TABLE 4.7
RETENTION AND GRADUATION RATES FOR FULL-TIME, FIRST TIME FRESHMAN COHORTS
BY ADMISSIONS TYPE, FALL 1994 TO FALL 2005 [1]

YEAR & ADMIT TYPE	NUMBER IN ENTERING COHORT	RETENTION RATES PERCENT RETAINED TO SECOND YEAR	THIRD YEAR	FOURTH YEAR	PERCENT GRADUATED 4 YEARS	PERCENT RETAINED TO 5TH YEAR	PERCENT GRADUATED 5 YEARS	PERCENT RETAINED TO 6TH YEAR	PERCENT GRADUATED 6 YEARS	PERCENT RETAINED TO 7TH YEAR
1994	**872**	**83.6%**	**74.5%**	**69.4%**	**19.4%**	**47.7%**	**48.2%**	**19.0%**	**57.0%**	**10.1%**
Regular	629	84.4%	77.4%	73.6%	24.2%	48.6%	56.9%	17.0%	64.4%	9.9%
EOF	128	85.2%	69.5%	60.2%	5.5%	46.9%	25.8%	28.1%	36.7%	13.3%
Special	115	77.4%	64.3%	56.5%	8.7%	43.5%	25.2%	20.0%	39.1%	7.8%
1995	**1,068**	**85.3%**	**74.5%**	**68.2%**	**20.3%**	**48.4%**	**48.3%**	**17.5%**	**56.1%**	**11.3%**
Regular	805	85.1%	75.4%	70.4%	24.2%	47.6%	53.8%	16.1%	61.2%	9.8%
EOF	137	89.1%	75.2%	62.0%	9.5%	51.1%	32.1%	21.2%	42.3%	16.8%
Special	126	82.5%	68.3%	60.3%	7.1%	50.8%	31.0%	22.2%	38.1%	15.1%
1996	**1,194**	**83.8%**	**74.7%**	**70.8%**	**20.4%**	**46.4%**	**47.5%**	**18.8%**	**56.1%**	**10.4%**
Regular	907	84.8%	76.0%	72.4%	23.4%	47.3%	52.6%	17.8%	61.3%	10.3%
EOF	144	84.7%	70.8%	65.3%	11.1%	44.4%	30.6%	20.8%	38.9%	9.7%
Special	143	76.9%	70.6%	65.7%	9.8%	42.7%	31.5%	23.8%	39.9%	11.9%
1997	**1,148**	**83.8%**	**73.2%**	**67.6%**	**20.0%**	**46.3%**	**48.1%**	**18.1%**	**55.9%**	**9.8%**
Regular	867	85.8%	75.5%	69.9%	22.7%	46.6%	51.9%	18.1%	60.0%	9.5%
EOF	141	82.3%	68.1%	64.5%	13.5%	50.4%	39.7%	22.0%	46.8%	11.3%
Special	140	72.9%	63.6%	56.4%	10.0%	40.0%	32.9%	14.3%	40.0%	10.0%
1998	**1,106**	**82.0%**	**73.3%**	**67.8%**	**22.9%**	**44.4%**	**50.2%**	**15.6%**	**57.1%**	**9.4%**
Regular	804	82.0%	73.8%	69.4%	26.9%	42.5%	54.2%	14.3%	60.1%	9.5%
EOF	145	85.5%	75.9%	64.8%	13.1%	51.0%	42.1%	17.9%	49.7%	9.7%
Special	157	79.0%	68.8%	62.4%	11.5%	47.8%	36.9%	19.7%	48.4%	8.9%
1999	**1,319**	**83.4%**	**73.2%**	**69.6%**	**23.4%**	**46.1%**	**50.4%**	**17.4%**	**58.3%**	**10.0%**
Regular	920	82.8%	73.3%	69.5%	26.5%	45.3%	54.5%	15.8%	60.5%	10.0%
EOF	181	90.1%	79.6%	80.7%	18.8%	53.6%	48.6%	24.3%	60.8%	12.7%
Special	218	80.3%	67.9%	61.0%	13.8%	43.1%	34.9%	18.8%	46.8%	7.8%
2000	**1,324**	**82.6%**	**72.1%**	**67.9%**	**26.5%**	**42.4%**	**52.6%**	**14.9%**	**59.3%**	**8.8%**
Regular	1,000	83.6%	74.1%	70.0%	29.7%	42.7%	56.4%	14.2%	62.3%	9.1%
EOF	139	87.1%	77.0%	71.2%	24.5%	46.0%	52.5%	19.4%	62.6%	8.6%
Special	185	73.5%	57.8%	54.1%	10.8%	37.8%	31.9%	15.1%	40.5%	7.6%
2001	**1,378**	**84.3%**	**74.7%**	**70.2%**	**26.9%**	**43.3%**	**53.8%**	**16.4%**		
Regular	1,091	84.5%	75.3%	70.8%	29.6%	41.5%	55.5%	16.2%		
EOF	131	88.5%	77.9%	71.0%	17.6%	51.9%	49.6%	15.3%		
Special	156	79.5%	68.6%	65.4%	16.0%	48.7%	46.2%	18.6%		
2002	**1,470**	**81.6%**	**73.5%**	**68.6%**	**27.3%**	**41.0%**				
Regular	1,171	81.6%	74.1%	69.1%	29.5%	40.1%				
EOF	145	87.6%	77.9%	71.0%	21.4%	46.2%				
Special	154	76.0%	64.3%	62.3%	16.2%	43.5%				
2003	**1,595**	**84.3%**	**72.9%**	**67.6%**						
Regular	1,348	84.1%	73.2%	67.6%						
EOF	136	89.0%	74.3%	71.3%						
Special	111	80.2%	67.6%	64.0%						
2004	**1,738**	**82.2%**	**71.0%**							
Regular	1,488	82.7%	71.8%							
EOF	154	81.8%	68.2%							
Special	96	76.0%	62.5%							
2005	**1,868**	**81.0%**								
Regular	1,612	81.4%								
EOF	148	83.1%								
Special	108	73.1%								

[1] Sources: SURE/IPEDS Enrollment and Degree files.