

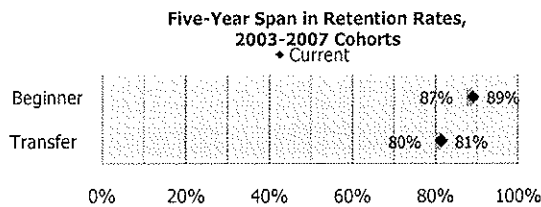
This report presents the persistence to second semester rates for Indiana University's Fall 2007 entering cohort. Five year spans are also presented as a benchmark. The first table below and on each campus summary page includes a summary for both full- and part-time beginner students (those who are entering college for the first time) as well as full- and part-time students who transferred from other colleges and universities. The remaining analyses focus on only the traditional full-time beginners. Further details on part-time beginner and transfer student retention are available in other reports posted on our web site (<http://www.indiana.edu/~urr>).

Although the same definitions and methods are used to define these cohorts over the years presented, there are several criteria, such as military service and death, that are used to retroactively remove students from prior cohorts. Because of these exclusions, the retention rates for prior years may not exactly match the rates published in prior reports. The number of these exclusions are listed in the first table.

In order to protect student privacy, retention rates are not shown if there are ten or fewer students in the initial cohort for any specific category or subcategory.

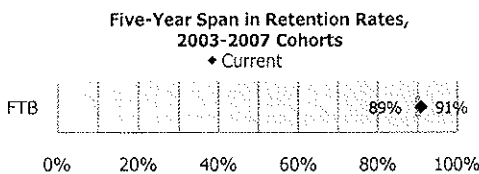
**Persistence to Second Semester by Cohort Status**

|                | Began         | Retained      | Retention Rate |
|----------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|
| Beginner       | 14,538        | 12,944        | 89.0%          |
| Transfer       | 4,958         | 4,034         | 81.4%          |
| Exclusions     | 8             |               |                |
| <b>Overall</b> | <b>19,496</b> | <b>16,978</b> | <b>87.1%</b>   |

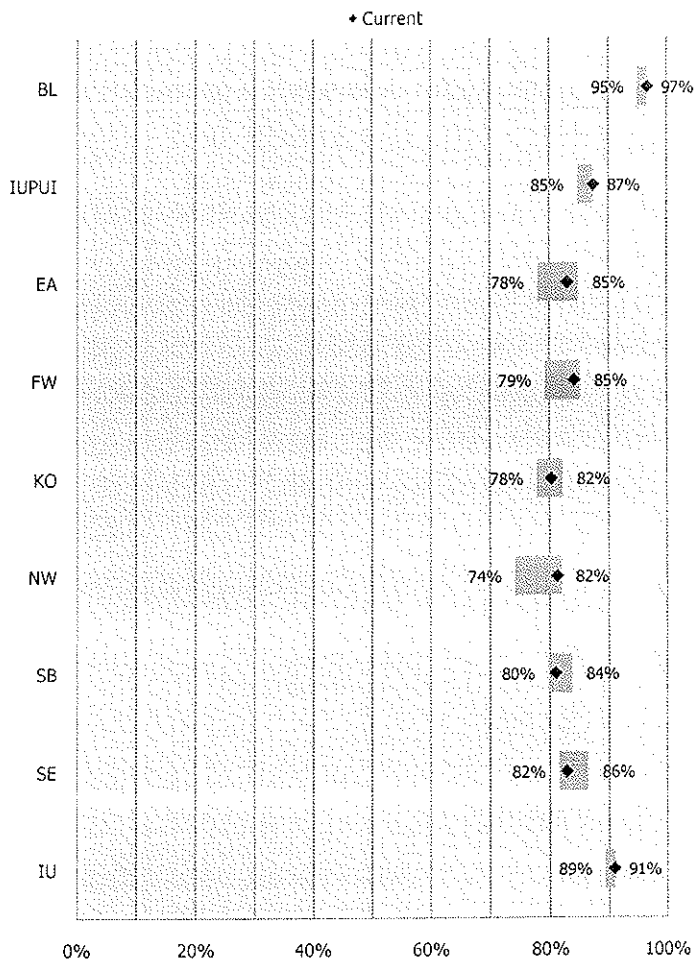


**Full-Time Beginners Only (FTB)**

|                       | Began  | Retained | Retention Rate |
|-----------------------|--------|----------|----------------|
| FTB                   | 13,673 | 12,428   | 90.9%          |
| FTB as % of Beginners | 94.1%  | 96.0%    |                |
| FTB as % of Overall   | 70.1%  | 73.2%    |                |



**Full-Time Beginners by Campus**

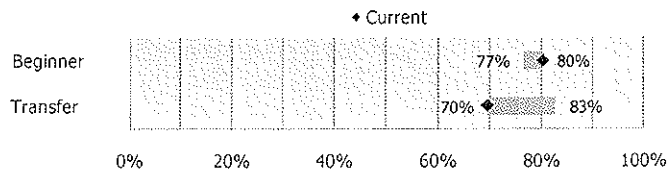




**Persistence to Second Semester by Cohort Status**

|            | Began | Retained | Retention Rate |
|------------|-------|----------|----------------|
| Beginner   | 381   | 306      | 80.3%          |
| Transfer   | 197   | 137      | 69.5%          |
| Exclusions | 1     |          |                |
| Overall    | 578   | 443      | 76.6%          |

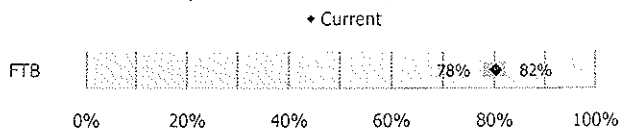
**Five-Year Span in Retention Rates, 2003-2007 Cohorts**



**Full-Time Beginners Only (FTB)**

|                | Began  | Retained | Retention Rate |
|----------------|--------|----------|----------------|
| FTB            | 381    | 306      | 80.3%          |
| % of Beginners | 100.0% | 100.0%   |                |
| % of Overall   | 65.9%  | 69.1%    |                |

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**Retention Rates by Selected Characteristics (Full-Time Beginners)**

| By Intended Degree |     |     | Retention Rate |
|--------------------|-----|-----|----------------|
| Bachelor's         | 373 | 301 | 80.7%          |
| Other              | **  | **  | 62.5%          |

| By Ethnicity |     |     | Retention Rate |
|--------------|-----|-----|----------------|
| African Am.  | **  | **  | 42.9%          |
| Hispanic     | 15  | 13  | 86.7%          |
| Other        | 359 | 290 | 80.8%          |

| By Sex |     |     | Retention Rate |
|--------|-----|-----|----------------|
| Male   | 147 | 118 | 80.3%          |
| Female | 234 | 188 | 80.3%          |

| By Residency |     |     | Retention Rate |
|--------------|-----|-----|----------------|
| Resident     | 380 | 305 | 80.3%          |
| Non-Res.     | **  | **  | 100.0%         |

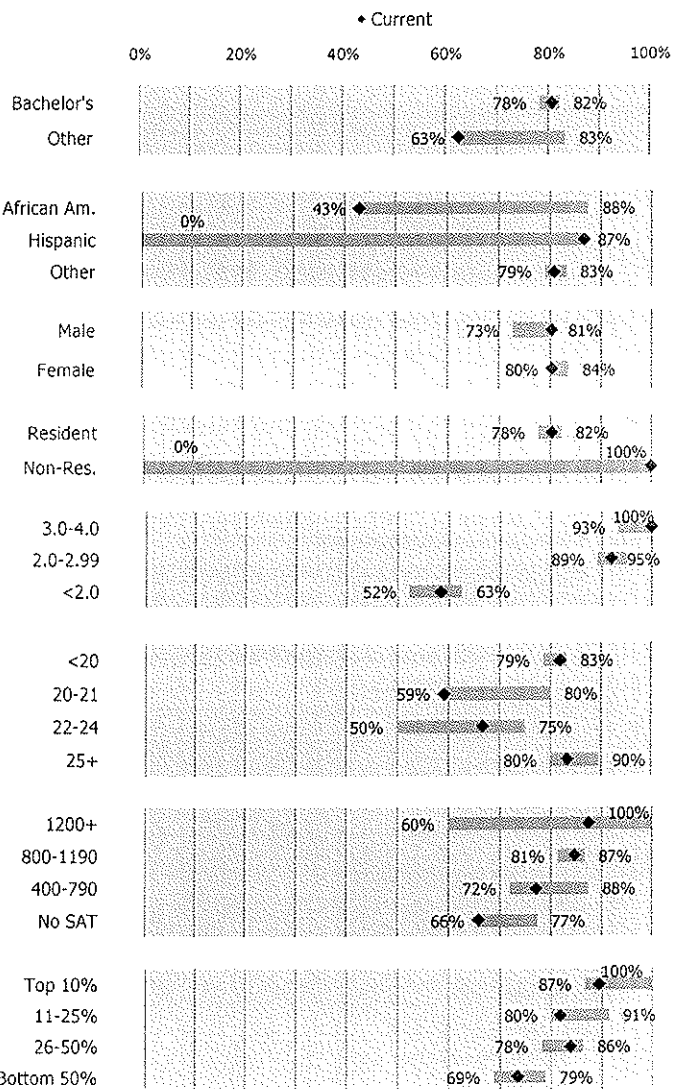
| By First Semester GPA |     |     | Retention Rate |
|-----------------------|-----|-----|----------------|
| 3.0-4.0               | 90  | 90  | 100.0%         |
| 2.0-2.99              | 137 | 126 | 92.0%          |
| <2.0                  | 154 | 90  | 58.4%          |

| By Age at Time of Entry |     |     | Retention Rate |
|-------------------------|-----|-----|----------------|
| <20                     | 338 | 277 | 82.0%          |
| 20-21                   | 22  | 13  | 59.1%          |
| 22-24                   | **  | **  | 66.7%          |
| 25+                     | 12  | 10  | 83.3%          |

| By Combined SAT Scores Ranges |     |     | Retention Rate |
|-------------------------------|-----|-----|----------------|
| 1200+                         | 16  | 14  | 87.5%          |
| 800-1190                      | 254 | 215 | 84.6%          |
| 400-790                       | 35  | 27  | 77.1%          |
| No SAT                        | 76  | 50  | 65.8%          |

| By HS Rank Ranges |     |     | Retention Rate |
|-------------------|-----|-----|----------------|
| Top 10%           | 19  | 17  | 89.5%          |
| 11-25%            | 66  | 54  | 81.8%          |
| 26-50%            | 130 | 109 | 83.8%          |
| Bottom 50%        | 128 | 94  | 73.4%          |

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\*\*Began cell contains 10 or fewer students