Provisional Admit**

*Fall 1996 Cohort = 39*



College of Basic Studies  
 Department of Transitional Studies  
**Developmental Education**  
**Fall 1996 Cohort = 140**

	Fall 1997	Fall 1998	Fall 1999	Fall 2000	Fall 2001	Fall 2002
<b>Students persisting in the major</b>	49	14	3	0	2	2
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	49	14	3	0	2	2
<b>Students who changed their major, still enrolled</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	0	0	0	0	0	0
Students who graduated within the major	0	0	0	0	0	0
Students who graduated outside of original major	0	0	0	0	0	0
Students enrolled at another LA Institution	12	18	16	18	12	10
Students who dropped out	79	108	121	122	126	128
Total	140	140	140	140	140	140

Average Time-to-Degree for this major in semesters (2002-2003 graduates)      NA  
 Six-year graduation rate for students who persisted in the major      NA  
 Six-year graduation rate for ALL students who started in the major      0.0%

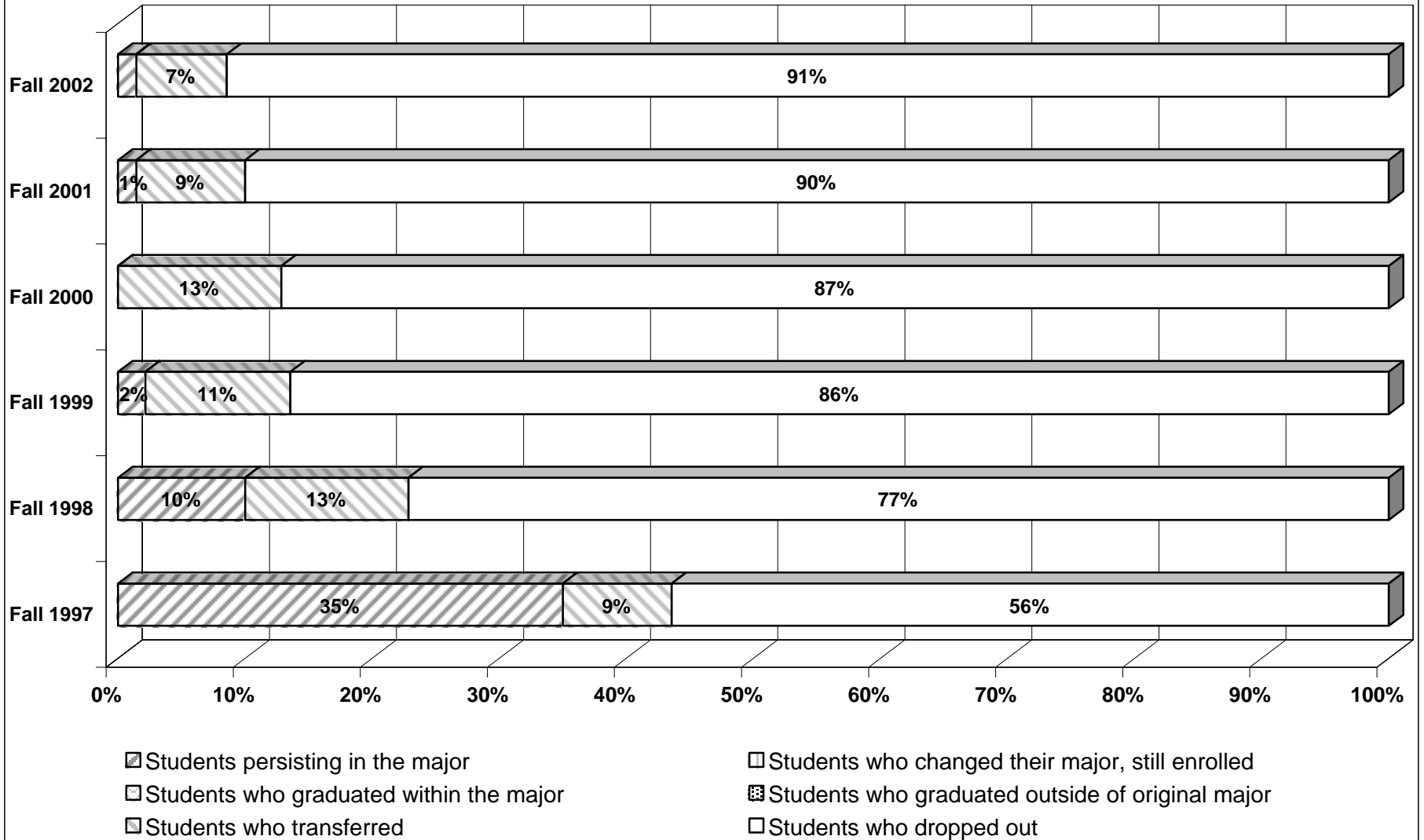
**Comparative Graduation Rates**

Department graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors      NA  
 College graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors      NA  
 University graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors      9.0%  
 Overall University graduation rate      23.7%

Department of Transitional Studies

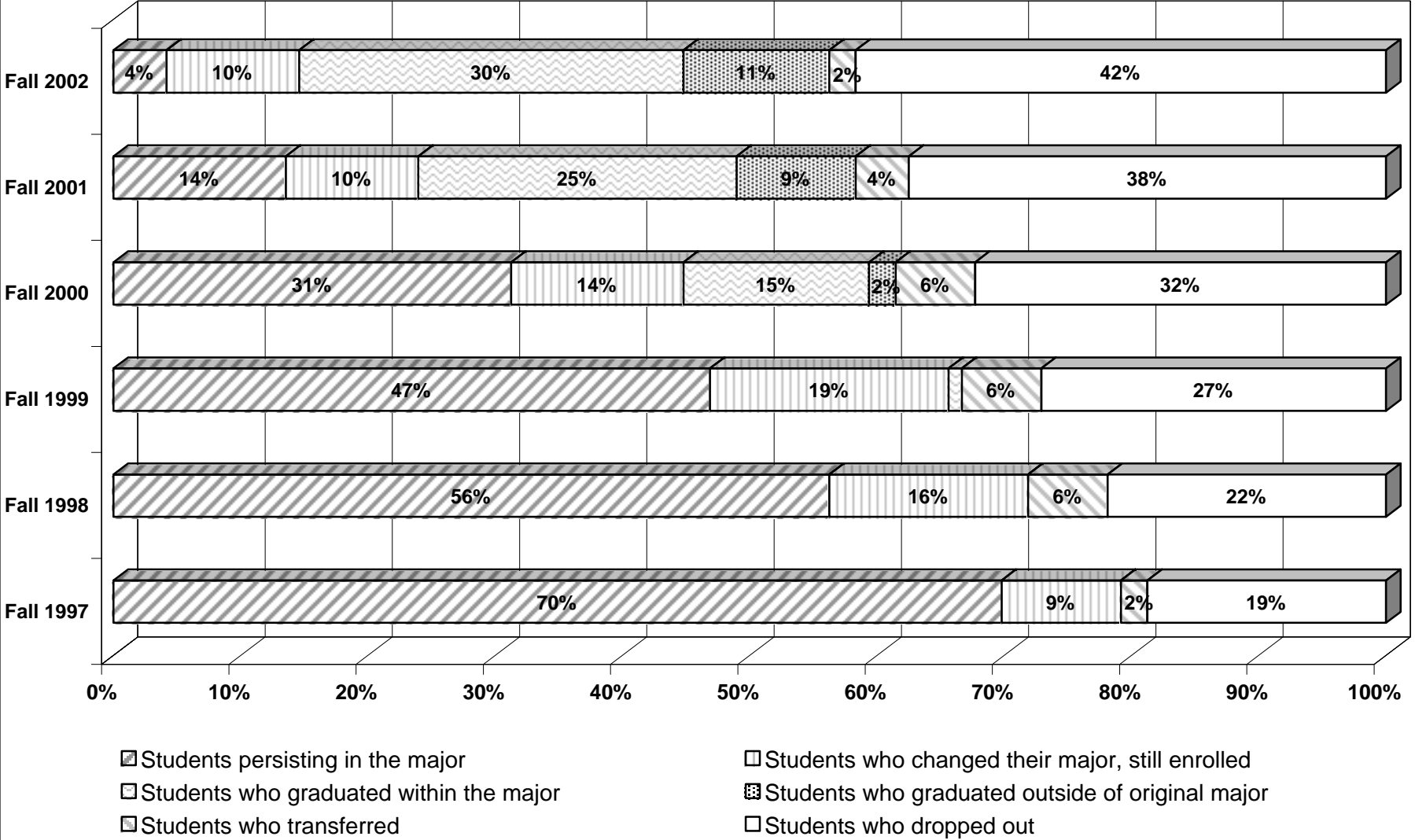
**Developmental Education**

*Fall 1996 Cohort = 140*



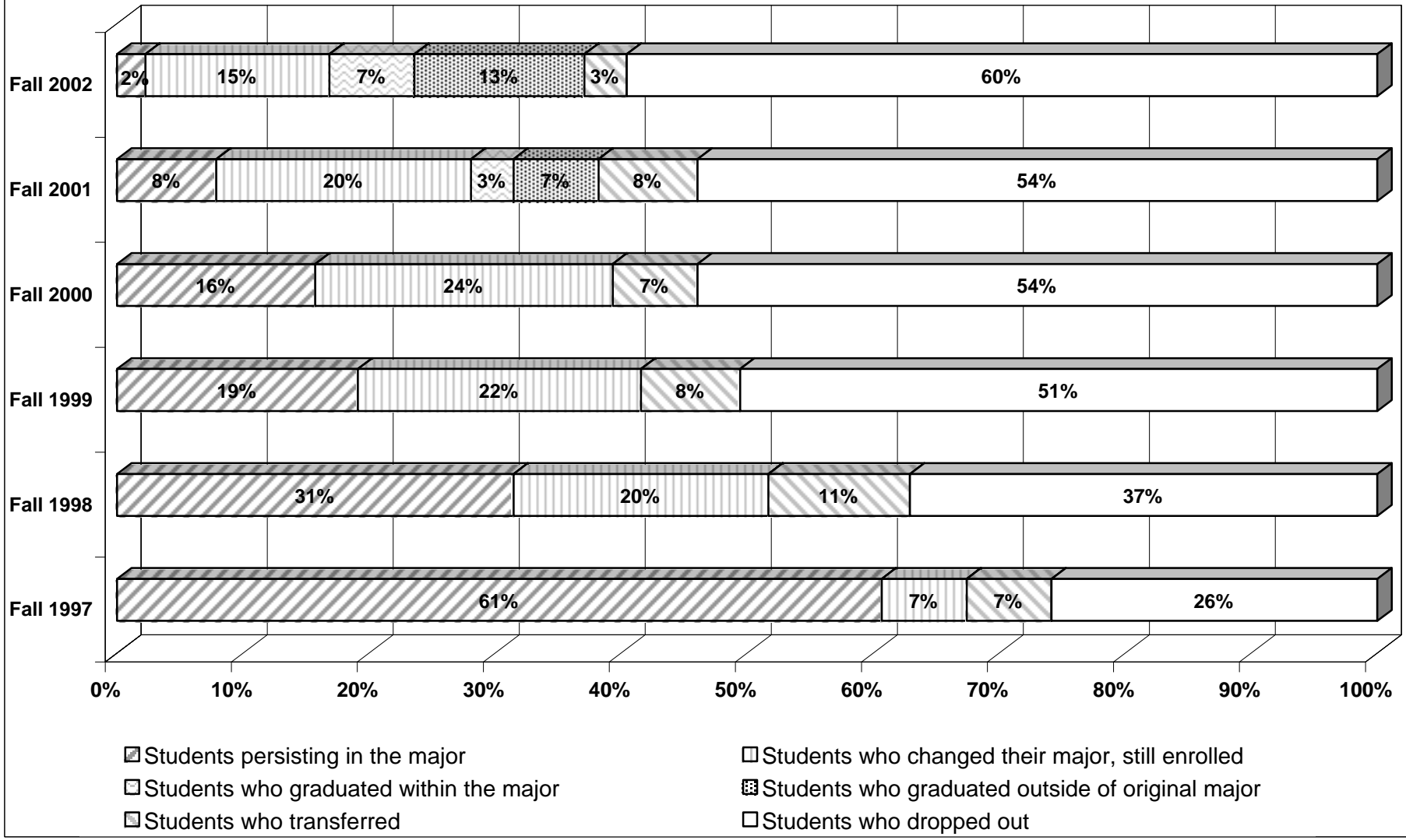


Department of Accounting  
**Bachelor of Science, Accounting**  
*Fall 1996 Cohort = 96*



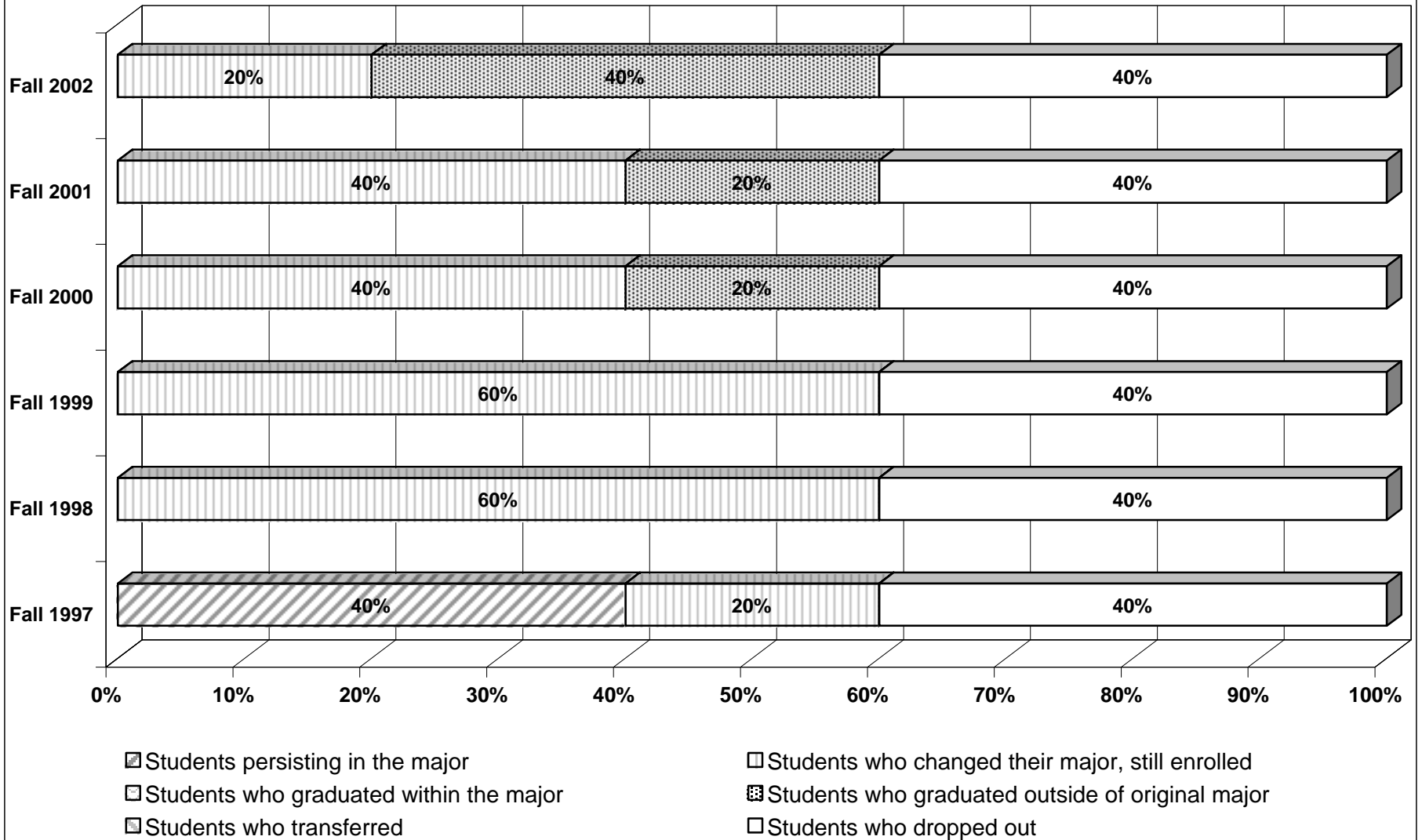


Department of Computer Science  
**Bachelor of Science, Computer Science**  
*Fall 1996 Cohort = 89*





Department of General Business  
**Bachelor of Arts, Business Education**  
*Fall 1996 Cohort = 5*



College of Business and Technology  
 Department of General Business  
**Bachelor of Arts, General Business**  
**Fall 1996 Cohort = 4**

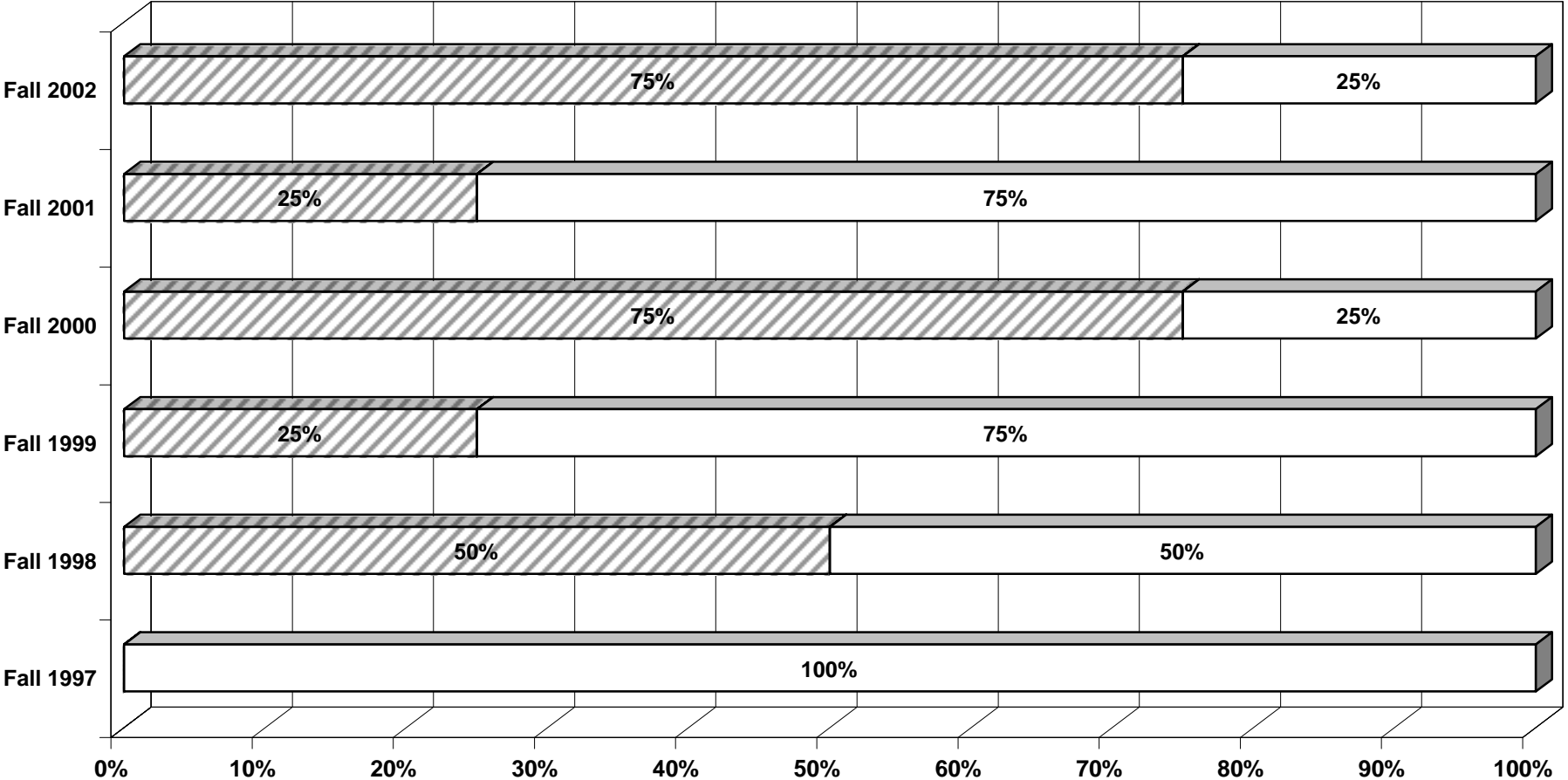
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<b>Students persisting in the major</b>	0	2	1	3	1	3
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	0	2	1	3	1	3
<b>Students who changed their major, still enrolled</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	0	0	0	0	0	0
Students who graduated within the major	0	0	0	0	0	0
Students who graduated outside of original major	0	0	0	0	0	0
Students enrolled at another LA Institution	0	0	0	0	0	0
Students who dropped out	4	2	3	1	3	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>

Average Time-to-Degree for this major in semesters (2002-2003 graduates)	11.9
Six-year graduation rate for students who persisted in the major	0.0%
Six-year graduation rate for ALL students who started in the major	0.0%

**Comparative Graduation Rates**

Department graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors	0.0%
College graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors	13.7%
University graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors	9.0%
Overall University graduation rate	23.7%

**Department of General Business**  
**Bachelor of Arts, General Business**  
*Fall 1996 Cohort = 4*



- ▣ Students persisting in the major
- ▣ Students who graduated within the major
- ▣ Students who transferred
- ▣ Students who changed their major, still enrolled
- ▣ Students who graduated outside of original major
- ▣ Students who dropped out

College of Business and Technology  
 Department of General Business  
**Bachelor of Arts, Office Administration**  
**Fall 1996 Cohort = 29**

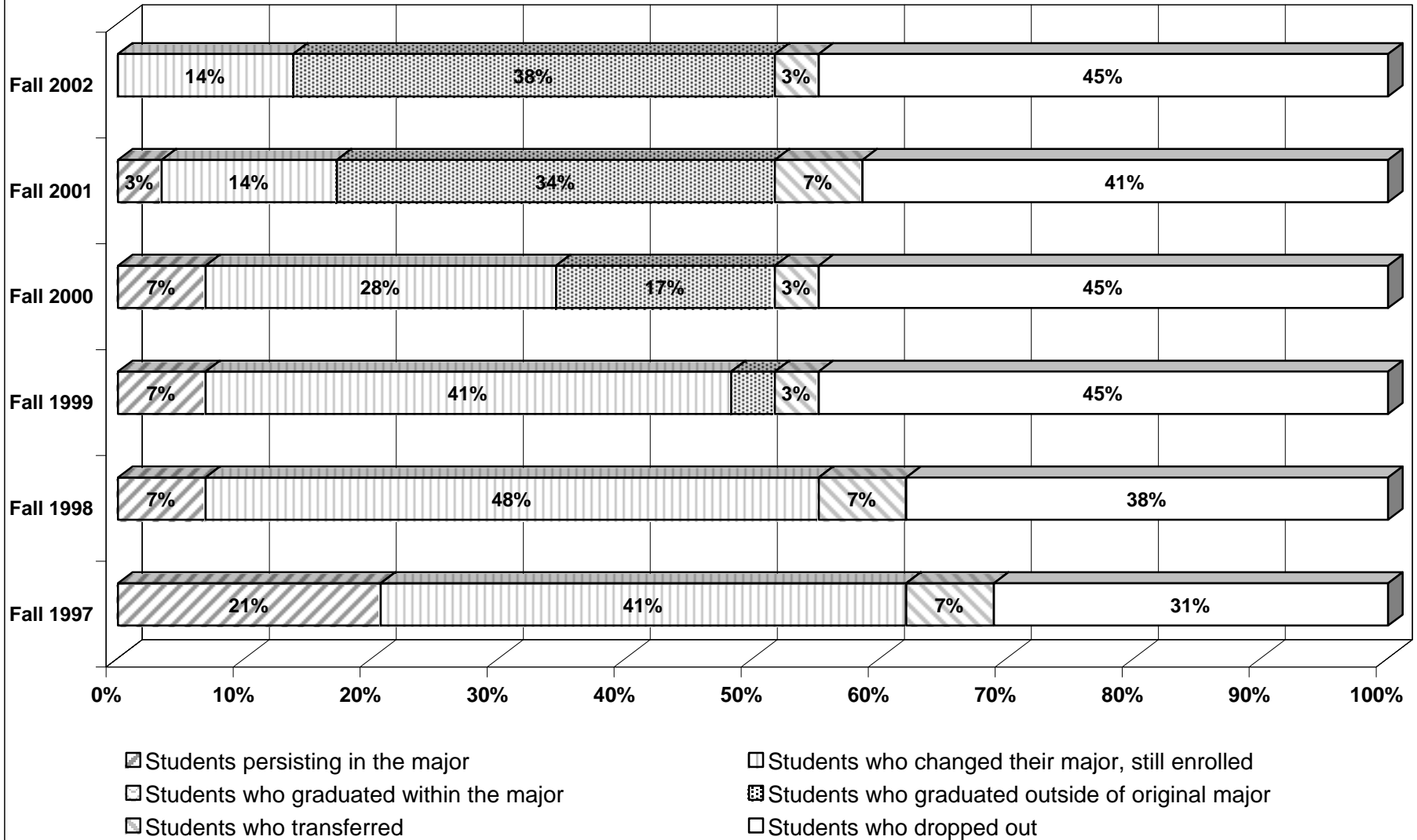
	Fall 1997	Fall 1998	Fall 1999	Fall 2000	Fall 2001	Fall 2002
<b>Students persisting in the major</b>	6	2	2	2	1	0
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	2	0	0	0	1	0
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	4	2	2	2	0	0
<b>Students who changed their major, still enrolled</b>	12	14	12	8	4	4
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	5	6	5	7	4	4
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	7	8	7	1	0	0
Students who graduated within the major	0	0	0	0	0	0
Students who graduated outside of original major	0	0	1	5	10	11
Students enrolled at another LA Institution	2	2	1	1	2	1
Students who dropped out	9	11	13	13	12	13
Total	29	29	29	29	29	29

Average Time-to-Degree for this major in semesters (2002-2003 graduates)      NA  
 Six-year graduation rate for students who persisted in the major      0.0%  
 Six-year graduation rate for ALL students who started in the major      37.9%

**Comparative Graduation Rates**

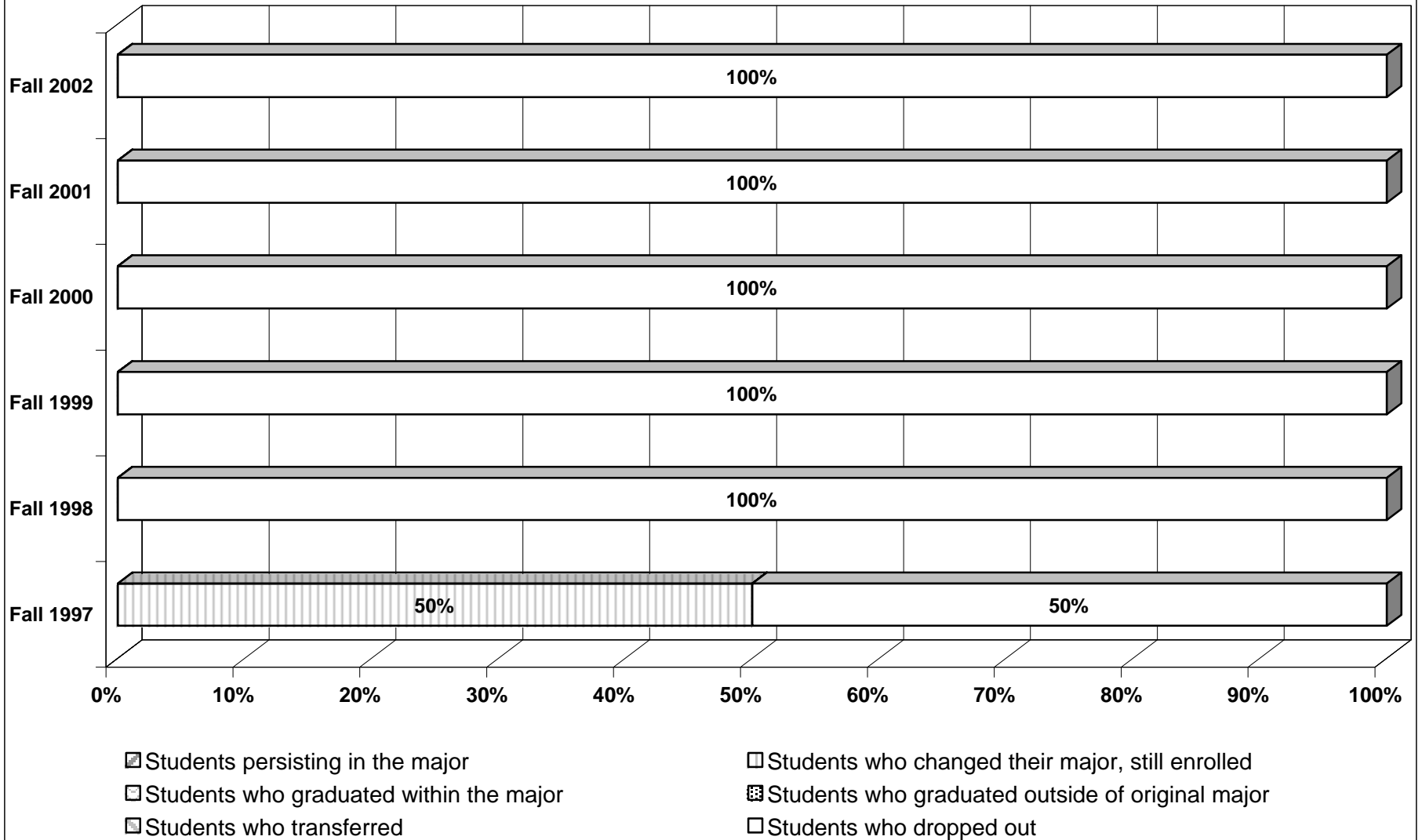
Department graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors      0.0%  
 College graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors      13.7%  
 University graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors      9.0%  
 Overall University graduation rate      23.7%

Department of General Business  
**Bachelor of Arts, Office Administration**  
*Fall 1996 Cohort = 29*





Department of General Business  
**Associate of Arts, Office Administration**  
*Fall 1996 Cohort = 2*



College of Business and Technology  
 Department of Industrial Technology  
**Associate Degree in Applied Science, Design Drafter Technology**  
**Fall 1996 Cohort = 12**

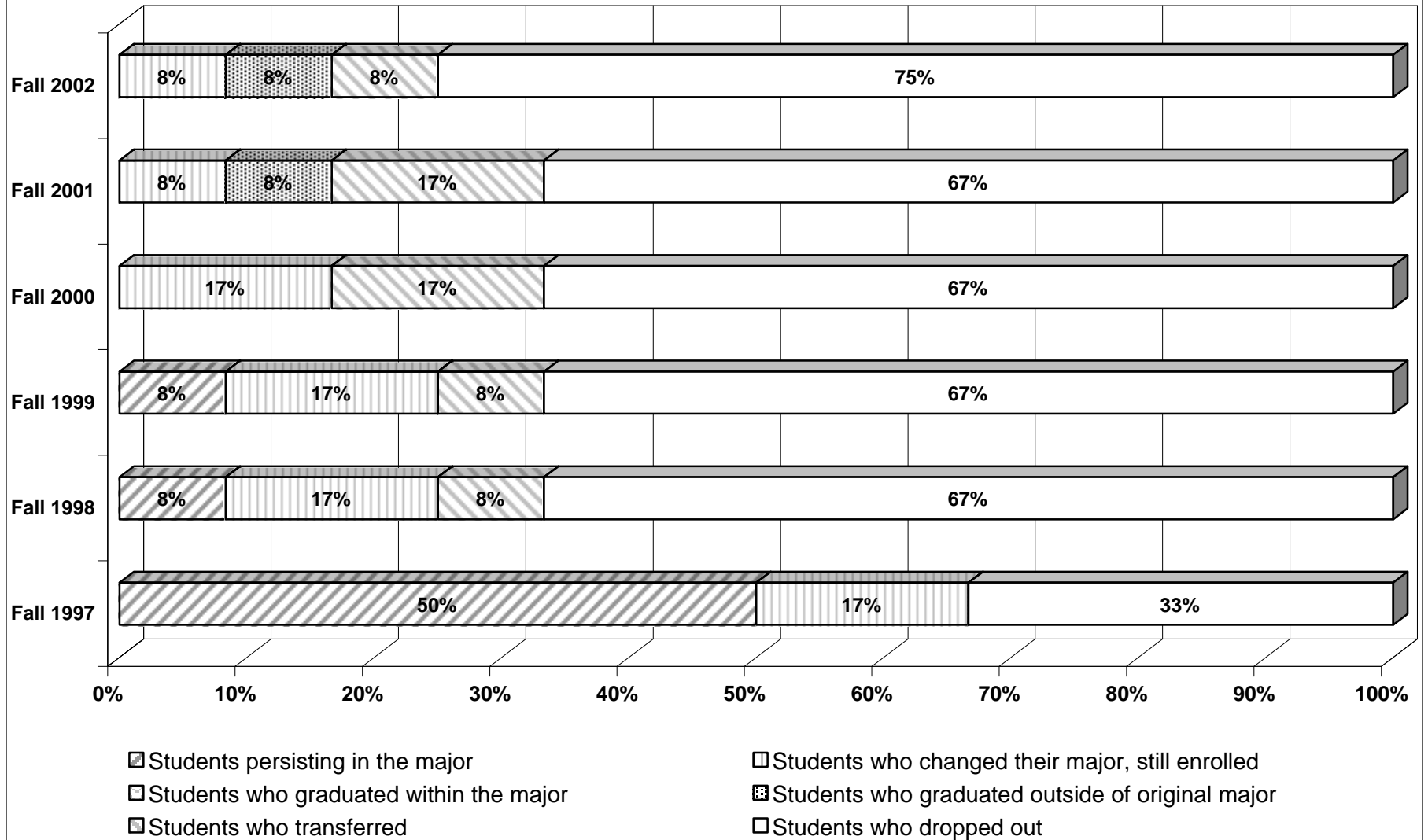
	Fall 1997	Fall 1998	Fall 1999	Fall 2000	Fall 2001	Fall 2002
<b>Students persisting in the major</b>	6	1	1	0	0	0
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	6	1	1	0	0	0
<b>Students who changed their major, still enrolled</b>	2	2	2	2	1	1
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	1	1	1	1	0	1
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	1	1	1	1	1	0
Students who graduated within the major	0	0	0	0	0	0
Students who graduated outside of original major	0	0	0	0	1	1
Students enrolled at another LA Institution	0	1	1	2	2	1
Students who dropped out	4	8	8	8	8	9
<b>Total</b>	12	12	12	12	12	12

Average Time-to-Degree for this major in semesters (2002-2003 graduates)	10.5
Six-year graduation rate for students who persisted in the major	0.0%
Six-year graduation rate for ALL students who started in the major	8.3%

**Comparative Graduation Rates**

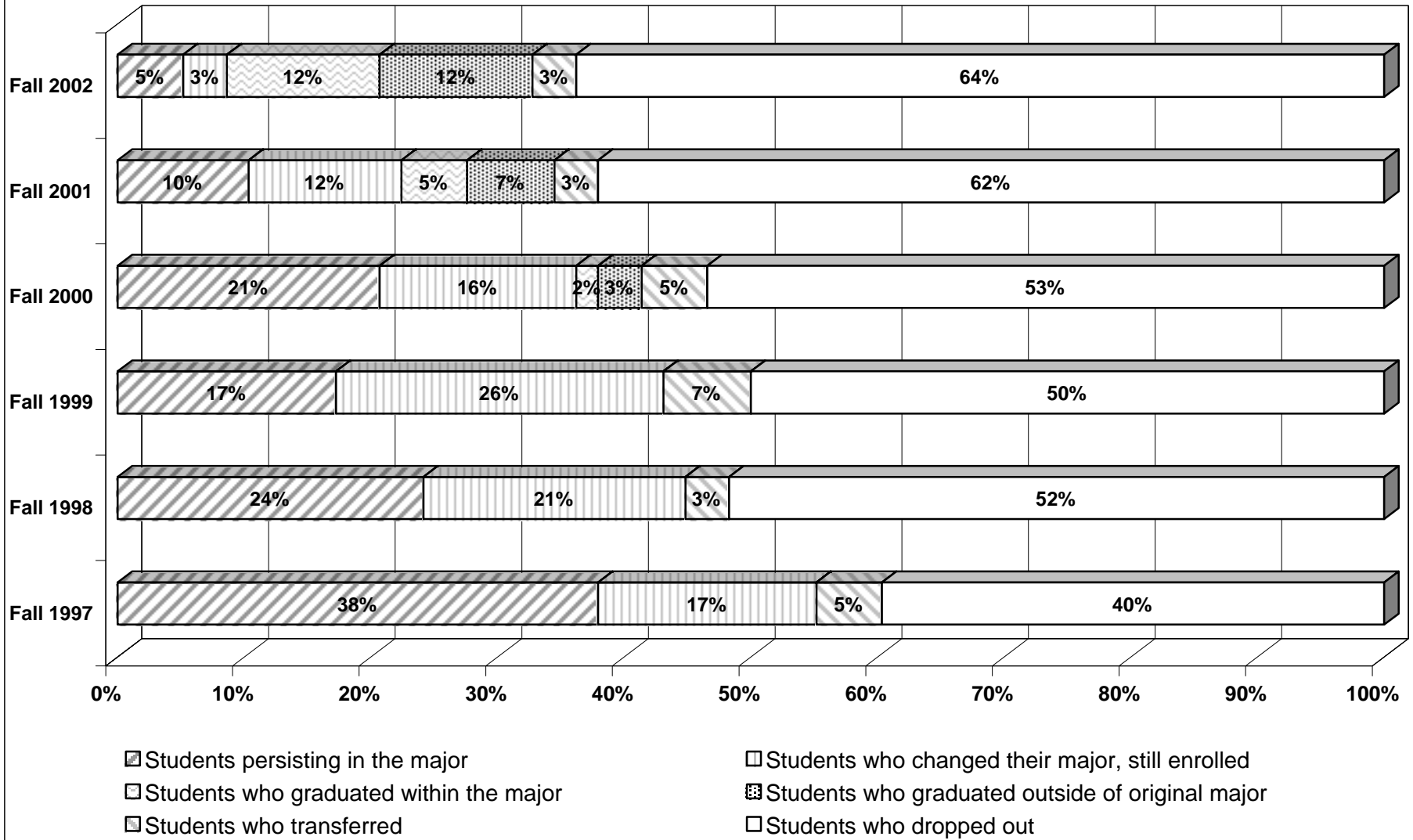
Department graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors	10.0%
College graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors	13.7%
University graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors	9.0%
Overall University graduation rate	23.7%

Department of Industrial Technology  
**Associate Degree in Applied Science, Design Drafter Technology**  
*Fall 1996 Cohort = 12*

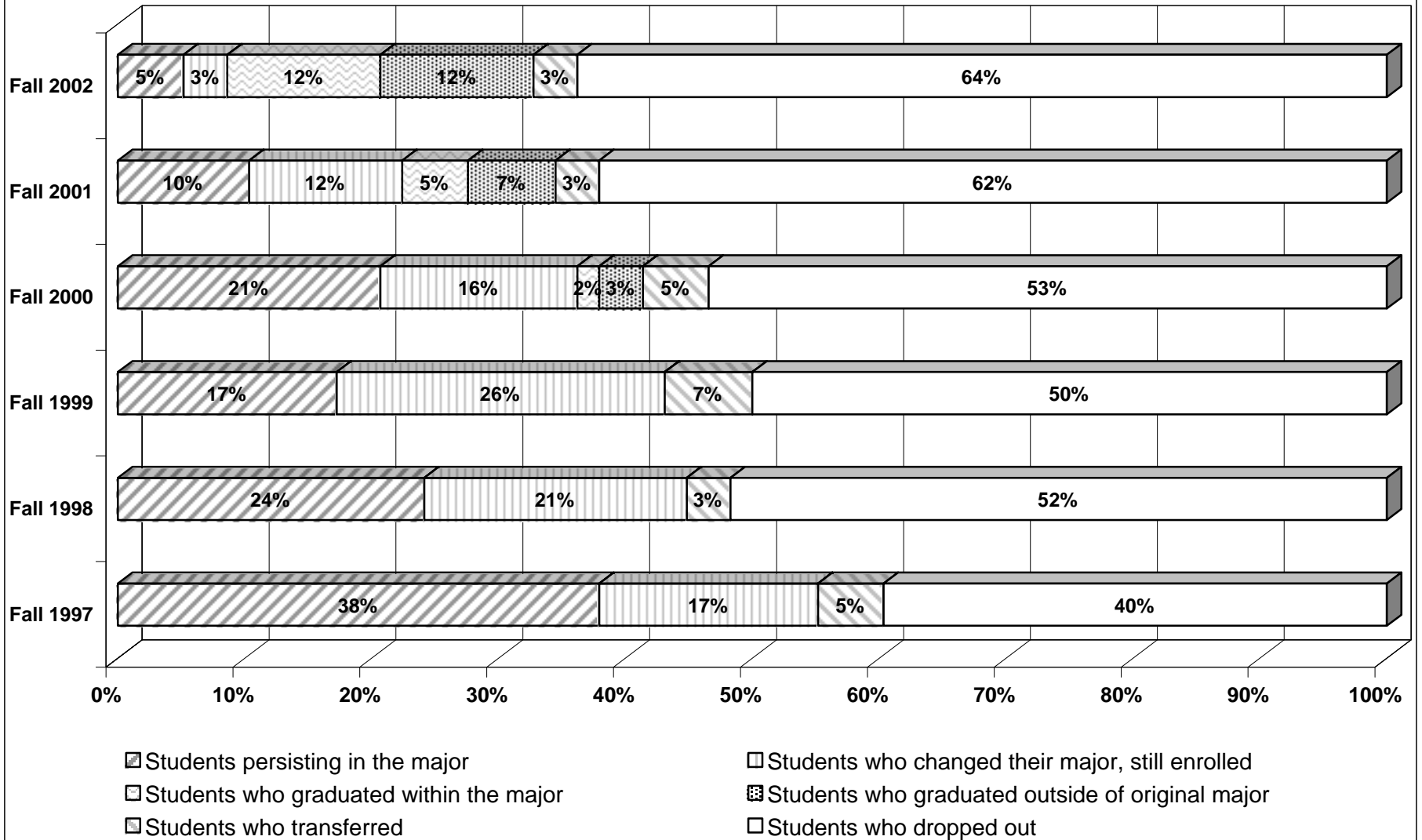




Department of Industrial Technology  
**Bachelor of Science, Industrial Technology**  
*Fall 1996 Cohort = 58*

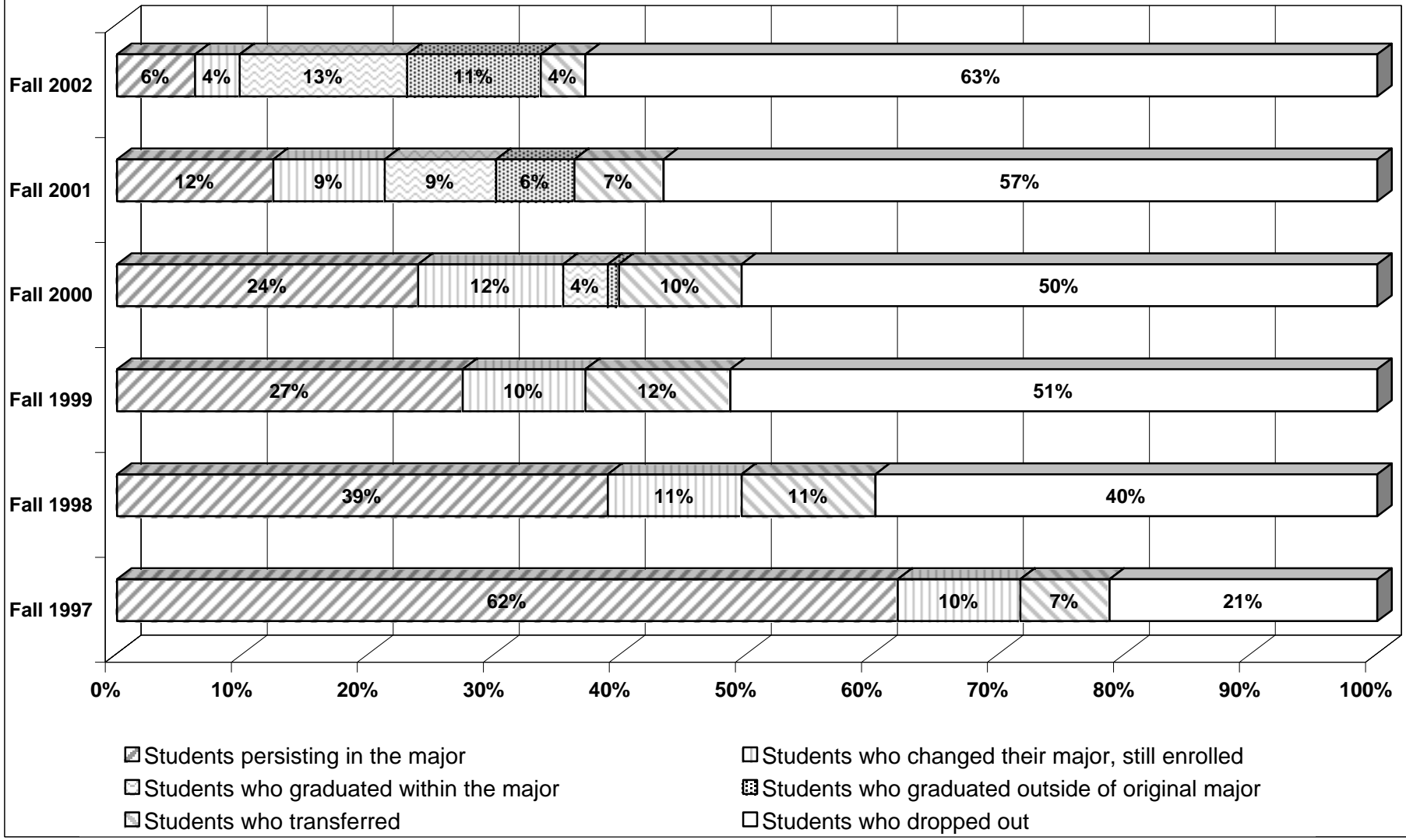


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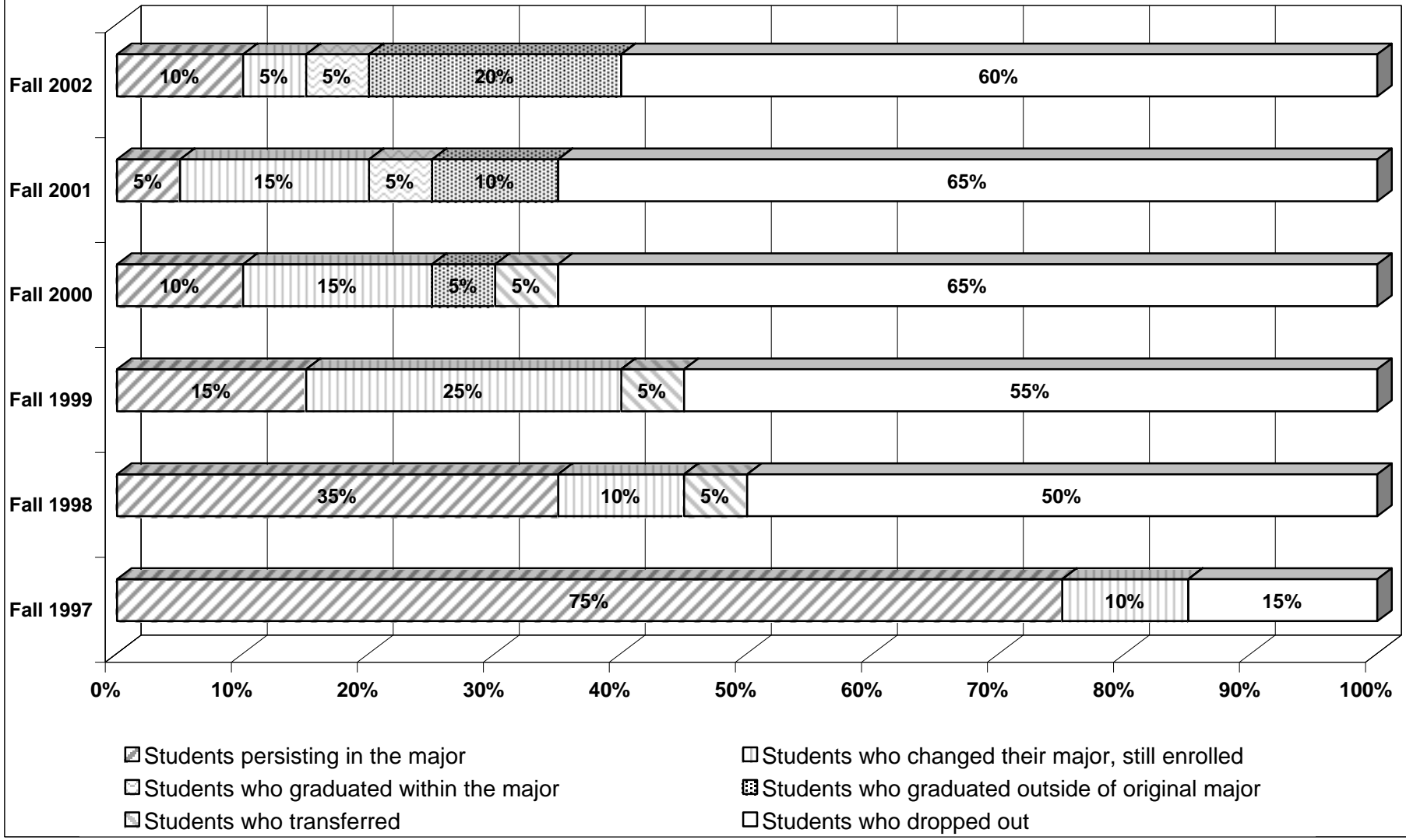


Department of Management  
**Bachelor of Arts, Management**  
*Fall 1996 Cohort = 113*





Department of Marketing and Finance  
**Bachelor of Science, Finance**  
*Fall 1996 Cohort = 20*



College of Business and Technology  
 Department of Marketing and Finance  
**Bachelor of Arts, Marketing**  
**Fall 1996 Cohort = 46**

	Fall 1997	Fall 1998	Fall 1999	Fall 2000	Fall 2001	Fall 2002
<b>Students persisting in the major</b>	28	16	11	5	2	1
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	4	3	3	3	1	1
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	24	13	8	2	1	0
<b>Students who changed their major, still enrolled</b>	4	5	7	9	8	8
Enrolled and progressed to the next student classification	1	0	0	0	4	4
Enrolled and did not progress to the next student classification	3	5	7	9	4	4
Students who graduated within the major	0	0	0	3	6	7
Students who graduated outside of original major	0	0	0	0	0	2
Students enrolled at another LA Institution	5	8	8	8	8	6
Students who dropped out	9	17	20	21	22	22
<b>Total</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>46</b>

Average Time-to-Degree for this major in semesters (2002-2003 graduates)	11.4
Six-year graduation rate for students who persisted in the major	15.2%
Six-year graduation rate for ALL students who started in the major	19.6%

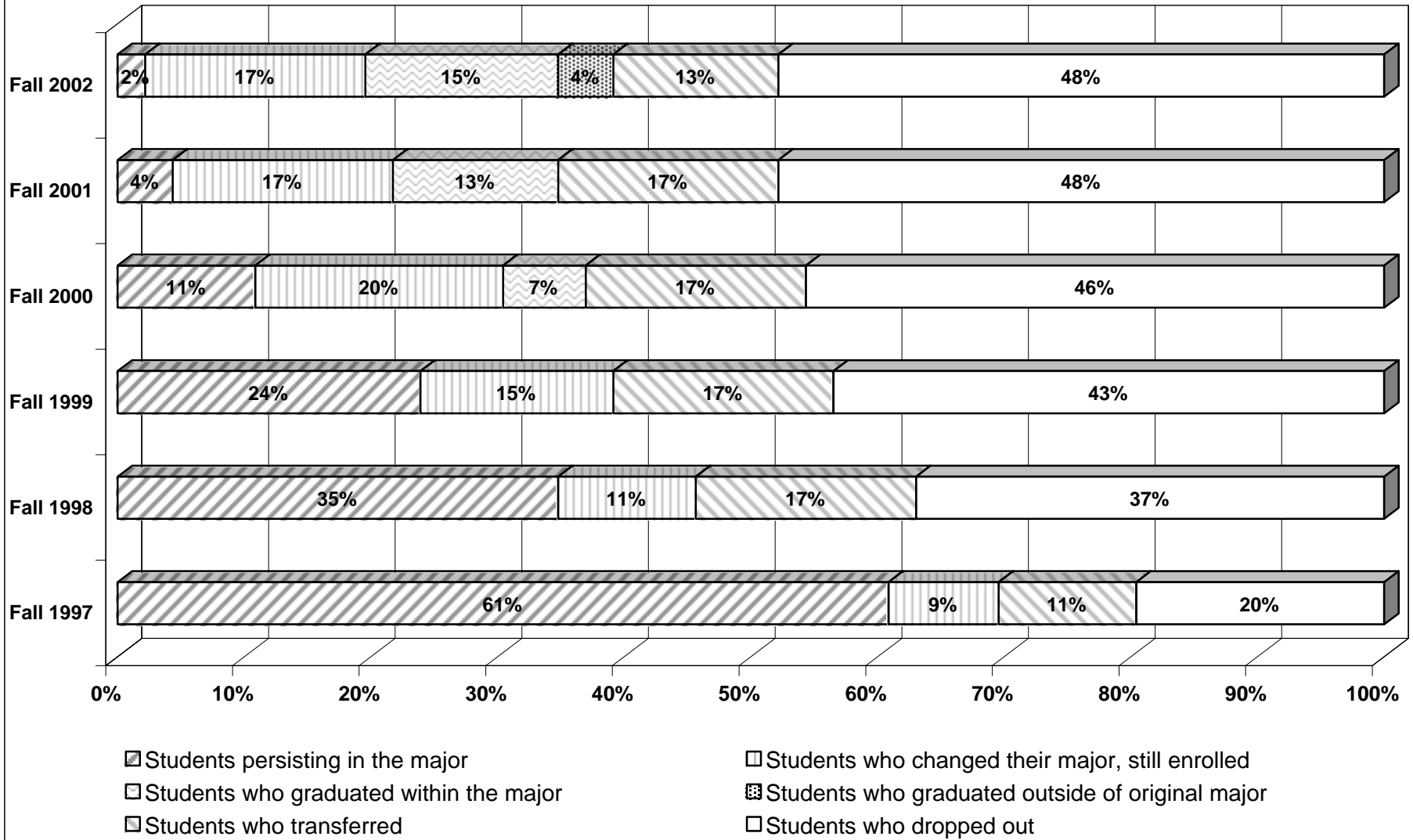
**Comparative Graduation Rates**

Department graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors	12.1%
College graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors	13.7%
University graduation rate for students who persisted in original majors	9.0%
Overall University graduation rate	23.7%

Department of Marketing and Finance

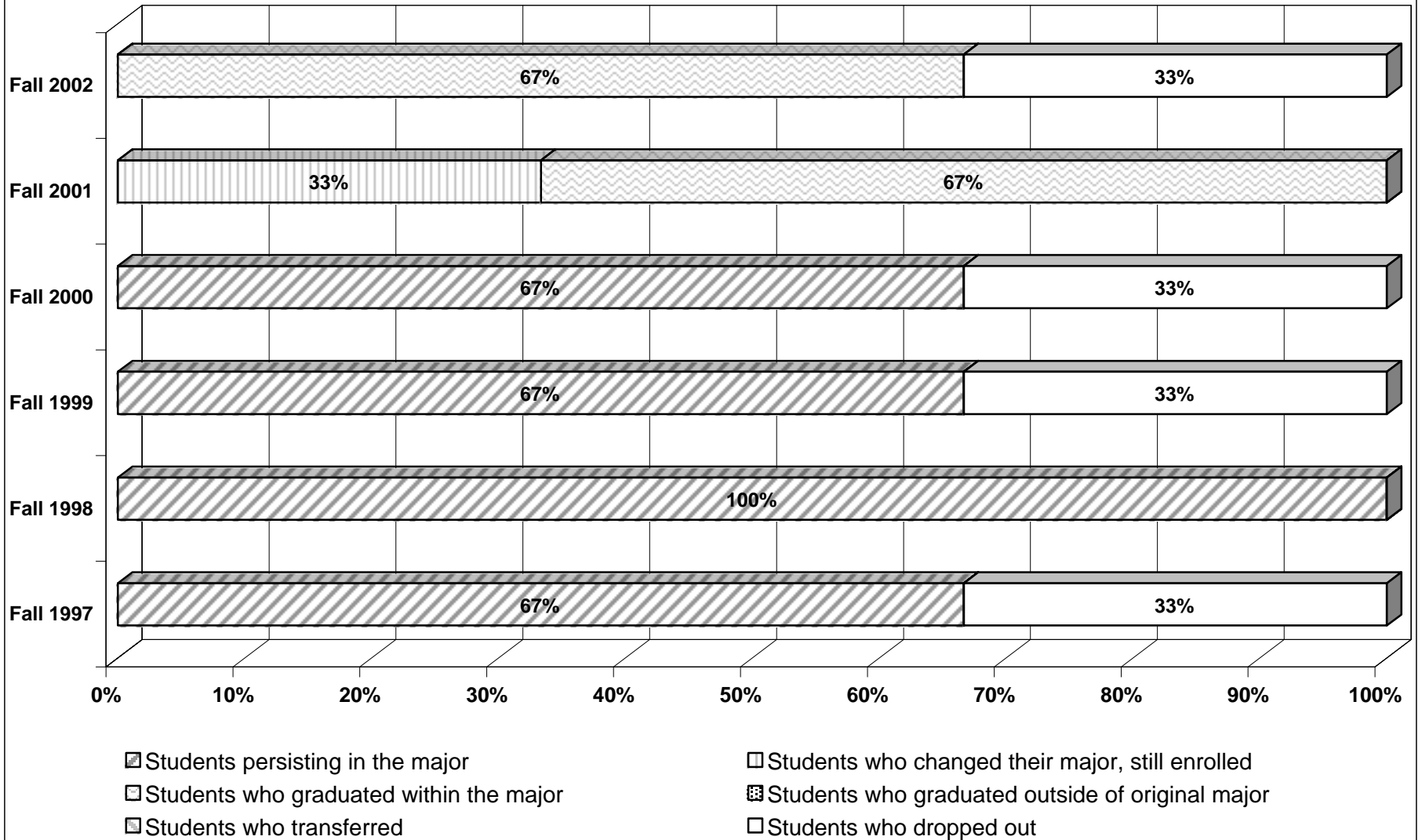
**Bachelor of Arts, Marketing**

*Fall 1996 Cohort = 46*



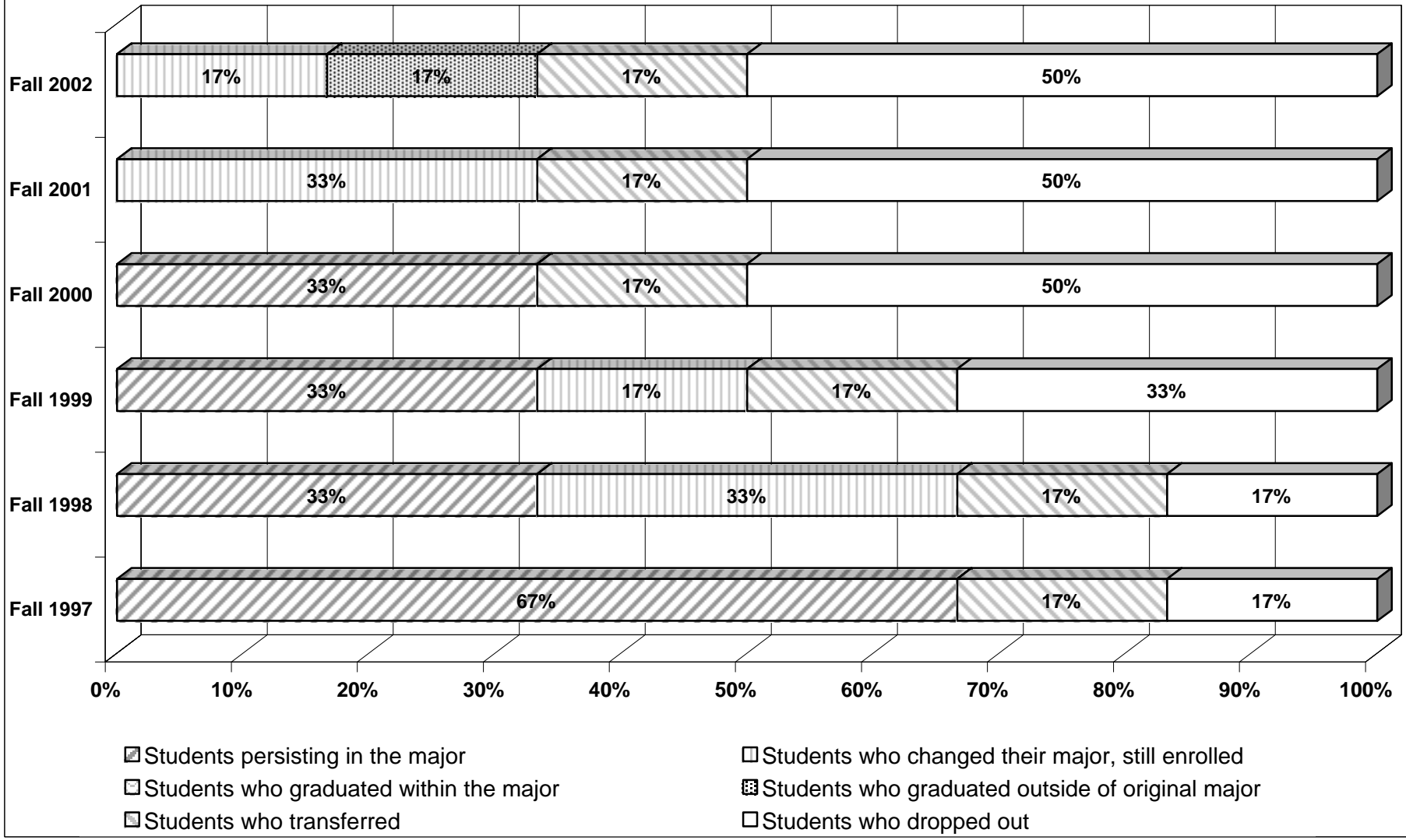


Department of Human Development  
**Bachelor of Science, Consumer Family Services**  
*Fall 1996 Cohort = 3*



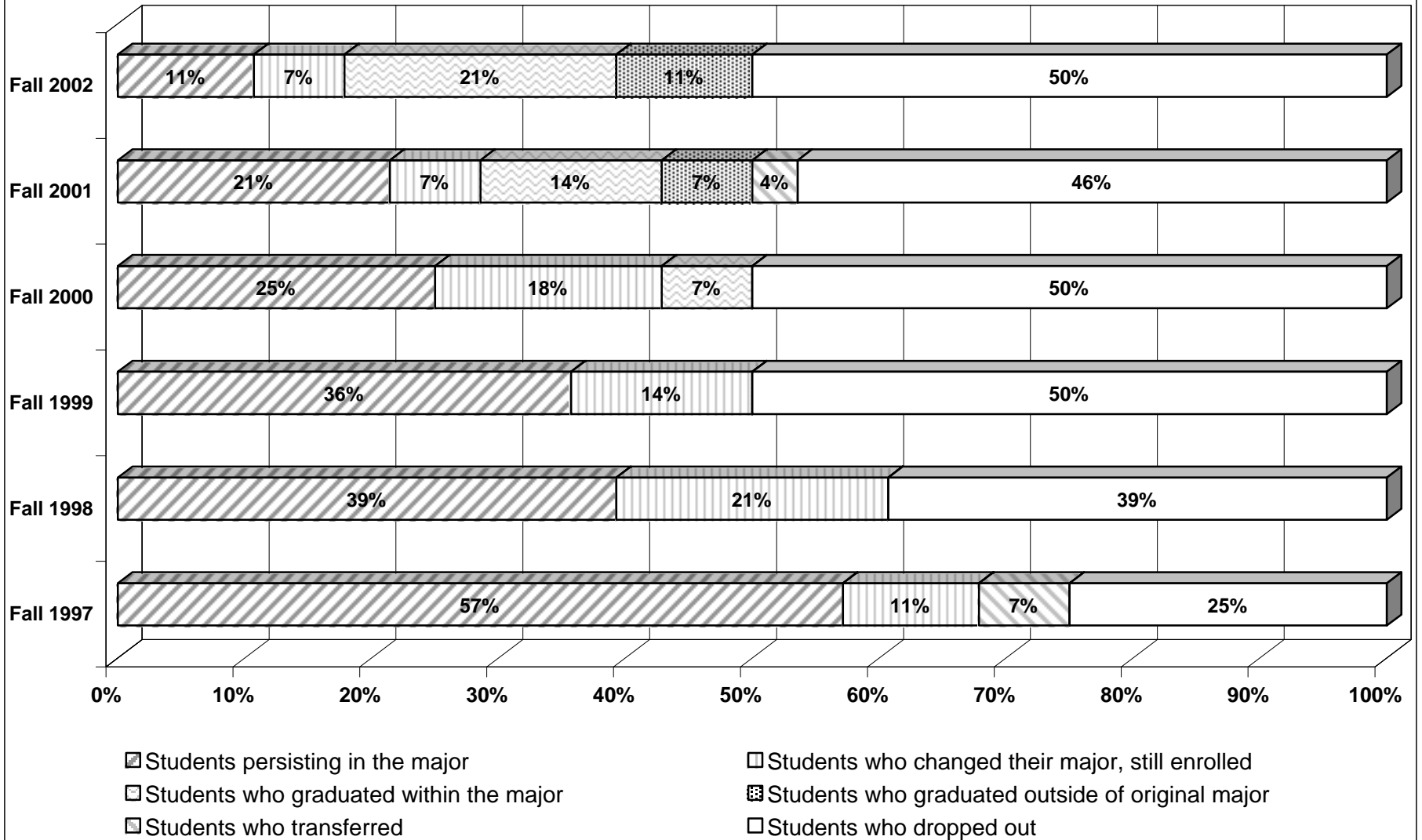


Department of Human Development  
**Bachelor of Science, Fashion Merchandising**  
*Fall 1996 Cohort = 6*



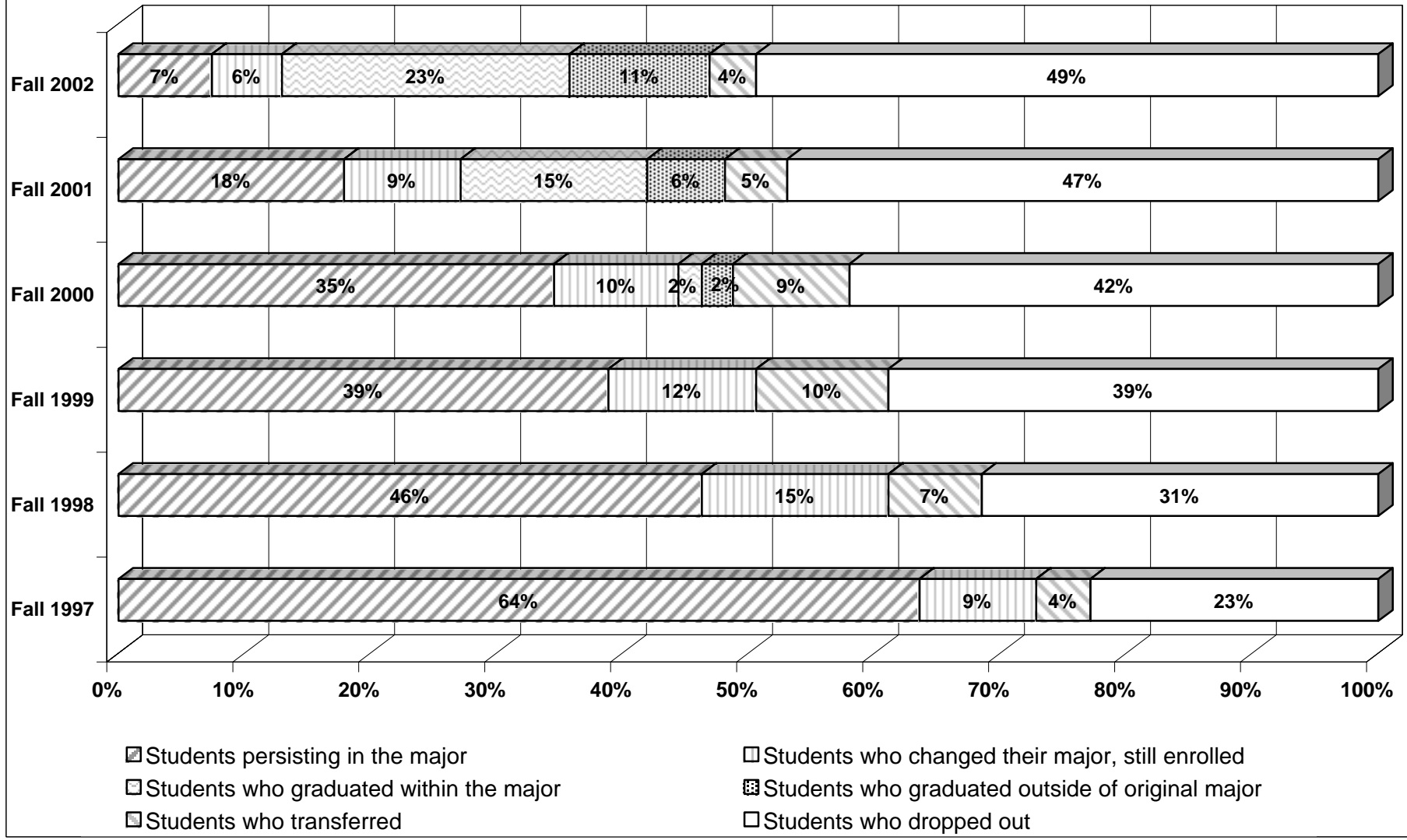


Department of Human Development  
**Bachelor of Arts, Social Work**  
*Fall 1996 Cohort = 28*



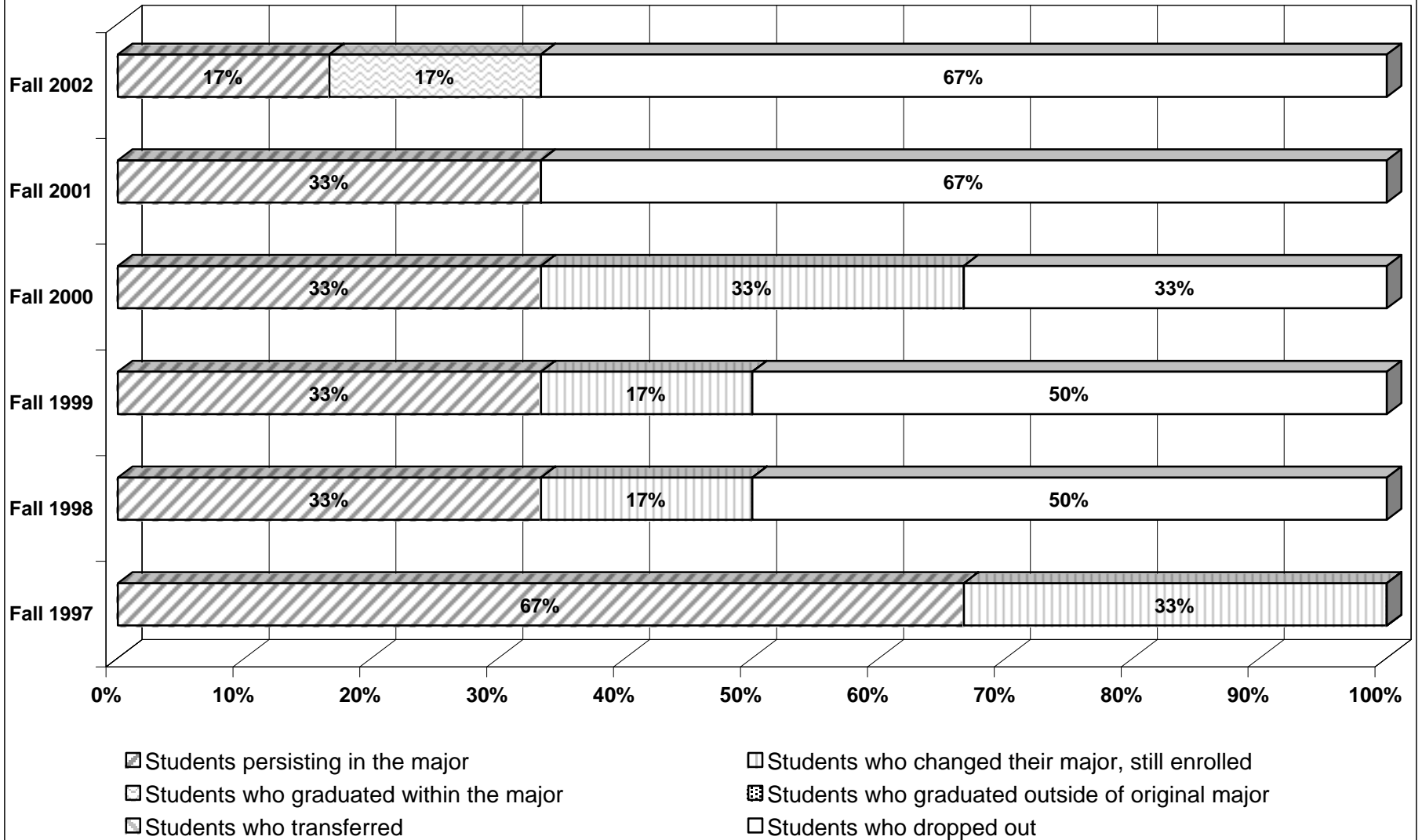


Department of Teaching and Learning  
**Bachelor of Arts, Elementary Education**  
*Fall 1996 Cohort = 162*



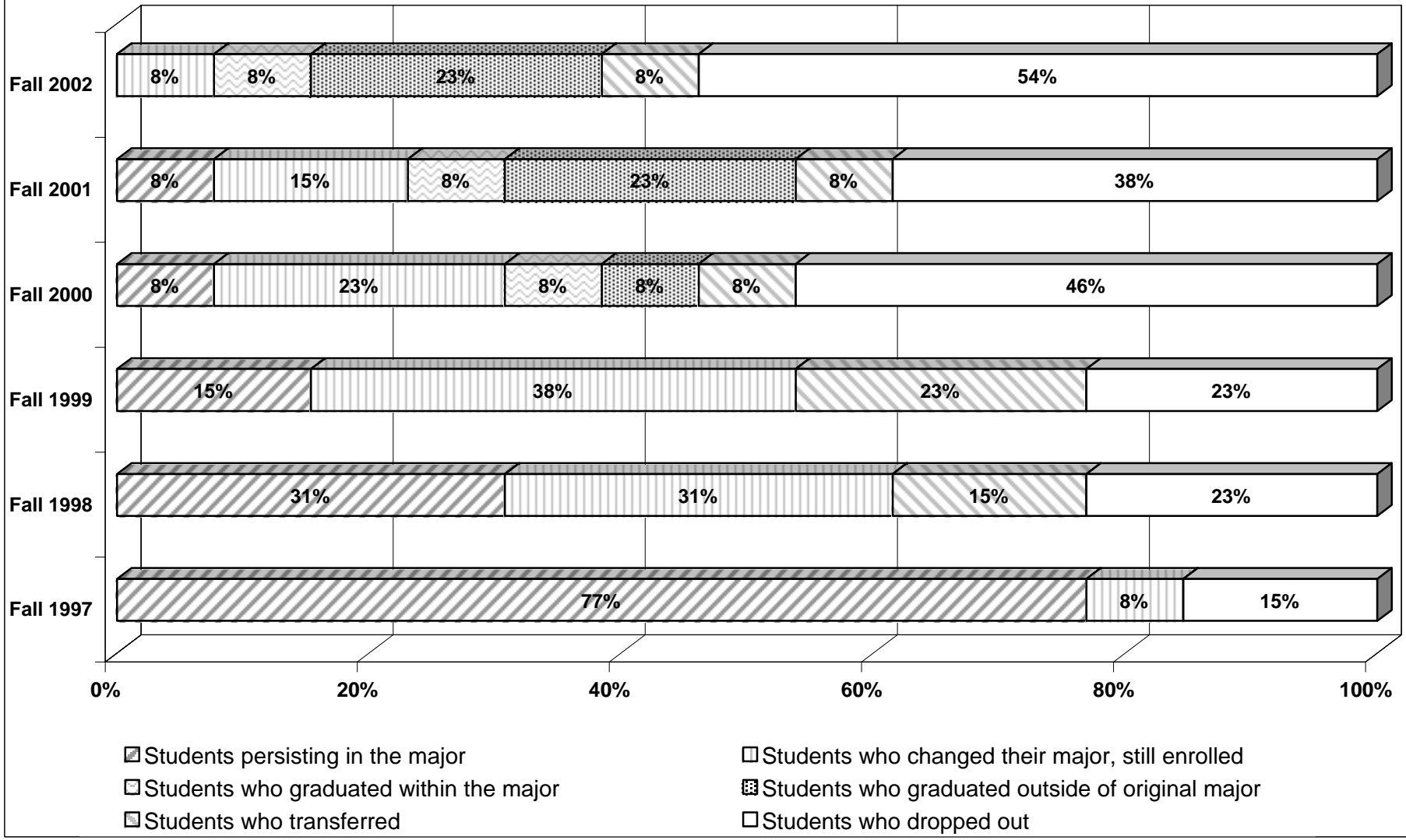


Department of Teaching and Learning  
**Bachelor of Arts, Mild/Moderate Elementary**  
*Fall 1996 Cohort = 6*





Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders  
**Bachelor of Arts, Speech, Language, Hearing**  
*Fall 1996 Cohort = 13*

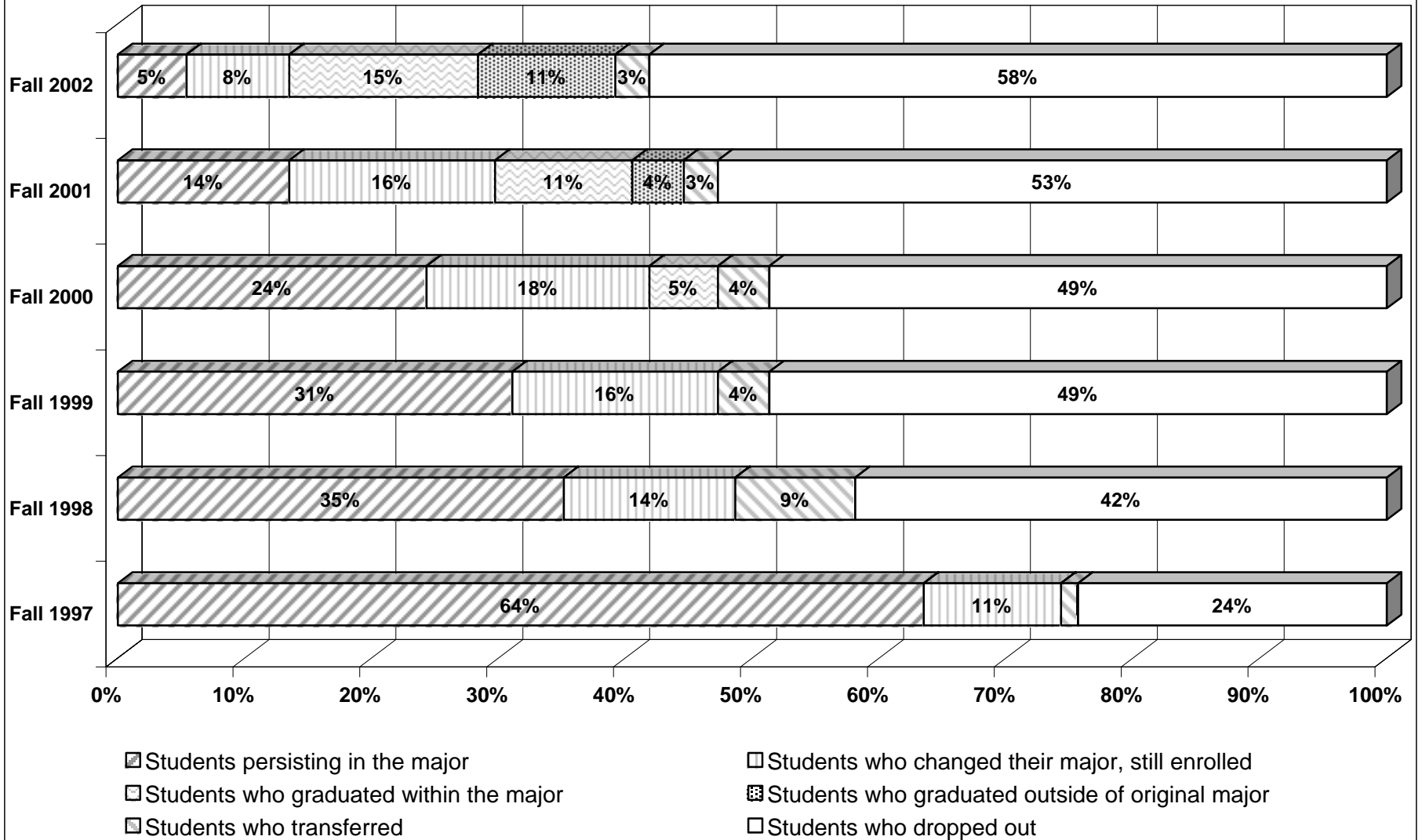




Department of Kinesiology and Health Studies

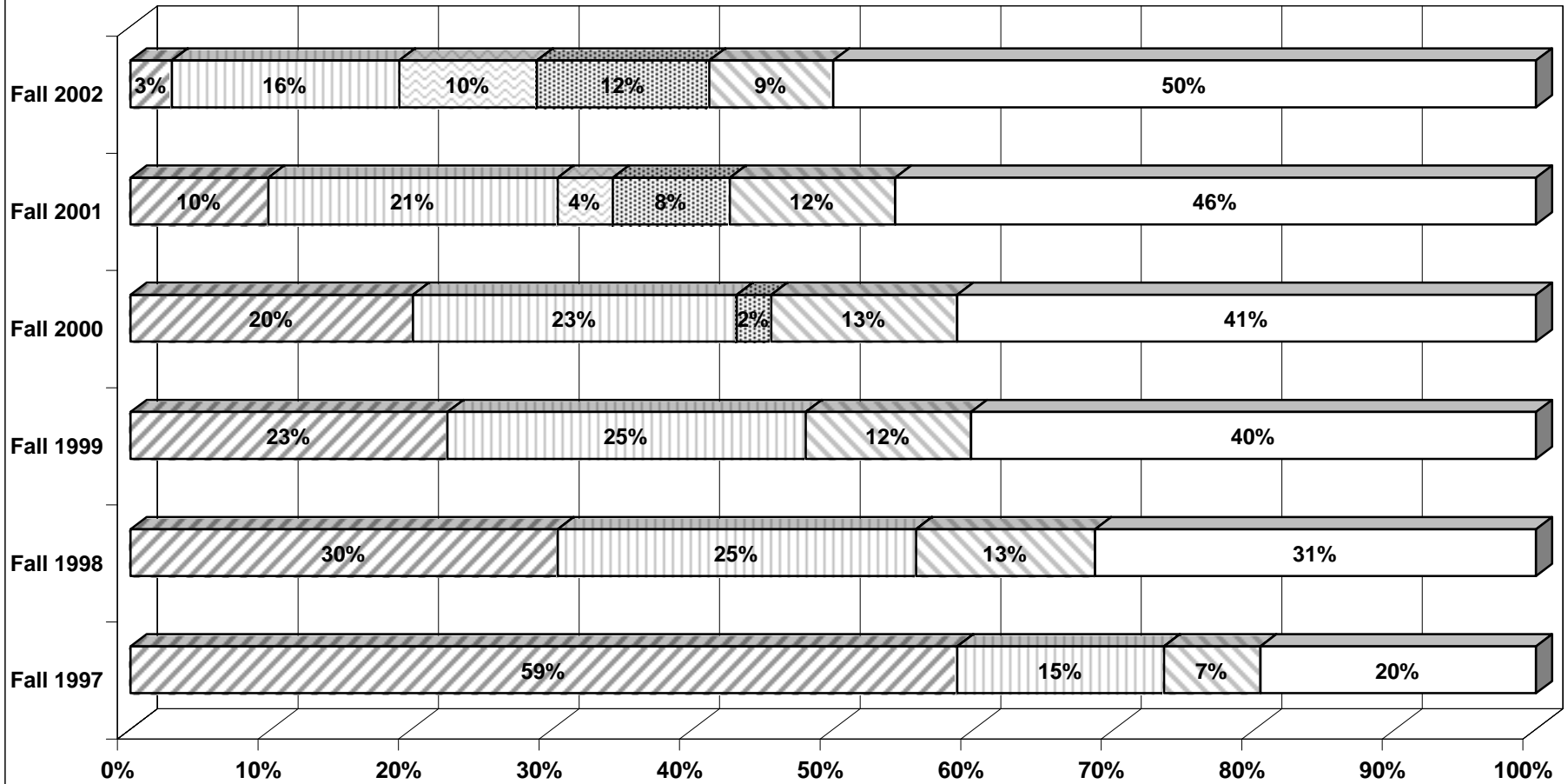
**Bachelor of Arts, Kinesiology**

*Fall 1996 Cohort = 74*





Department of Nursing  
**Bachelor of Science, Nursing**  
*Fall 1996 Cohort = 204*



- Students persisting in the major
- Students who graduated within the major
- Students who transferred
- Students who graduated outside of original major
- Students who changed their major, still enrolled
- Students who dropped out



Department of Nursing  
**Associate of Science, Respiratory Care**  
*Fall 1996 Cohort = 6*

