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# 1 High School Graduates

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The following displays present data first on all high school graduates from both public and private high schools in California and regionally within the state, then all graduates from public high schools only, followed by data on public high school graduates differentiated by ethnicity. Data is also provided on high school graduates who have completed the (“A through G”) sequence of college preparatory high school courses required for admission eligibility at the University of California and the California State University.

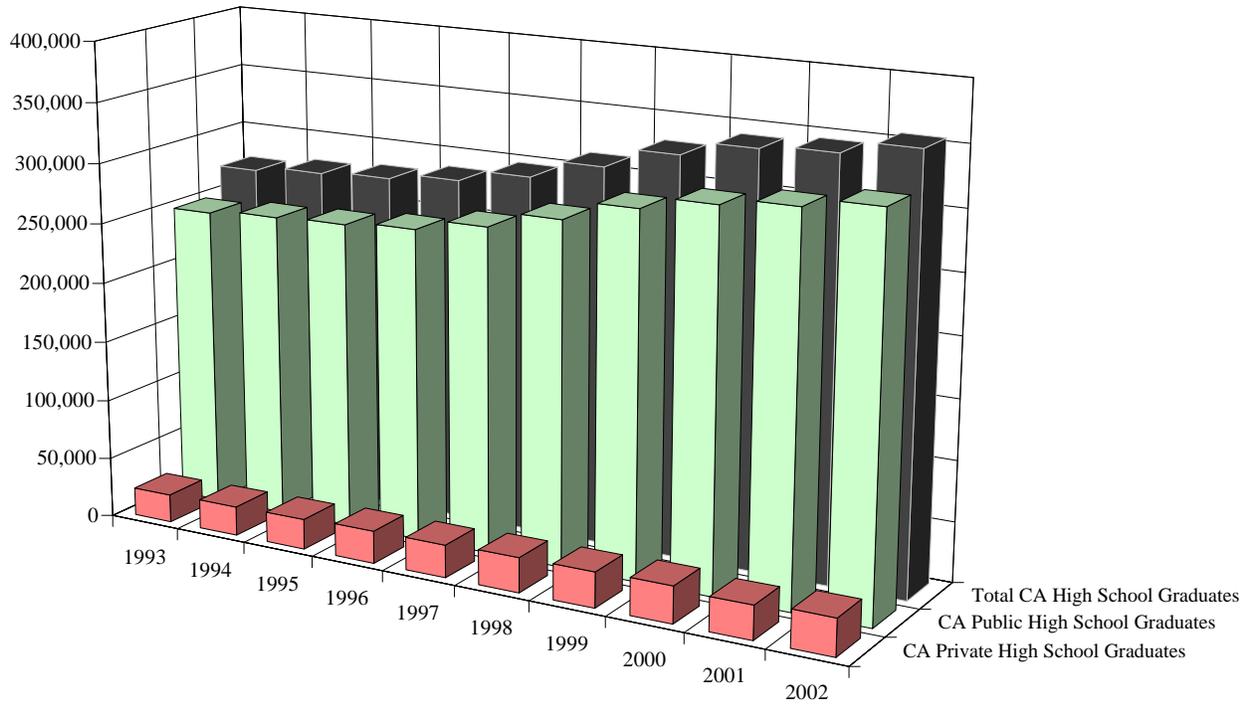
## *California High School Graduates*

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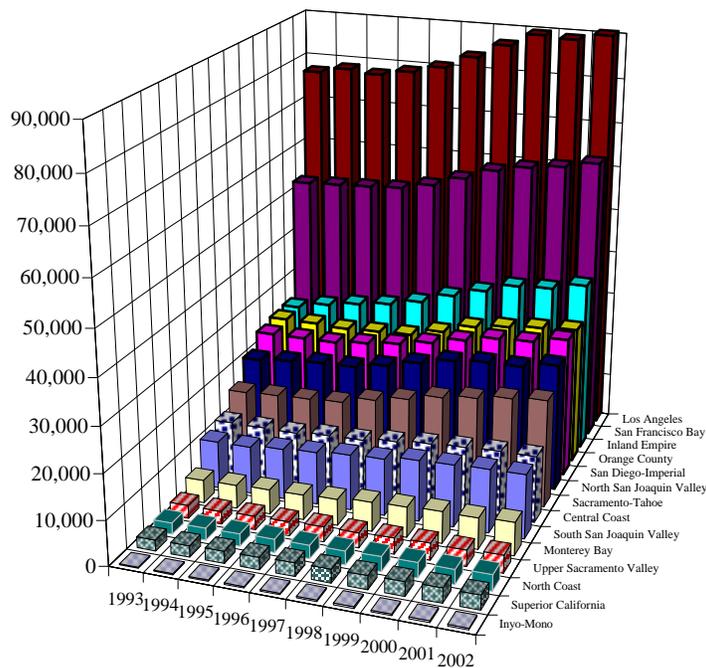
All California Public and Private High School Graduates, 1993 to 2002



Year	Total CA High School Graduates	CA Public High School Graduates	CA Private High School Graduates
1993	272,800	249,320	23,480
1994	277,384	253,083	24,301
1995	280,352	255,200	25,152
1996	286,069	259,071	26,998
1997	296,281	269,071	27,210
1998	311,732	282,897	28,835
1999	328,615	299,221	29,394
2000	340,462	309,866	30,596
2001	344,217	316,124	28,093
2002	354,576	323,786	30,790

Note: See Section 6, Profile 6-5, for data by county and by region within the state.

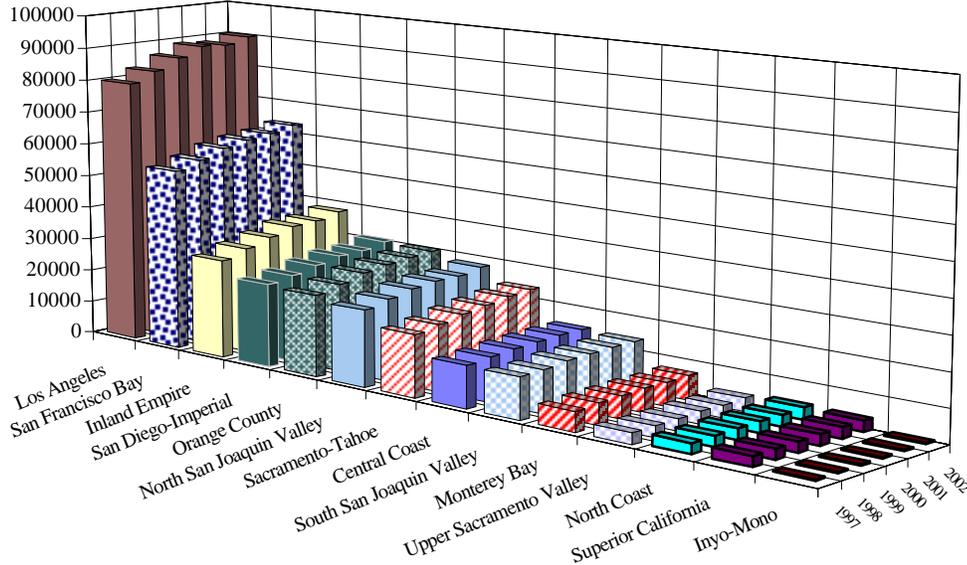
Total California Public and Private High School Graduates by Region, 1993 to 2002



Region	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
North Coast	2,552	2,705	2,796	2,979	2,992	3,138	3,279	3,381	3,325	3,587
Superior California	2,402	2,518	2,680	2,736	2,992	2,995	3,052	3,166	3,272	3,227
Upper Sacramento Valley	2,882	2,855	3,093	3,183	3,358	3,379	3,546	3,798	3,694	3,970
Sacramento-Tahoe	16,011	16,343	16,648	17,017	18,598	19,888	21,413	22,382	23,451	24,114
San Francisco Bay	52,241	52,608	52,968	53,401	54,854	57,166	59,714	61,145	62,058	63,579
Monterey Bay	5,144	5,267	5,513	5,608	5,915	6,546	6,760	7,069	7,004	7,362
Central Coast	11,948	11,913	11,833	12,431	12,599	13,395	14,073	14,512	14,830	14,890
North San Joaquin Valley	20,053	20,743	21,384	21,568	22,877	24,542	26,081	26,864	26,963	28,279
South San Joaquin Valley	10,634	10,641	11,394	11,833	12,442	12,786	13,690	13,902	14,200	14,284
Inyo-Mono	238	239	302	314	323	331	373	321	421	367
Los Angeles	76,605	77,883	77,206	78,431	80,072	82,953	86,168	88,994	88,542	90,303
Orange County	24,194	24,223	23,907	24,230	24,506	26,202	28,336	29,311	30,094	30,652
Inland Empire	24,507	26,019	27,171	28,106	29,636	32,037	34,106	36,192	36,605	38,168
San Diego-Imperial	23,389	23,427	23,457	24,232	25,116	26,374	28,018	29,425	29,758	31,185
<b>STATEWIDE TOTAL</b>	<b>272,800</b>	<b>277,384</b>	<b>280,352</b>	<b>286,069</b>	<b>296,280</b>	<b>311,732</b>	<b>328,609</b>	<b>340,462</b>	<b>344,217</b>	<b>353,967</b>

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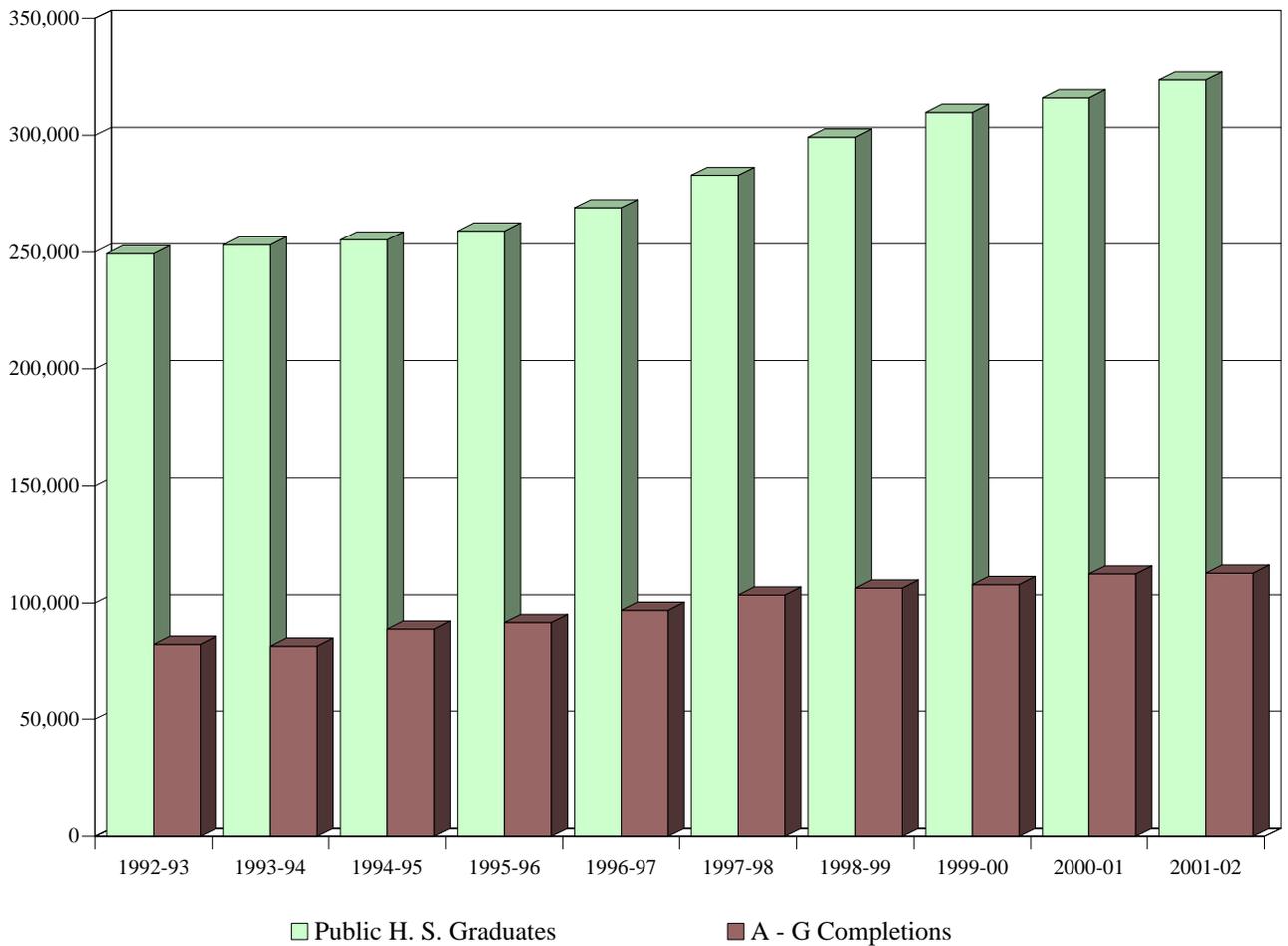
Total Public and Private High School Graduates by Region,  
1997 Through 2002



Region	1997		1998		1999		2000		2001		2002	
North Coast	2,992	1.0	3,138	1.0	3,279	1.0	3,381	1.0	3,325	1.0	3,587	1.0
Superior California	2,992	1.0	2,995	1.0	3,052	0.9	3,166	0.9	3,272	1.0	3,227	0.9
Upper Sacramento Valley	3,358	1.1	3,379	1.1	3,546	1.1	3,798	1.1	3,694	1.1	3,970	1.1
Sacramento-Tahoe	18,598	6.3	19,888	6.4	21,413	6.5	22,382	6.6	23,451	6.8	24,114	6.8
San Francisco Bay	54,854	18.5	57,166	18.3	59,714	18.2	61,145	18.0	62,058	18.0	63,579	18.0
Monterey Bay	5,915	2.0	6,546	2.1	6,760	2.1	7,069	2.1	7,004	2.0	7,362	2.1
Central Coast	12,599	4.3	13,395	4.3	14,073	4.3	14,512	4.3	14,830	4.3	14,890	4.2
North San Joaquin Valley	22,877	7.7	24,542	7.9	26,081	7.9	26,864	7.9	26,963	7.8	28,279	8.0
South San Joaquin Valley	12,442	4.2	12,786	4.1	13,690	4.2	13,902	4.1	14,200	4.1	14,284	4.0
Inyo-Mono	323	0.1	331	0.1	373	0.1	321	0.1	421	0.1	367	0.1
Los Angeles	80,072	27.0	82,953	26.6	86,168	26.2	88,994	26.1	88,542	25.7	90,303	25.5
Orange County	24,506	8.3	26,202	8.4	28,336	8.6	29,311	8.6	30,094	8.7	30,652	8.7
Inland Empire	29,636	10.0	32,037	10.3	34,106	10.4	36,192	10.6	36,605	10.6	38,168	10.8
San Diego-Imperial	25,116	8.5	26,374	8.5	28,018	8.5	29,425	8.6	29,758	8.6	31,185	8.8
<b>STATEWIDE TOTAL</b>	<b>296,280</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>311,732</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>328,609</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>340,462</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>344,217</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>353,967</b>	<b>100.0</b>

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'A - G' Completion Rates of Public High School Graduates,  
1992-93 through 2001-02

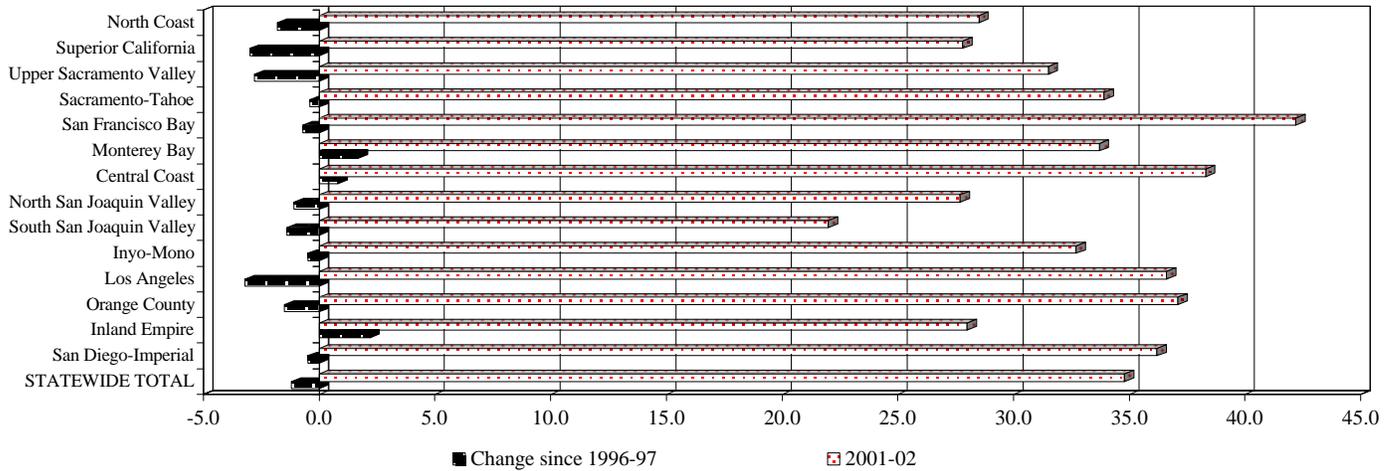


'A - G' Completion Rates of Public High School Graduates,  
1992-93 through 2001-02

	1992-93	1993-94	1994-95	1995-96	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02
Public H. S. Graduates	249,320	253,083	255,200	259,071	269,071	282,897	299,221	309,866	316,124	323,786
A - G Completions	82,419	81,565	88,945	91,698	96,879	103,421	106,441	107,926	112,469	112,775
<b>Percent of Total</b>	<b>33.1</b>	<b>32.2</b>	<b>34.9</b>	<b>35.4</b>	<b>36.0</b>	<b>36.6</b>	<b>35.6</b>	<b>34.8</b>	<b>35.6</b>	<b>34.8</b>

"A - G" Completion Rates of Public High School Graduates by Region,  
1996-97 through 2001-02

2001-02 'A-F' Completion Rates by Region and Percentage Point Change Since 1996-97

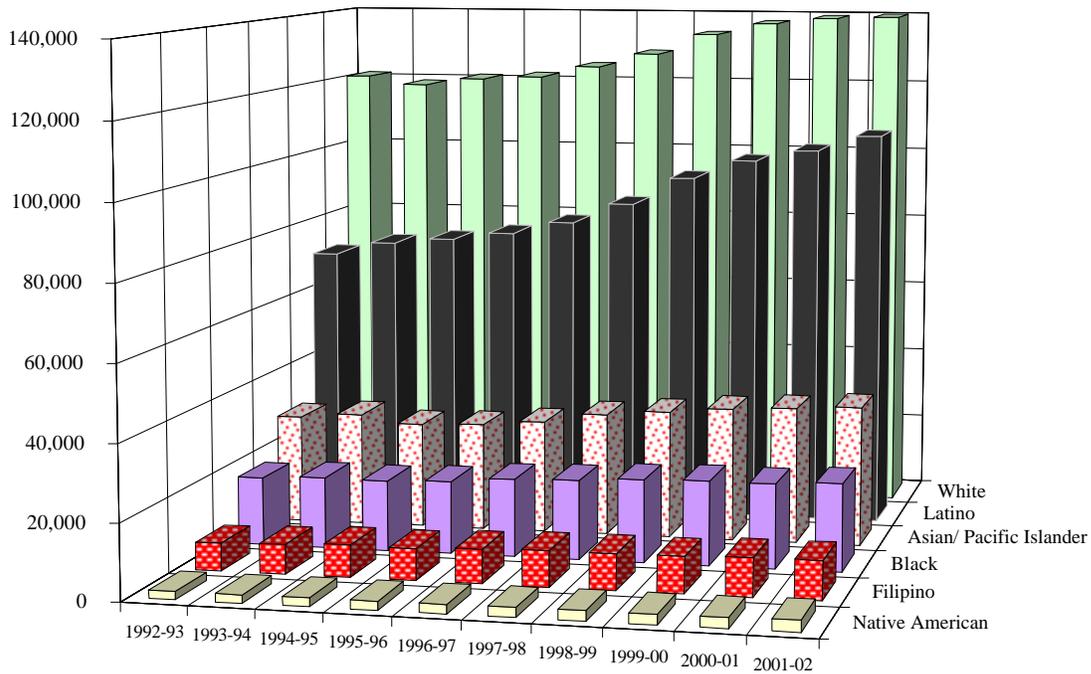


'A - G' Completion Rates of Public High School Graduates by Region, 1996-97 through 2001-02

Region	1996-97		1997-98		1998-99		1999-00		2000-01		2001-02	
<b>North Coast</b>	879	<b>30.3</b>	888	<b>29.2</b>	1,009	<b>31.7</b>	1,004	<b>30.6</b>	1,009	<b>31.3</b>	1,009	<b>28.5</b>
<b>Superior California</b>	870	<b>30.8</b>	947	<b>33.8</b>	924	<b>32.5</b>	907	<b>30.4</b>	1,032	<b>33.3</b>	859	<b>27.8</b>
<b>Upper Sacramento Valley</b>	1,115	<b>34.3</b>	1,052	<b>32.1</b>	1,112	<b>32.2</b>	1,134	<b>30.7</b>	1,159	<b>32.1</b>	1,215	<b>31.5</b>
<b>Sacramento-Tahoe</b>	5,960	<b>34.3</b>	6,799	<b>36.5</b>	6,961	<b>34.6</b>	6,662	<b>31.6</b>	6,856	<b>31.0</b>	7,686	<b>33.9</b>
<b>San Francisco Bay</b>	20,559	<b>42.9</b>	21,323	<b>42.8</b>	22,207	<b>42.6</b>	22,929	<b>42.9</b>	22,889	<b>41.9</b>	23,481	<b>42.2</b>
<b>Monterey Bay</b>	1,634	<b>32.0</b>	1,864	<b>32.4</b>	1,818	<b>30.4</b>	1,851	<b>29.9</b>	2,030	<b>32.1</b>	2,207	<b>33.7</b>
<b>Central Coast</b>	4,290	<b>37.5</b>	4,652	<b>38.2</b>	4,758	<b>36.9</b>	5,108	<b>38.3</b>	5,297	<b>38.9</b>	5,213	<b>38.3</b>
<b>North San Joaquin Valley</b>	6,262	<b>28.8</b>	6,850	<b>29.2</b>	6,980	<b>28.0</b>	7,806	<b>30.4</b>	7,572	<b>29.3</b>	7,500	<b>27.7</b>
<b>South San Joaquin Valley</b>	2,828	<b>23.4</b>	2,883	<b>23.2</b>	3,006	<b>22.6</b>	3,137	<b>23.3</b>	3,040	<b>22.0</b>	3,056	<b>22.0</b>
<b>Inyo-Mono</b>	106	<b>33.2</b>	146	<b>44.5</b>	151	<b>40.7</b>	114	<b>35.6</b>	137	<b>32.8</b>	120	<b>32.7</b>
<b>Los Angeles</b>	27,728	<b>39.8</b>	28,896	<b>40.1</b>	28,666	<b>38.0</b>	27,924	<b>36.1</b>	30,254	<b>38.6</b>	29,036	<b>36.6</b>
<b>Orange County</b>	8,697	<b>38.6</b>	9,397	<b>39.2</b>	10,157	<b>39.1</b>	10,232	<b>38.0</b>	10,236	<b>36.8</b>	10,527	<b>37.1</b>
<b>Inland Empire</b>	7,339	<b>25.8</b>	8,313	<b>27.2</b>	9,233	<b>28.4</b>	9,227	<b>26.7</b>	10,560	<b>30.0</b>	10,271	<b>28.0</b>
<b>San Diego-Imperial</b>	8,612	<b>36.7</b>	9,411	<b>38.2</b>	9,459	<b>36.1</b>	9,891	<b>35.9</b>	10,398	<b>37.0</b>	10,595	<b>36.2</b>
<b>STATEWIDE TOTAL</b>	<b>96,879</b>	<b>36.0</b>	<b>103,421</b>	<b>36.6</b>	<b>106,441</b>	<b>35.6</b>	<b>107,926</b>	<b>34.8</b>	<b>112,469</b>	<b>35.6</b>	<b>112,775</b>	<b>34.8</b>

Note: See Section 6, Profile 6-6, for data by county within regions.

California Public High School Graduates by Ethnicity,  
1992-93 to 2001-02

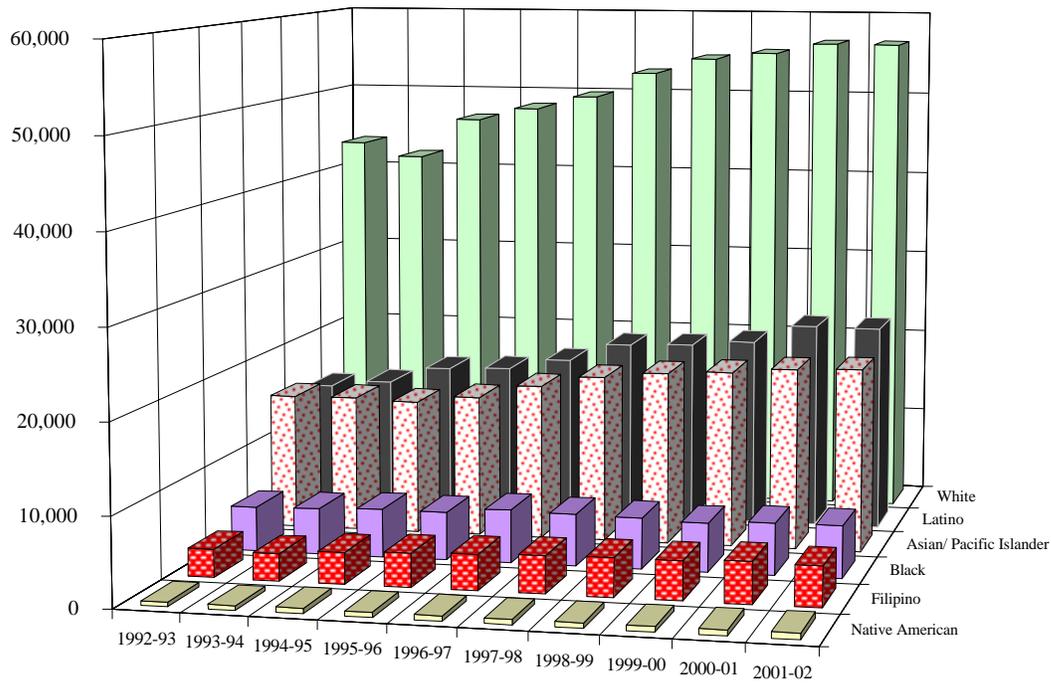


Full Year	Total Public High School Graduates	Asian/ Pacific Islander	Black	Filipino	Latino	Native American	White	Total A - G Completers
1992-93	249,320	29,305	18,219	7,339	71,466	2,138	120,853	82,419
1993-94	253,083	30,569	18,979	7,810	75,026	2,119	118,580	81,565
1994-95	255,200	28,533	18,864	8,496	76,557	2,262	120,488	88,945
1995-96	259,071	29,039	19,436	8,395	78,619	2,290	121,292	91,698
1996-97	269,071	30,420	20,742	9,034	82,015	2,364	124,496	96,879
1997-98	282,536	33,148	21,165	9,563	87,742	2,513	128,405	103,421
1998-99	298,428	34,483	22,065	9,548	95,438	2,665	134,229	106,441
1999-00	308,905	35,897	22,536	9,602	100,637	2,655	137,578	107,926
2000-01	315,189	36,729	22,474	10,229	103,795	2,734	139,228	112,469
2001-02	322,074	37,680	23,270	10,286	108,135	3,018	139,685	112,775

Percent Change since 1992-93  
**29.2**      **28.6**      **27.7**      **40.2**      **51.3**      **41.2**      **15.6**      **36.8**

Note: Data in this table does not include California public high school students of unknown ethnicity: 361 in 1997-98, 793 in 1998-99, 961 in 1999-00, 935 in 2000-01, and 1712 in 2001-02.

Public High School "A - G" Completions by Ethnicity,  
1992-93 through 2001-02



Academic Year	Public High School Graduates	Asian/Pacific Islander	Black	Filipino	Latino	Native American	White	Total A-F Completers with Known Ethnicity
1992-93	249,320	15,591	5,056	3,183	14,634	482	43,473	82,419
1993-94	253,083	15,674	5,204	3,016	15,360	489	41,822	81,565
1994-95	255,200	15,460	5,461	3,528	17,261	607	46,628	88,945
1995-96	259,071	16,248	5,429	3,823	17,529	549	48,120	91,698
1996-97	269,071	17,826	6,029	4,026	18,747	557	49,694	96,879
1997-98	282,897	19,117	5,884	4,208	20,884	566	52,695	103,354
1998-99	299,221	19,824	5,799	4,333	21,103	593	54,563	106,215
1999-00	309,866	20,198	5,570	4,361	21,684	621	55,341	107,775
2000-01	316,124	20,772	5,874	4,654	23,772	632	56,553	112,257
2001-02	323,786	21,015	5,920	4,495	23,736	688	56,514	112,368

Percent change since 1992-93  
**29.9**      **34.8**      **17.1**      **41.2**      **62.2**      **42.7**      **30.0**      **36.3**

Note: Data in this table does not include students of unknown ethnicity who completed A-G coursework: 67 in 1997-98, 226 in 1998-99, 151 in 1999-00, 212 in 2000-01, and 407 in 2001-02.

**California Public High School Graduates by Ethnicity,  
1992-93 through 2001-02**

Full Year	Total Public High School Graduates	Asian/ Pacific Islander	Black	Filipino	Latino	Native American	White	Total, Declared Ethnicity
1992-93	249,320	29,305	18,219	7,339	71,466	2,138	120,853	249,320
1993-94	253,083	30,569	18,979	7,810	75,026	2,119	118,580	253,083
1994-95	255,200	28,533	18,864	8,496	76,557	2,262	120,488	255,200
1995-96	259,071	29,039	19,436	8,395	78,619	2,290	121,292	259,071
1996-97	269,071	30,420	20,742	9,034	82,015	2,364	124,496	269,071
1997-98	282,536	33,148	21,165	9,563	87,742	2,513	128,405	282,536
1998-99	298,428	34,483	22,065	9,548	95,438	2,665	134,229	298,428
1999-00	308,905	35,897	22,536	9,602	100,637	2,655	137,578	308,905
2000-01	315,189	36,729	22,474	10,229	103,795	2,734	139,228	315,189
2001-02	322,074	37,680	23,270	10,286	108,135	3,018	139,685	322,074

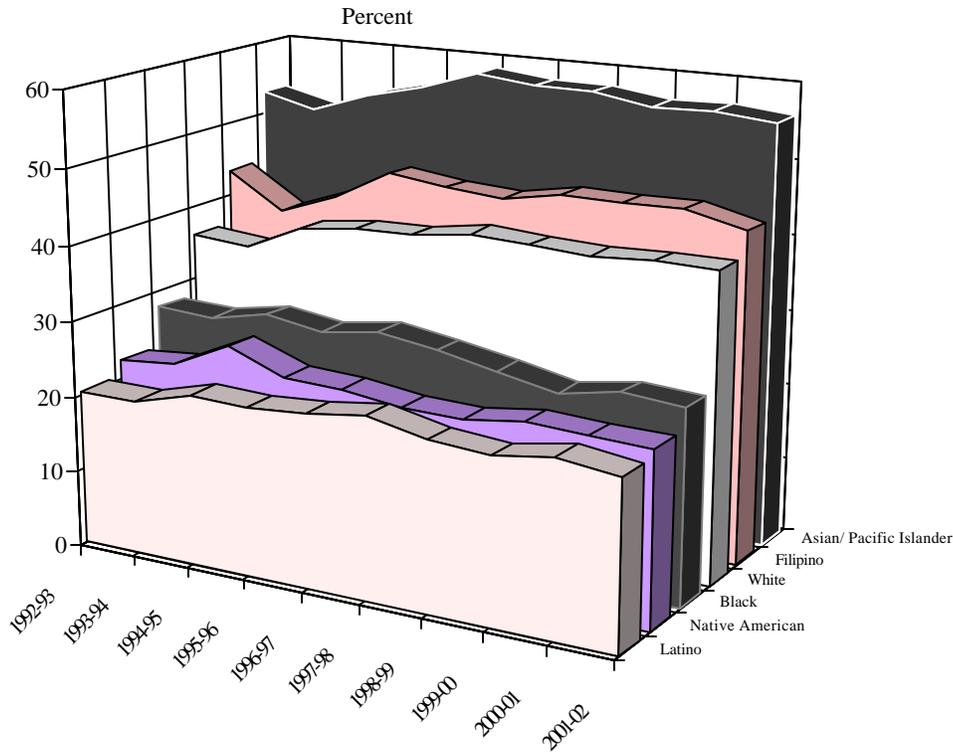
**'A - G' Completions by Ethnicity  
1992-93 through 2001-02**

Full Year	Total A - F Completions	Asian/ Pacific Islander	Black	Filipino	Latino	Native American	White	Total, Declared Ethnicity
1992-93	82,419	15,591	5,056	3,183	14,634	482	43,473	82,419
1993-94	81,565	15,674	5,204	3,016	15,360	489	41,822	81,565
1994-95	88,945	15,460	5,461	3,528	17,261	607	46,628	88,945
1995-96	91,698	16,248	5,429	3,823	17,529	549	48,120	91,698
1996-97	96,879	17,826	6,029	4,026	18,747	557	49,694	96,879
1997-98	103,421	19,117	5,884	4,208	20,884	566	52,695	103,354
1998-99	106,441	19,824	5,799	4,333	21,103	593	54,563	106,215
1999-00	107,926	20,198	5,570	4,361	21,684	621	55,341	107,775
2000-01	112,469	20,772	5,874	4,654	23,772	632	56,553	112,257
2001-02	112,775	21,015	5,920	4,495	23,736	688	56,514	112,368

**'A - G' Completion Rates in Relation to California Public High School Graduates by Ethnicity,  
1992-93 through 2001-02**

Full Year	Total Public High School Graduates	Asian/ Pacific Islander	Black	Filipino	Latino	Native American	White	Total, Declared Ethnicity
1992-93	33.1	53.2	27.8	43.4	20.5	22.5	36.0	33.1
1993-94	32.2	51.3	27.4	38.6	20.5	23.1	35.3	32.2
1994-95	34.9	54.2	28.9	41.5	22.5	26.8	38.7	34.9
1995-96	35.4	56.0	27.9	45.5	22.3	24.0	39.7	35.4
1996-97	36.0	58.6	29.1	44.6	22.9	23.6	39.9	36.0
1997-98	36.6	57.7	27.8	44.0	23.8	22.5	41.0	36.6
1998-99	35.7	57.5	26.3	45.4	22.1	22.3	40.6	35.6
1999-00	34.9	56.3	24.7	45.4	21.5	23.4	40.2	34.9
2000-01	35.7	56.6	26.1	45.5	22.9	23.1	40.6	35.6
2001-02	35.0	55.8	25.4	43.7	22.0	22.8	40.5	34.9

"A - G" Completion Rates in Relation to California Public High School Graduates by Ethnicity, 1992-93 to 2001-02



'A - G' Completion Rates in Relation to California Public High School Graduates by Ethnicity, 1992-93 to 2001-02

Year	Statewide Rate	Asian/ Pacific Islander	Black	Filipino	Latino	Native American	White	Total , Declared Ethnicity
1992-93	33.1	53.2	27.8	43.4	20.5	22.5	36.0	33.1
1993-94	32.2	51.3	27.4	38.6	20.5	23.1	35.3	32.2
1994-95	34.9	54.2	28.9	41.5	22.5	26.8	38.7	34.9
1995-96	35.4	56.0	27.9	45.5	22.3	24.0	39.7	35.4
1996-97	36.0	58.6	29.1	44.6	22.9	23.6	39.9	36.0
1997-98	36.6	57.7	27.8	44.0	23.8	22.5	41.0	36.6
1998-99	35.7	57.5	26.3	45.4	22.1	22.3	40.6	35.6
1999-00	34.9	56.3	24.7	45.4	21.5	23.4	40.2	34.9
2000-01	35.7	56.6	26.1	45.5	22.9	23.1	40.6	35.6
2001-02	35.0	55.8	25.4	43.7	22.0	22.8	40.5	34.9