

**TABLE 4.6
GRADUATION AND CONTINUATION (RETENTION) RATES FOR FULL-TIME, FIRST-TIME
FRESHMAN COHORTS BY SEX**

YEAR ENTERED AND SEX	FT FT FRESHMEN (1ST FALL 100%)	CONTINUATION RATES		CUMULATIVE GRADUATION RATES & CONTINUATION RATES							
		CONTINUED TO: SECOND YEAR	THIRD YEAR	GRADUA- TED IN 3 YRS	CONTIN- UED TO 4TH YR	GRADUA- TED IN 4 YRS	CONTIN- UED TO 5TH YR	GRADUA- TED IN 5 YRS	CONTIN- UED TO 6TH YR	GRADUA- TED IN 6 YRS	CONTIN- UED TO 7TH YR
1992											
FEMALE	530	83.4%	72.8%	0.2%	69.8%	18.5%	49.6%	45.7%	17.4%	54.9%	7.5%
MALE	382	81.7%	68.3%	0.0%	64.4%	11.5%	46.9%	34.6%	18.6%	43.2%	7.6%
TOTAL	913	82.7%	71.5%	0.1%	68.1%	11.6%	49.4%	39.1%	18.1%	49.7%	7.2%
1993											
FEMALE	531	86.1%	76.6%	0.2%	71.2%	21.3%	45.0%	48.0%	17.3%	57.4%	6.6%
MALE	337	81.3%	70.0%	0.0%	63.8%	12.5%	46.9%	38.0%	18.4%	47.8%	7.4%
TOTAL	868	84.2%	74.1%	0.1%	68.3%	17.9%	45.7%	44.1%	17.7%	53.7%	6.9%
1994											
FEMALE	513	85.0%	76.0%	0.2%	71.7%	20.7%	47.8%	52.6%	15.0%	61.4%	6.6%
MALE	359	82.5%	73.3%	0.0%	66.0%	16.4%	45.7%	41.8%	17.5%	51.8%	7.5%
TOTAL	872	83.9%	74.9%	0.1%	69.4%	18.9%	46.9%	48.2%	16.1%	57.5%	7.0%
1995											
FEMALE	651	86.2%	76.0%	0.8%	70.0%	22.6%	47.0%	47.2%	13.7%		
MALE	416	83.7%	72.4%	0.2%	65.6%	16.8%	46.4%	37.3%	14.9%		
TOTAL	1,068	85.1%	74.5%	0.6%	68.3%	20.3%	46.8%	43.3%	14.2%		
1996											
FEMALE	706	85.6%	77.5%	0.6%	73.9%	21.4%	43.2%				
MALE	488	81.1%	70.7%	0.4%	65.6%	9.4%	47.5%				
TOTAL	1,194	83.8%	74.7%	0.5%	70.5%	16.5%	45.0%				
1997											
FEMALE	708	83.9%	73.0%	0.4%	68.5%						
MALE	439	82.9%	73.1%	0.2%	66.1%						
TOTAL	1,147	83.5%	73.0%	0.3%	67.6%						
1998											
FEMALE	662	83.1%	76.6%								
MALE	445	78.0%	66.5%								
TOTAL	1,108	81.0%	72.5%								
1999											
FEMALE	827	85.9%									
MALE	510	78.4%									
TOTAL	1,337	83.0%									

Includes students who graduated prior to September. Therefore, students who graduate in January are considered graduating in five years.

Graduation rates are cumulative; thus, the most recent graduation rate includes those who graduated in prior semesters.

Totals include all students while subsets may have missing information; therefore, subset numbers may not add to the total.

Source: Institutional Research Office; Fall 1992-Fall 1997 cohorts are reconstructed from SURE enrollment files. Fall 1998-Fall 1999 are constructed from the fall semester frozen extract files.