

TABLE 4.4
GRADUATION AND CONTINUATION (RETENTION) RATES FOR FULL-TIME, FIRST-TIME FRESHMAN COHORTS

YEAR COHORT ENTERED	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
1993	868	84.2%	74.1%	0.1%	68.3%	17.9%	45.7%	44.1%	17.7%	53.7%	6.9%
1994	872	83.9%	74.9%	0.1%	69.4%	19.4%	46.9%	48.2%	16.1%	57.5%	7.0%
1995	1,068	85.1%	74.5%	0.6%	68.3%	20.3%	46.8%	43.3%	14.2%	56.2%	6.6%
1996	1,194	83.8%	74.7%	0.5%	70.5%	16.5%	45.0%	47.5%	16.0%		
1997	1,147	83.5%	73.1%	0.3%	67.6%	20.1%	44.5%				
1998	1,108	81.0%	72.5%	0.6%	67.1%						
1999	1,337	83.0%	72.8%								
2000	1,332	82.0%									

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.

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