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Introduction

This report contains county-level results from the 2003 New Mexico Youth Risk and Resiliency Survey (YRRS), a statewide survey of public school students, grades 9-12. A companion document, *2005 New Mexico Youth Risk and Resiliency Survey: Statewide Results*, presents results for the state. Together, these documents comprise a useful tool for those working on youth-related issues at the state and local level.

The YRRS is organized into two major content areas: risk behaviors and protective (resiliency) factors. Risk behaviors include behaviors associated with personal safety, violence, sadness and suicidal ideation, tobacco use, alcohol use, drug use, sexual activity, physical activity, and nutrition (Appendix B). Protective factors are measures of the positive and supportive relationships, experiences, activities, resources and values that encourage healthy youth development. Resiliency factors include caring and supportive relationships in the family, school, community and with peers; boundaries set by the family and school; positive peer support; meaningful participation and constructive use of time in school and outside of school; absence of impulsive and sensation seeking behaviors; and community norms and attitudes disapproving of youth alcohol use by high school age youth (Appendix C).

Additionally, this report includes a section on academic performance and motivation. These academic measures include getting good grades (mostly A's and B's), trying hard to do good work in school, planning to go to college, skipping or ditching school, coming to class with paper and something to write with, and completing homework.

How to Read this Report

This report has three main sections, each of which consists of a set of bar charts. The first section presents the results of the major risk behaviors examined in the survey. Each category of risk behavior is presented with two or three bar charts. The first chart gives results for each year the YRRS had been administered (2001, 2002, and 2003). Another chart compares results for the county to results for the entire state, and the final chart compares the risk behaviors of boys to those of girls within the county. All risk behaviors are defined in Appendix B.

NOTE: County level YRRS reports are freely available. School district reports have been distributed to school district offices. School districts are encouraged to reproduce and share these reports with community groups concerned with prevention and health promotion. However, school district level results will not be released without express permission of the school district superintendent.

The second section presents the results of the protective factors section of the survey. As with the risk behaviors, each set of protective factors is presented with two charts, one comparing the county to the state, and the other comparing boys to girls within the county.

At the end of the section on protective factors are some charts that compare the prevalence of selected risk behaviors among those with and without protective factors. NOTE: This section presents results for the state as a whole, rather than for the county. As can be seen repeatedly, students with protective factors were less likely to engage in risky behaviors than those who did not have the resiliency factors.

The third section of the report gives results for the academic performance and motivation measures. This is followed with some charts illustrating the relationships between selected risk behaviors and the academic measures. NOTE: As with the protective factors, these charts show statewide, not county level, data. Results show that students who do not engage in risky behaviors are more likely to be successful and motivated academically.

Understanding The Charts, and A Word about Error Bars

The bar charts in this report present the percentage of students who reported engaging in any given risk behavior or who reported having any given protective factor. The height of the bars conveys the approximate percentage of students reporting each trait, and provides a quick visual comparison between different groups of students reporting that trait. Underneath each set of bars is a table that presents the percentage of students who reported each trait. For instance, the chart on page 10, Behaviors Causing Unintentional Injury, shows that 8.4% of students in New Mexico rarely or never wore seatbelts, while 12.2% of students in Colfax County rarely or never wore seatbelts.

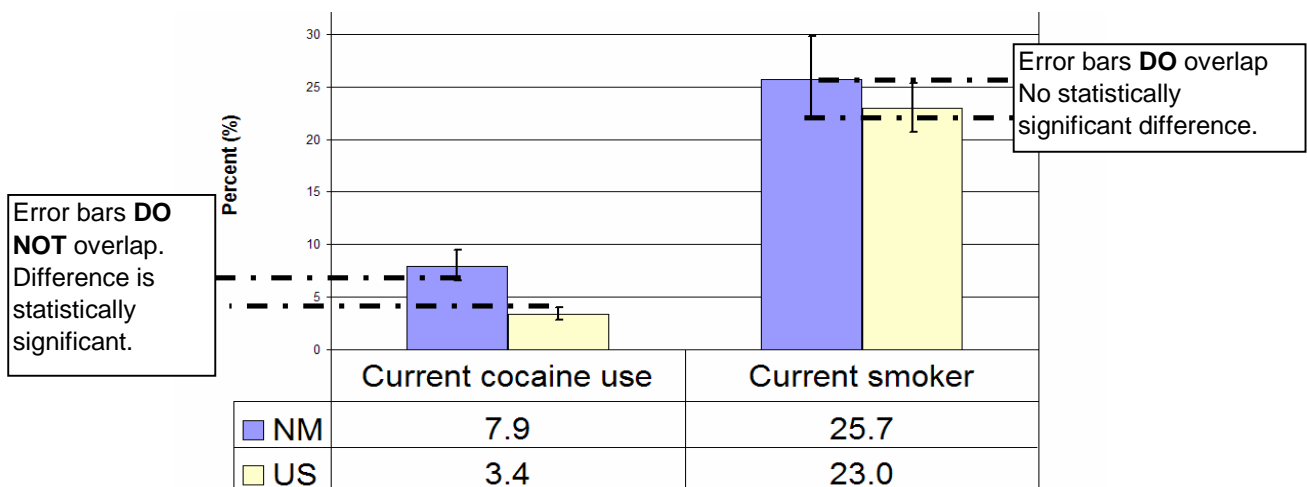
Because of the high cost and logistical complications involved in conducting a statewide survey, the YRRS was administered to a sample of students, rather than to every single student in each school district. Because YRRS data are about a *sample* of students, and not the entire student body, the results in this report are *estimates*. As with all estimates, there is some uncertainty associated with each of these estimates. On the charts in this report, this degree of uncertainty is represented by an error bar (or confidence interval). The error bar is the thin 'I' shaped line that extends above and below the end of each bar in a chart. One of the major influences on the confidence interval or error bar is the number of participants in the survey. In general, this means that with more students participating in the survey, there will be a higher degree of confidence in the results (i.e., error bars will be smaller).

The proper interpretation of an error bar can be illustrated by looking at the chart below. This chart compares the New Mexico prevalence of smoking and of cocaine use to the United States prevalence for 2005. The chart shows that the prevalence of current smoking was 25.7% in New Mexico and 23.0% in the United States. The error bar for the estimate of current smoking among New Mexico students extends approximately 4 percentage points in either direction, from 22.0% to 29.8%. This means that we are confident that the actual percentage of smokers in this group of students was between 22.0% and 29.8%. The error bar for the estimate current smoking in the US extends approximately 2.5 percentage points in either direction, from 20.7 to 25.3%. We are confident that the actual percentage of smokers among this group was between 20.7% and 25.3%.

How does knowing the upper and lower limits of our error bars help us? While it appears at first glance that New Mexico has a higher prevalence of smoking than the United States (25.7% vs. 23.0%), a closer look at the error bars shows a more complicated picture. The error bars for the New Mexico estimate (22.0% - 29.8%) and the US estimate (20.7% - 25.3%) overlap. Because of this overlap, we do not have a high degree of confidence that the prevalence of smoking in New Mexico is actually different from the prevalence in the United States. In other words, the difference between the prevalence of smoking in New Mexico and the United States is not statistically significant.

For cocaine use, it also appears that New Mexico has a higher prevalence of use than the United States (7.9% vs. 3.4%). The error bar for New Mexico extends from 6.6% to 9.5%, and the error bar for the United States extends from 2.8% to 4.4%. Because the higher extent of the US error bar (4.4%) is lower than the lower extent of the NM error bar (6.6%), these error bars do not overlap. For cocaine use, we are confident in saying that the New Mexico prevalence is higher than the US prevalence. In other words, the difference in the prevalence of smoking in New Mexico and the United States is a statistically significant difference.

Current Smoking and Current Cocaine Use
Grades 9 - 12, 2005



For some small counties, error bars have been removed from this report. In small counties, the number of students sampled can approach the total student population. In these cases, error bars have limited meaning because with a high percentage of students surveyed, there is less uncertainty around the estimates than error bars suggest.

Methodology

The YRRS was implemented in fall semesters of the 2005 school year. All public school districts in New Mexico were invited to participate in the 2005 YRRS. Of 89 districts statewide, 78 districts participated. From each participating school district, schools with students from 9th to 12th grades were selected to participate. The probability of selection of each school was proportional to the size of its 9th-12th grade population. In large school districts only some of the schools were selected to participate, while in small districts, all schools were selected. Classrooms were systematically selected from each school, and all students in each selected classroom were asked to participate.

In each participating school, a single day was arranged on which to administer the survey. Questionnaire forms and pencils were distributed to each student in participating classes, and students were asked to fill out the questionnaires independently of other students and without teacher assistance.

Questionnaires were electronically scanned, and data were analyzed using STATA 9.2, a statistical software program.

Limitations of the YRRS

All information from the YRRS was self-reported by the participating students. While most questions on the YRRS come from nationally validated surveys, and data quality has been demonstrated to be very high in national surveys, there is no way to guarantee the truthfulness of the participants in any survey that relies on self-reporting.

A good response rate is one of the most important goals in conducting a survey. At the school district level, a response rate is the percentage of all students selected for the survey who complete and return a useable questionnaire form. At the state level, the response rate incorporates the participation of school districts and schools as well as the participation of students. An adequate response rate means that survey results are more likely to represent the statewide grade 9-12 public school population. The statewide response rate for the 2005 YRRS was 60%, an adequate response rate to represent the population.

In order to achieve a 60% statewide response rate, we aimed for a 75% response rate from each participating school district. Most participating school districts met this target or were close to it. While the response rate was generally very good in participating schools, the overall response rate was driven down by the school districts that declined to participate.

Participation in Colfax County

The response rate in Colfax County was 78%.

A high response rate produces survey results that are more representative of the student population. A response rate of at least 60% allows generalization of results to the entire student body. A response rate of 75% is excellent and allows a high degree of confidence in results. Because a high response rate means that more students have been surveyed, a high response rate will also be reflected in the error bars (i.e., with a higher response rate and more students included in the survey, error bars will be smaller and confidence intervals will be narrower). Response rates below 60% are considered low, and caution should be exercised in interpreting results. Low response rates indicate that the data is likely only representative of students who participated in the survey and may not necessarily represent the entire student body.

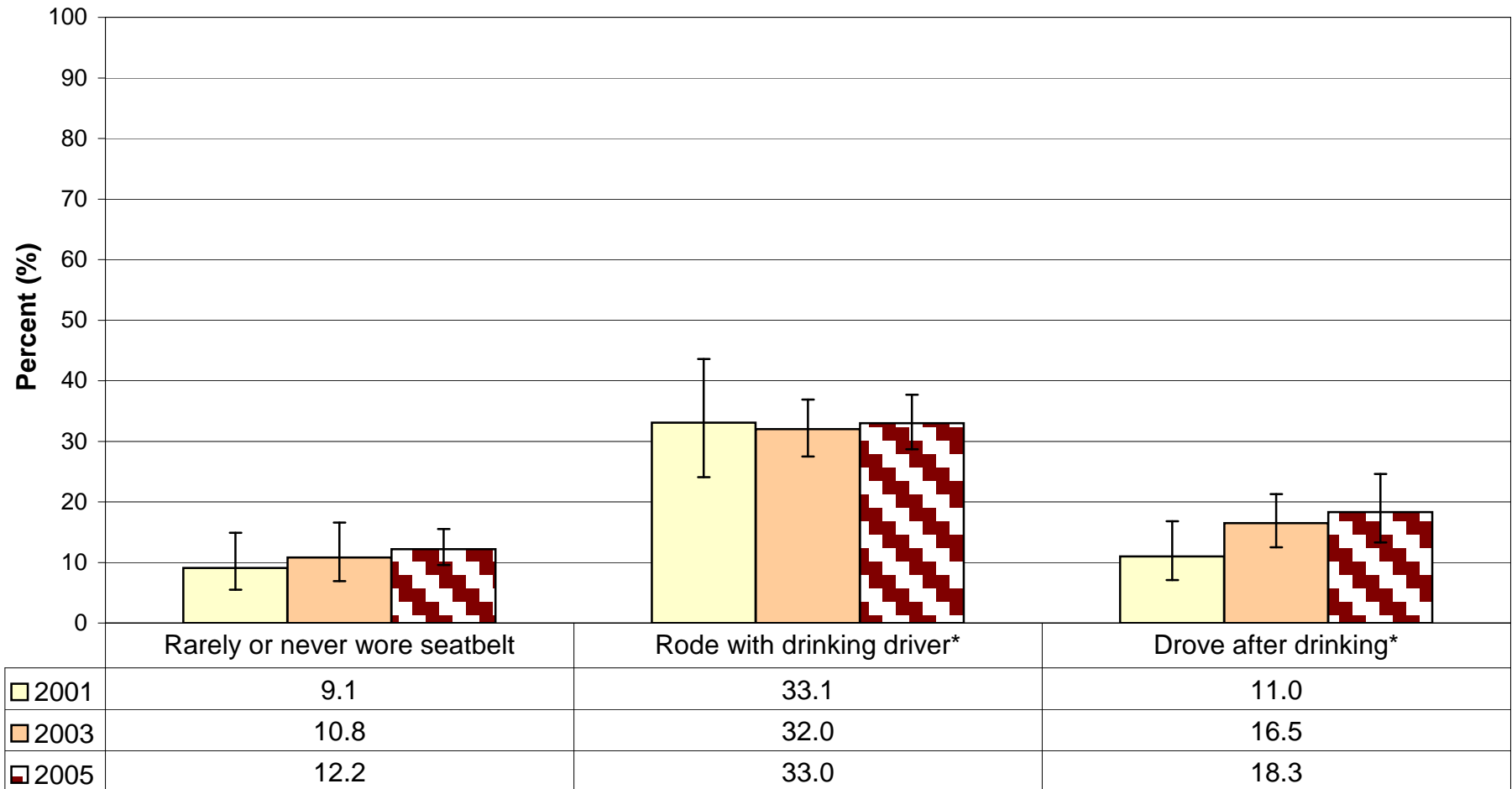
Profile of students surveyed

	<u>Percent (%)</u>	<u>Number of students</u>
<u>Total</u>	100%	414
<u>Gender</u>		
Girls	205	(50.2%)
Boys	203	(49.8%)
<u>Race/Ethnicity</u>		
Hispanic	221	(53.8%)
White	153	(37.2%)
American Indian	14	(3.4%)
Black or African-American	12	(2.9%)
Asian or Pacific Islander	11	(2.7%)
<u>Grade Level</u>		
9th	154	(37.3%)
10th	97	(23.5%)
11th	69	(16.7%)
12th	90	(21.8%)
Other:	3	(0.7%)

Risk Behaviors

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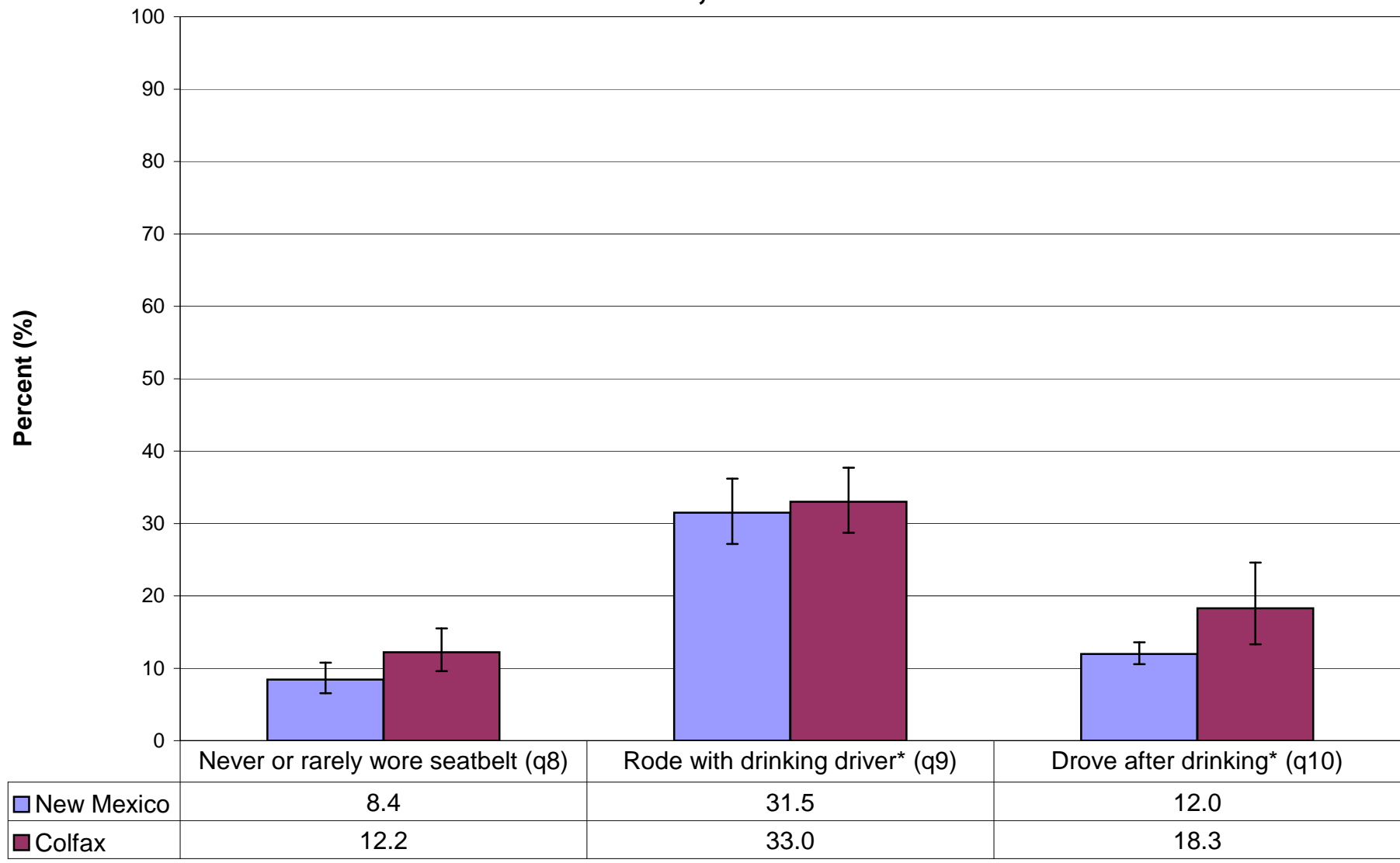


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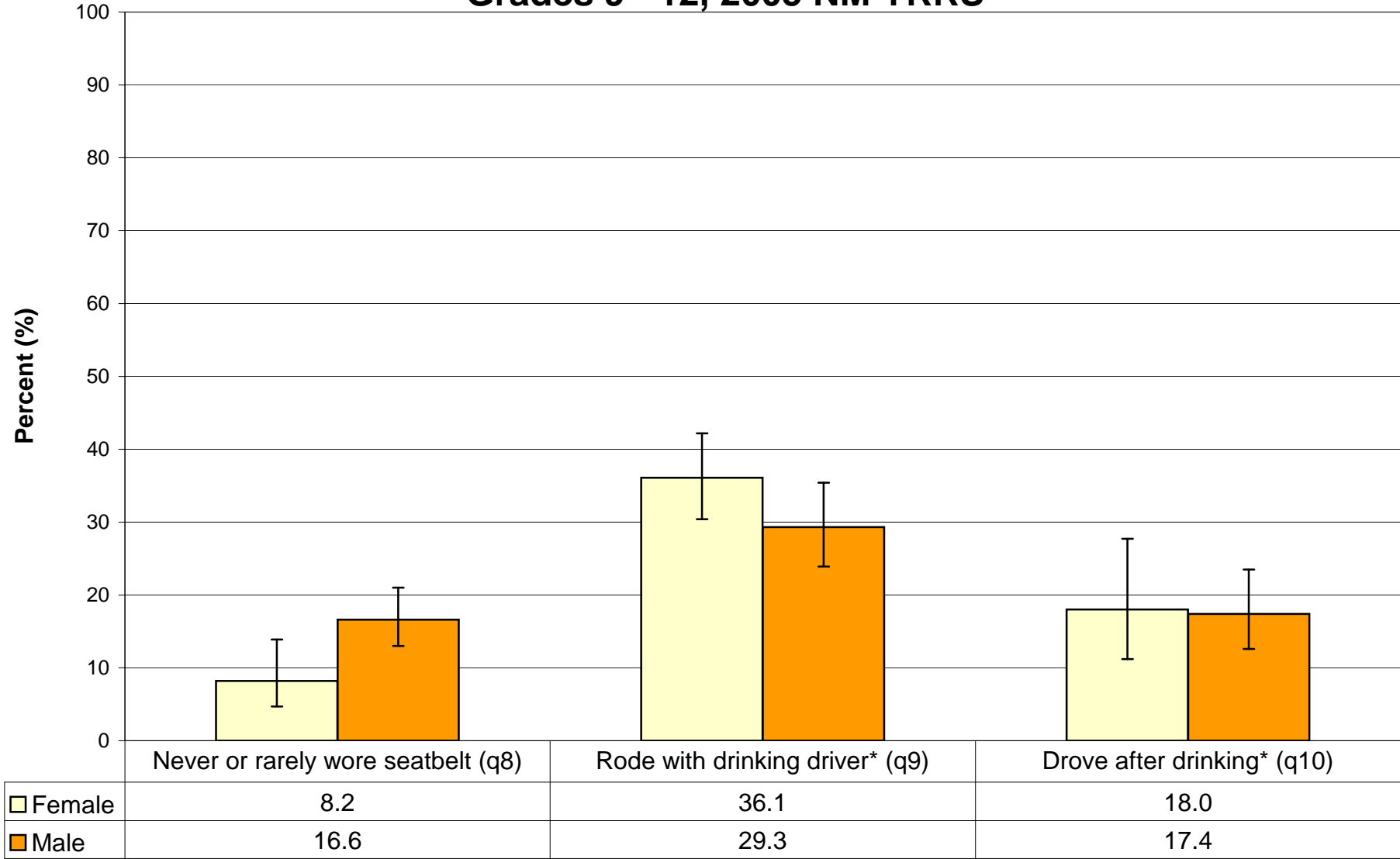
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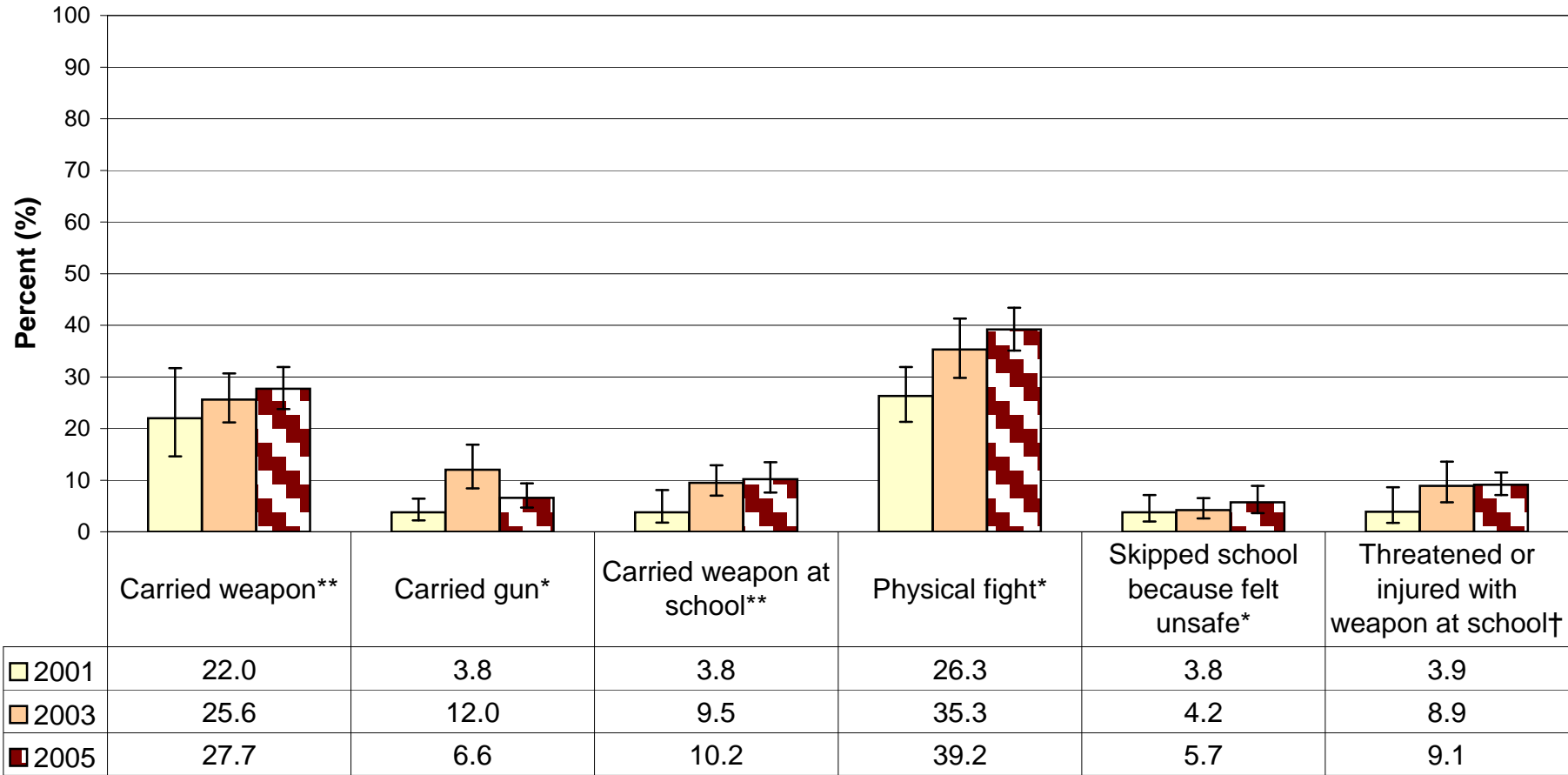
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Behaviors Associated with Violence Colfax County; 2001, 2003, and 2005 Grades 9 - 12, NM YRRS



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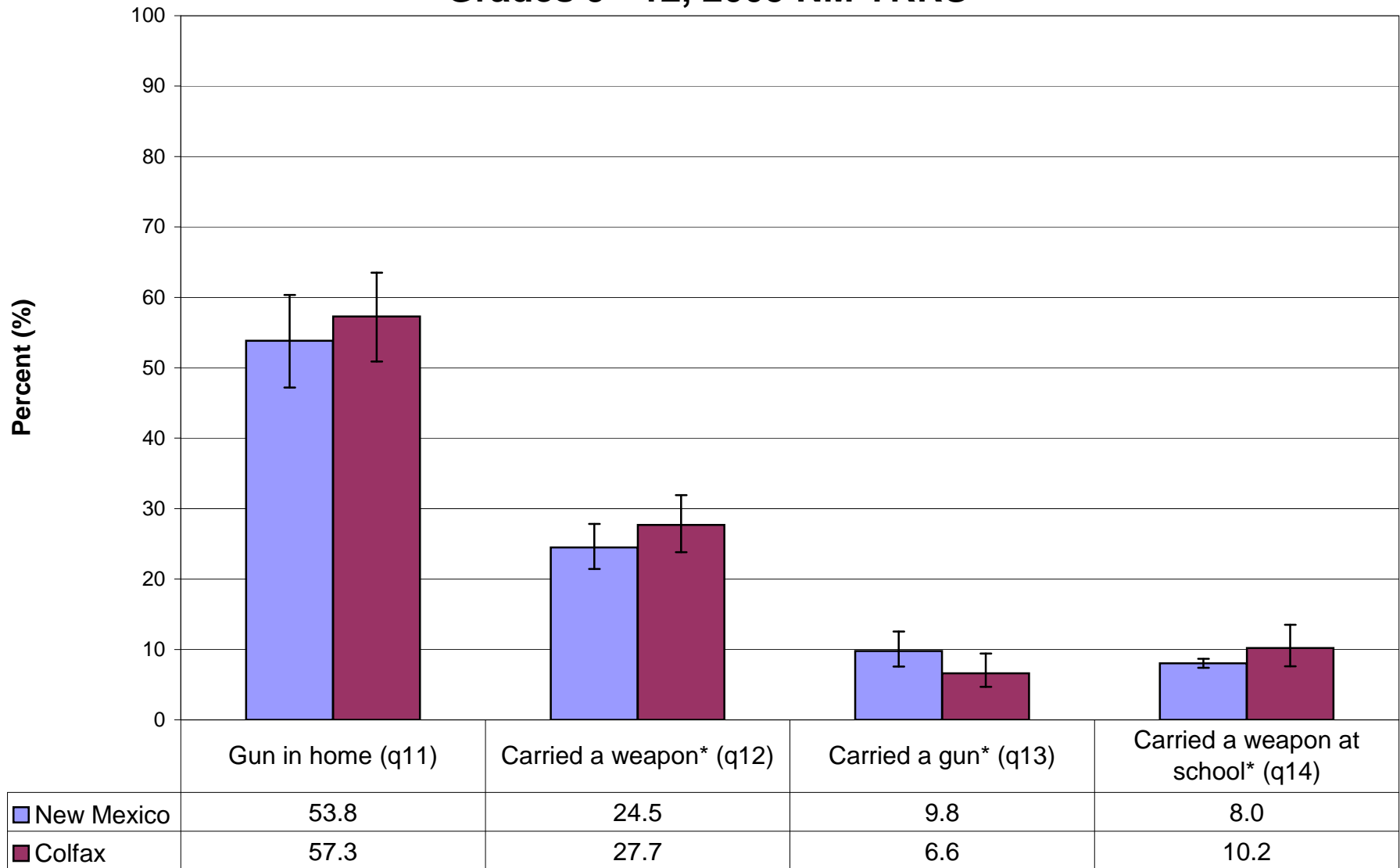
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Behaviors Associated with Violence (Weapons)

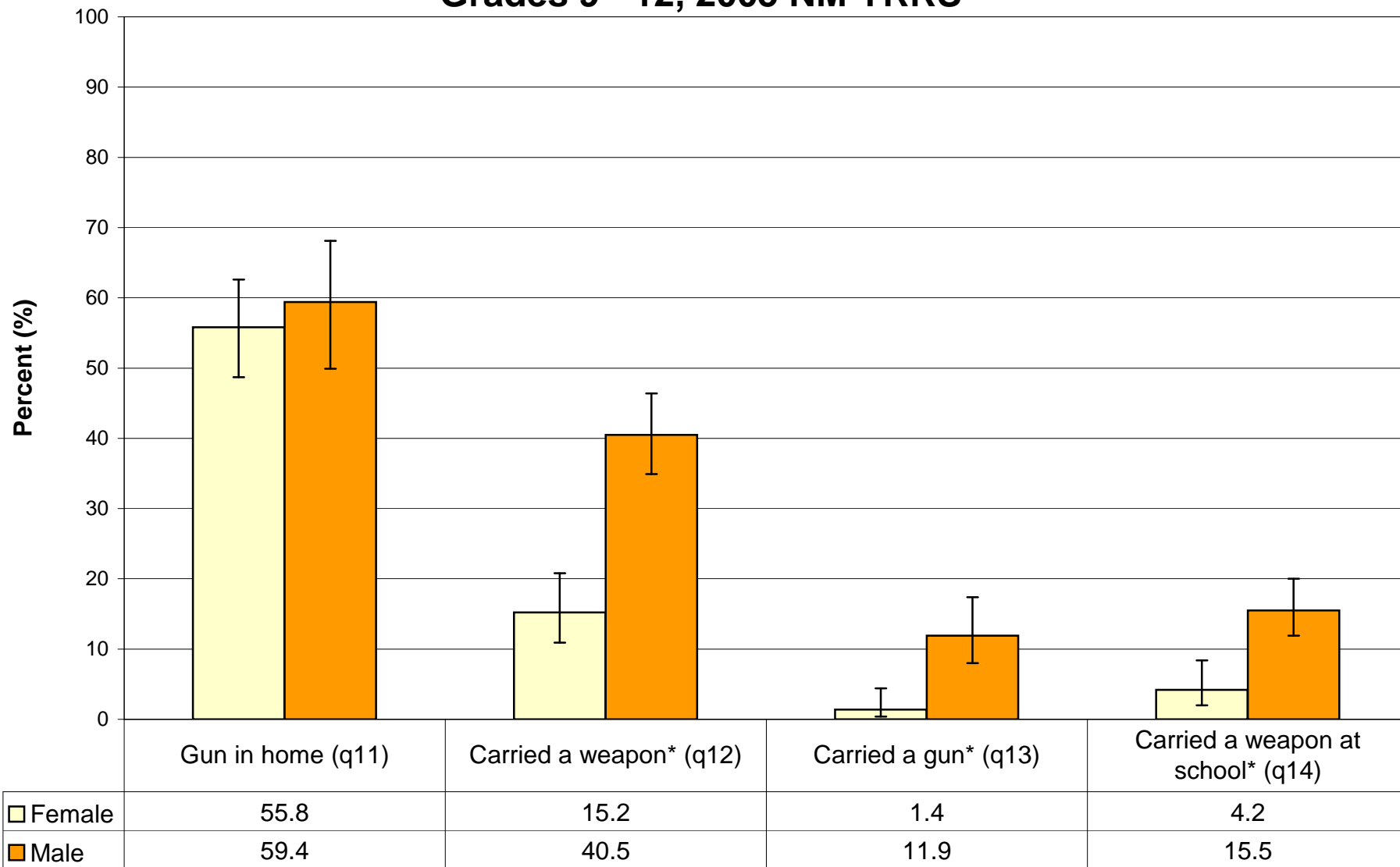
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Behaviors Associated with Violence (Weapons) by Gender in Colfax County Grades 9 - 12, 2005 NM YRRS

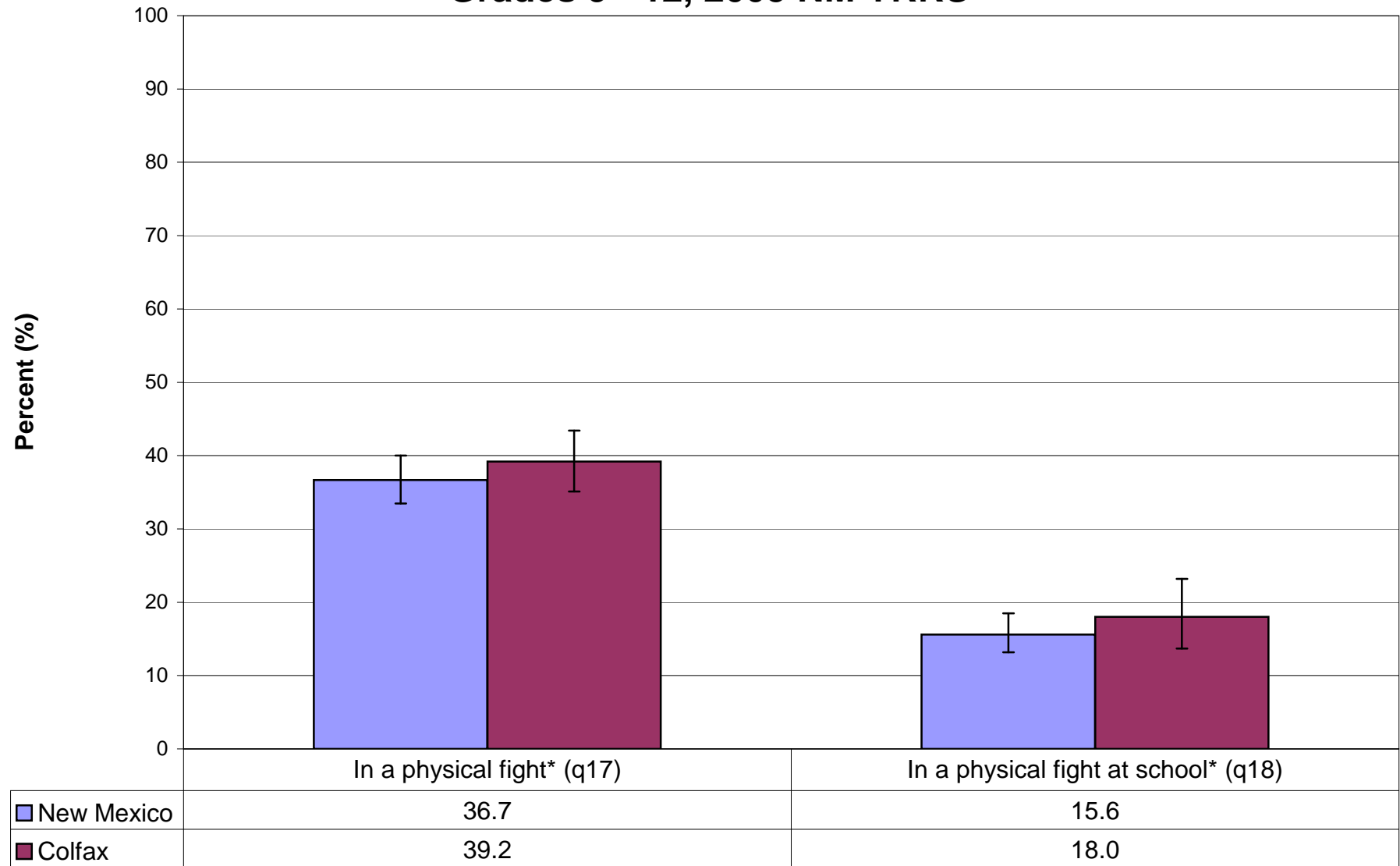


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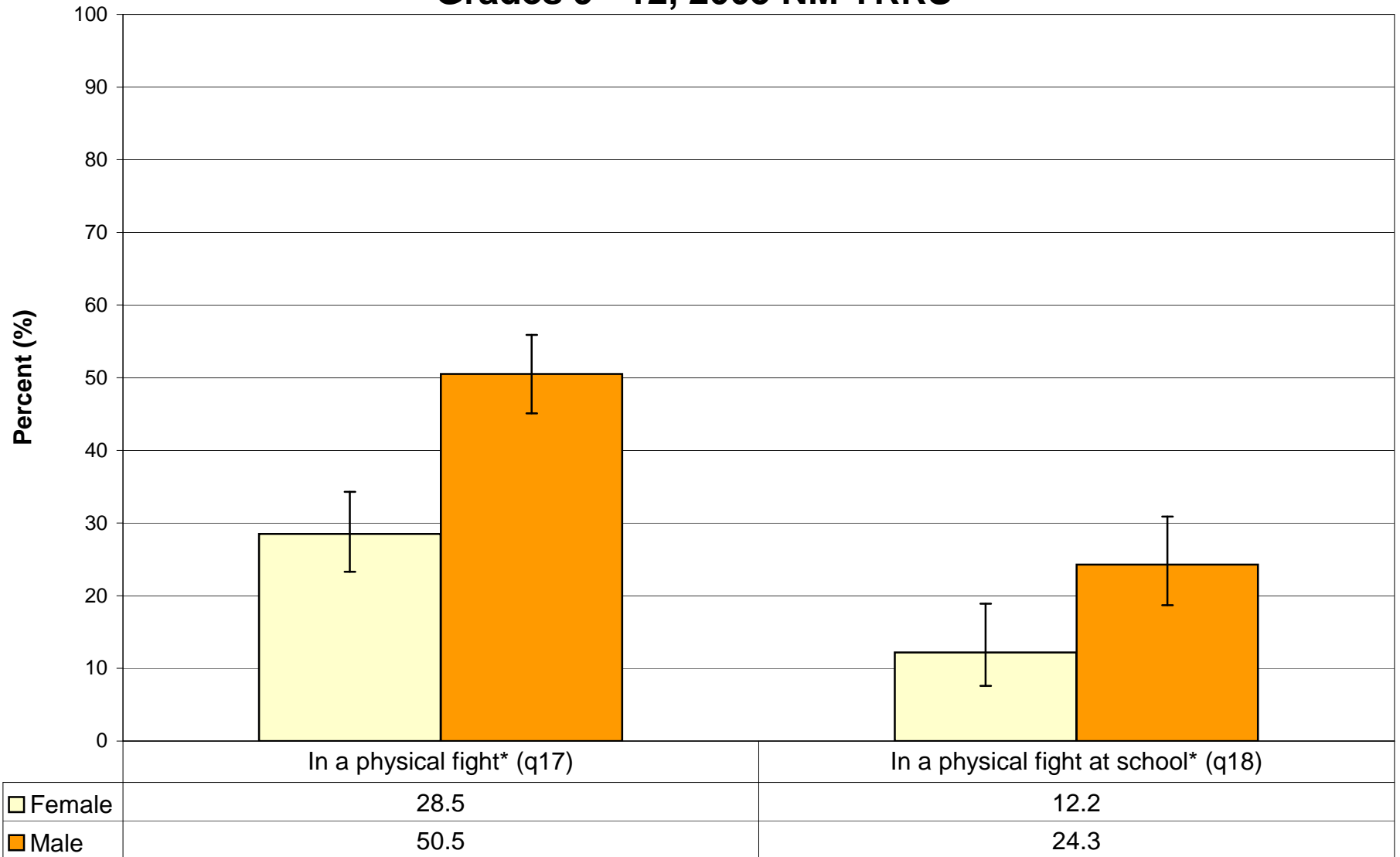
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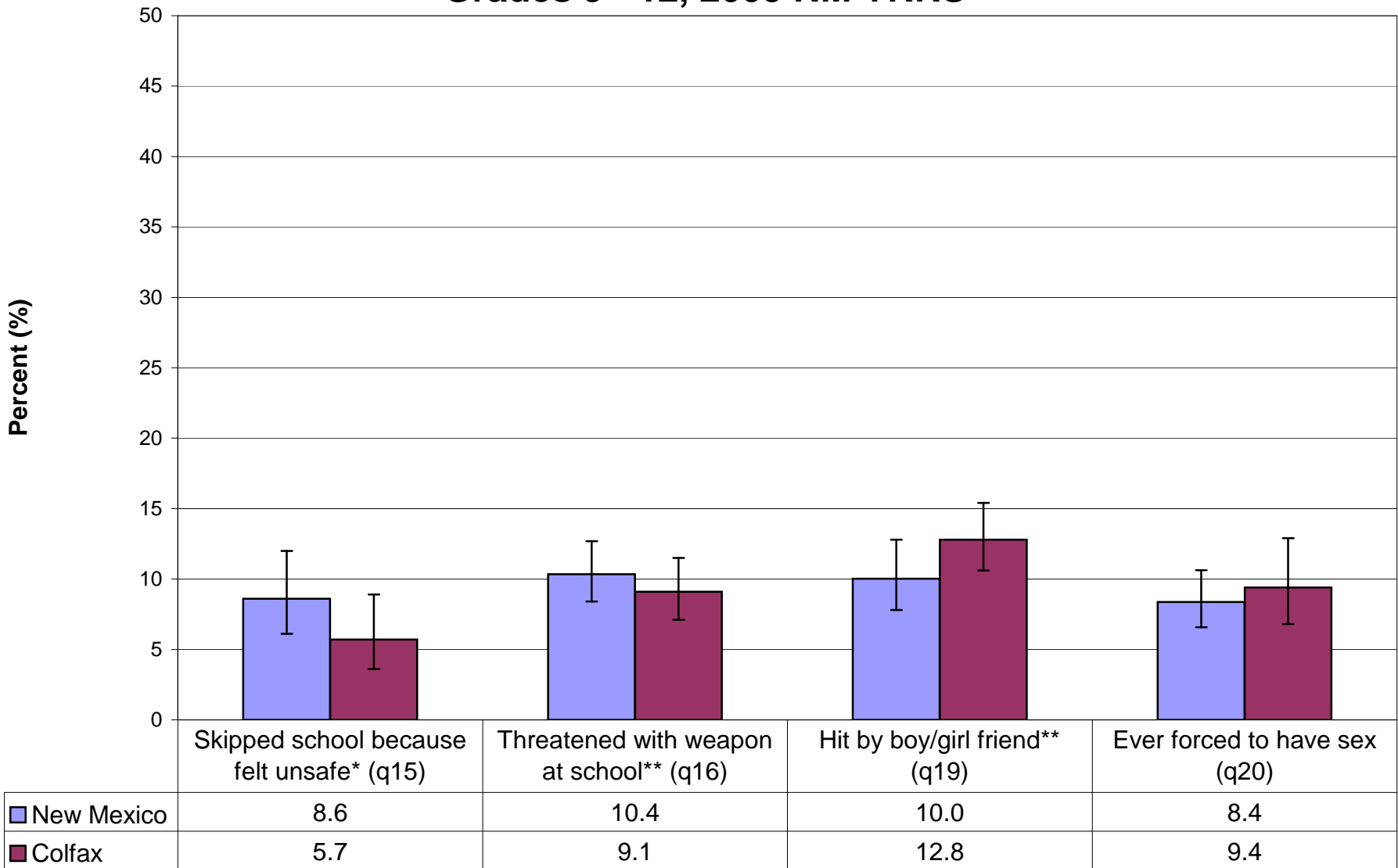


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Behaviors Associated with Violence (Victimization)

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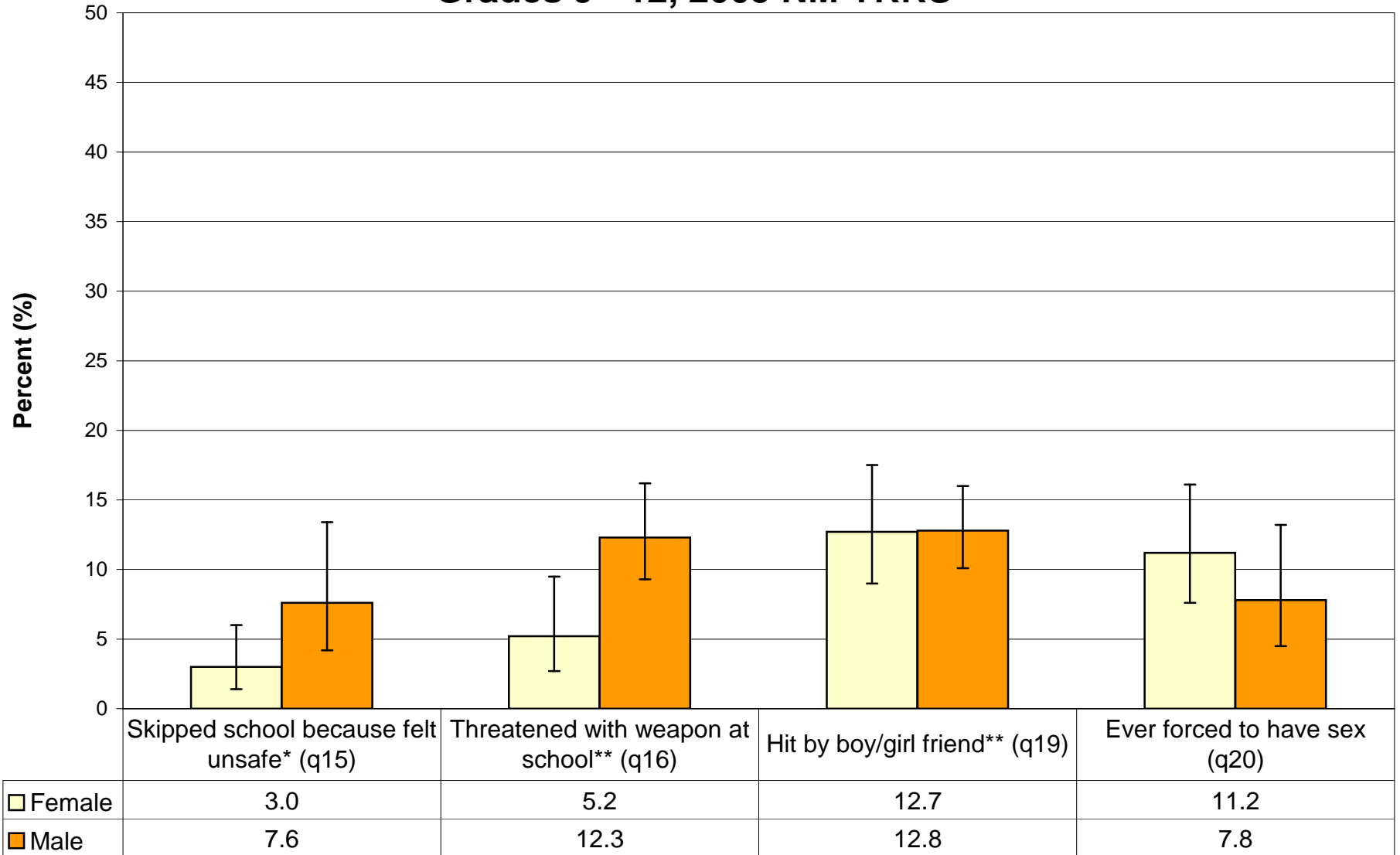


* In past 30 days

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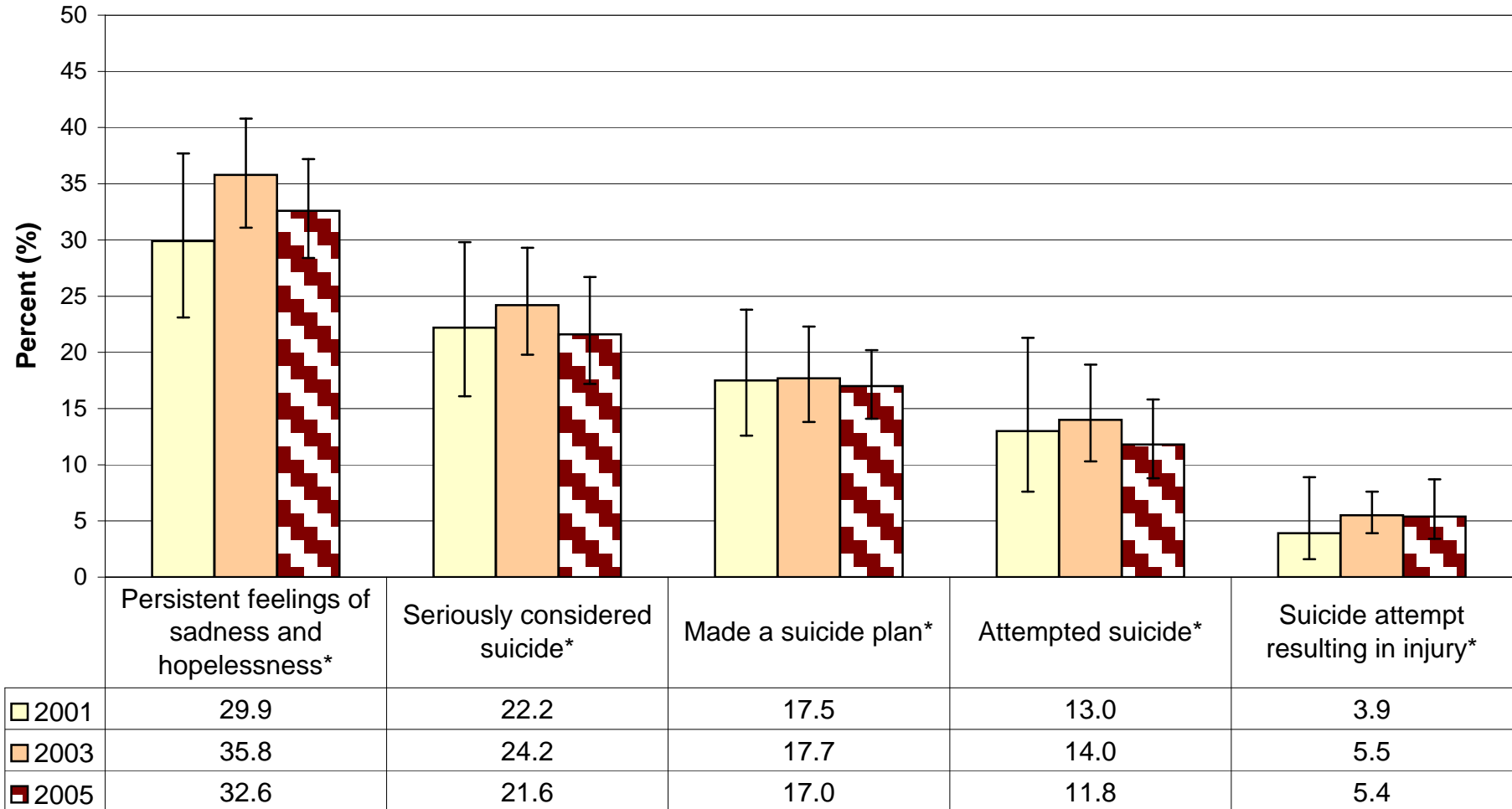
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Sadness, Suicidal Ideation, and Suicide Attempts

Colfax County; 2001, 2003, and 2005

Grades 9 - 12, NM YRRS



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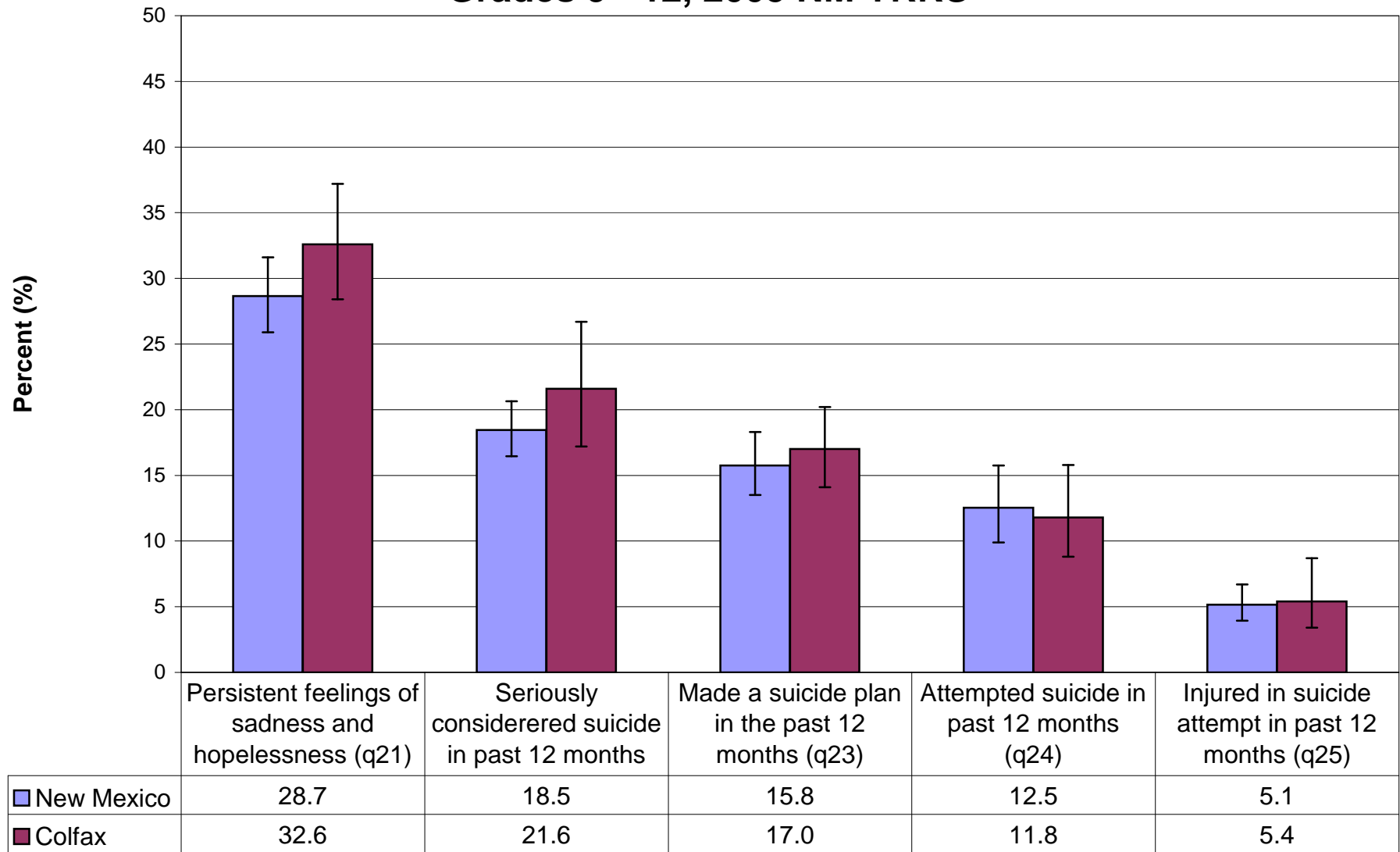
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New Mexico and Colfax County

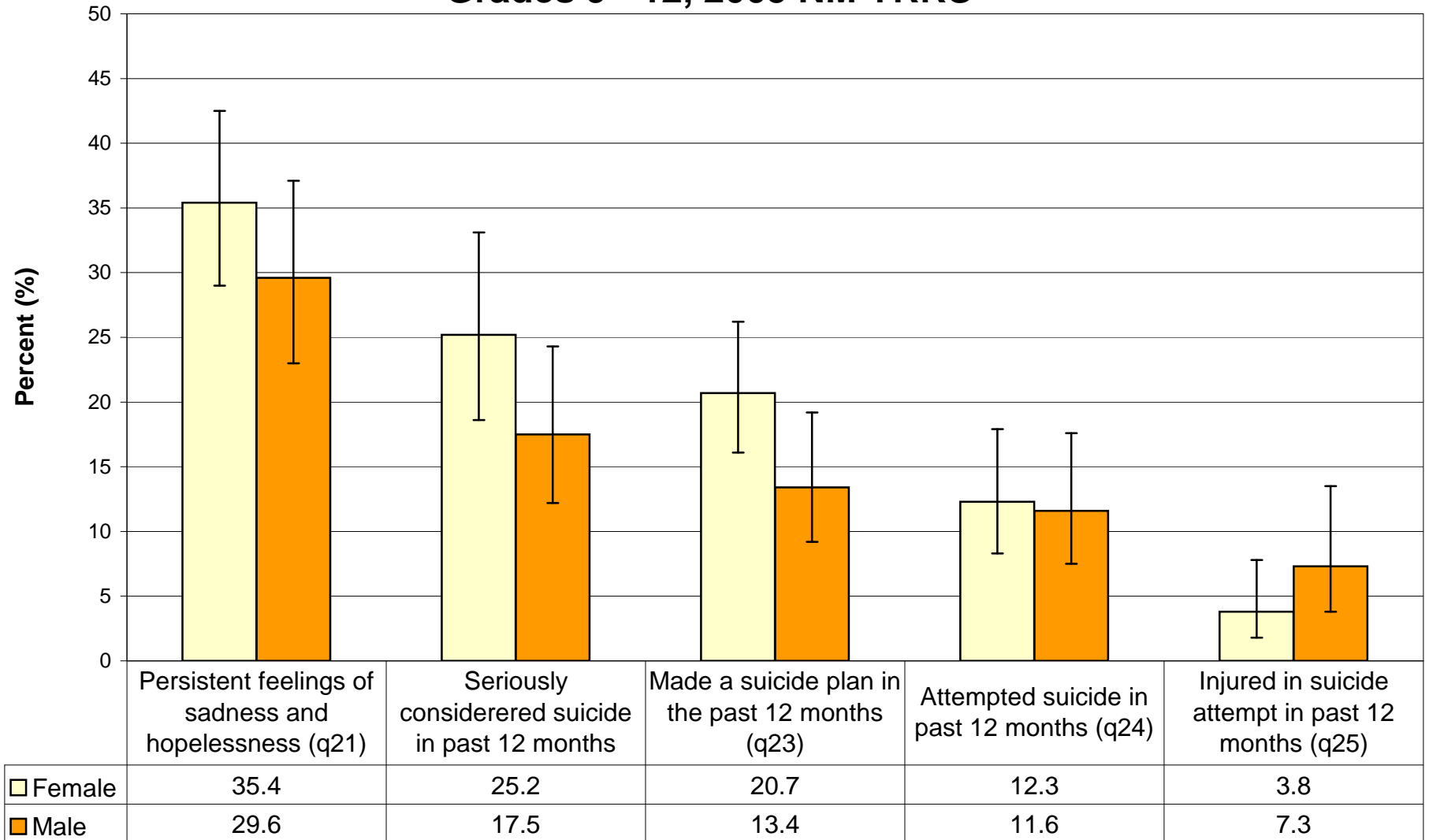
Grades 9 - 12, 2005 NM YRRS



* Feeling so sad and hopeless every day for at least 2 weeks so stopped some usual activities, within the past 12 months

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Sadness, Suicidal Ideation, and Suicide Attempts by Gender in Colfax County Grades 9 - 12, 2005 NM YRRS

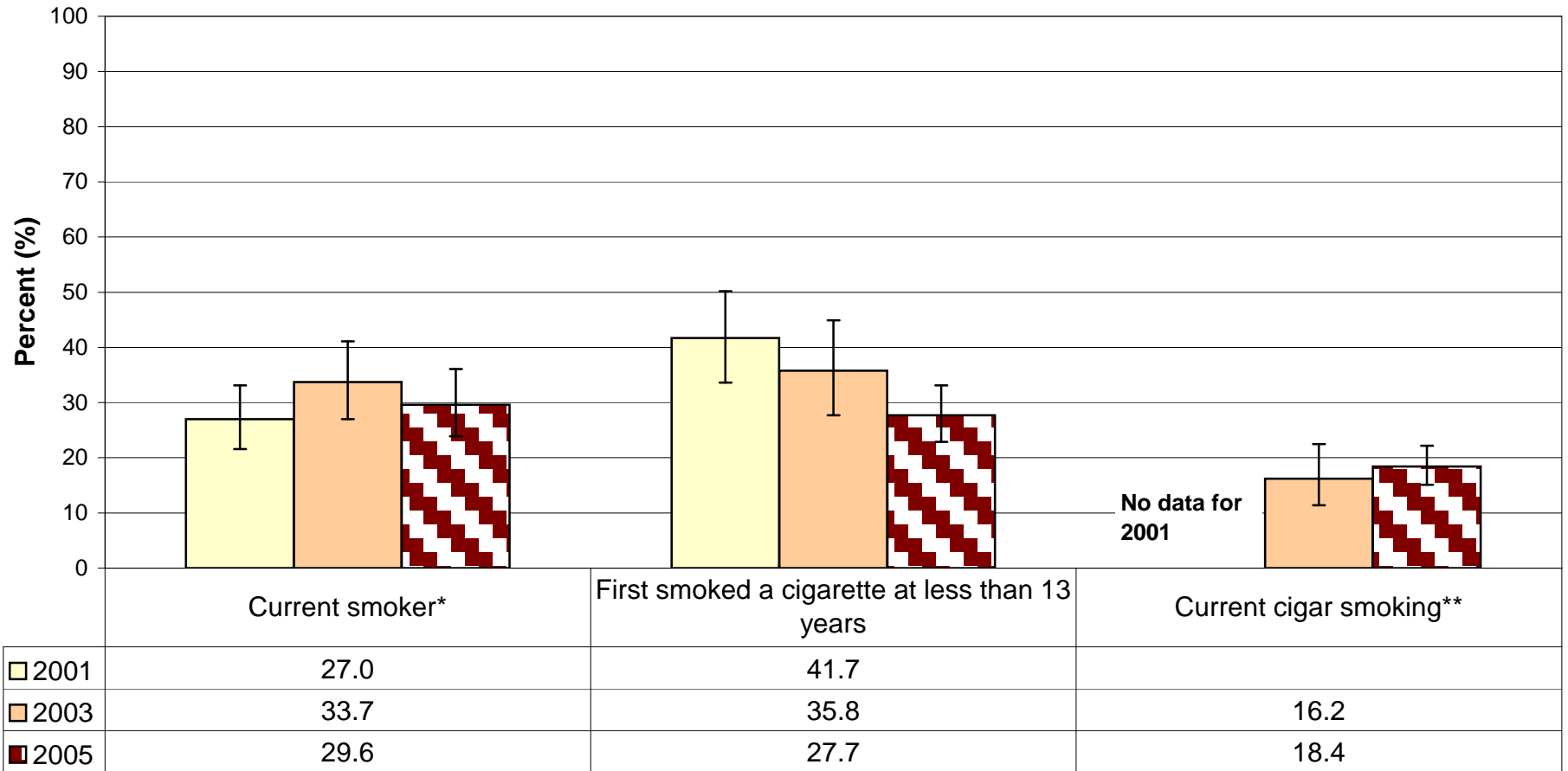


* Feeling so sad and hopeless every day for at least 2 weeks so stopped some usual activities, within the past 12 months

** In past 12 months

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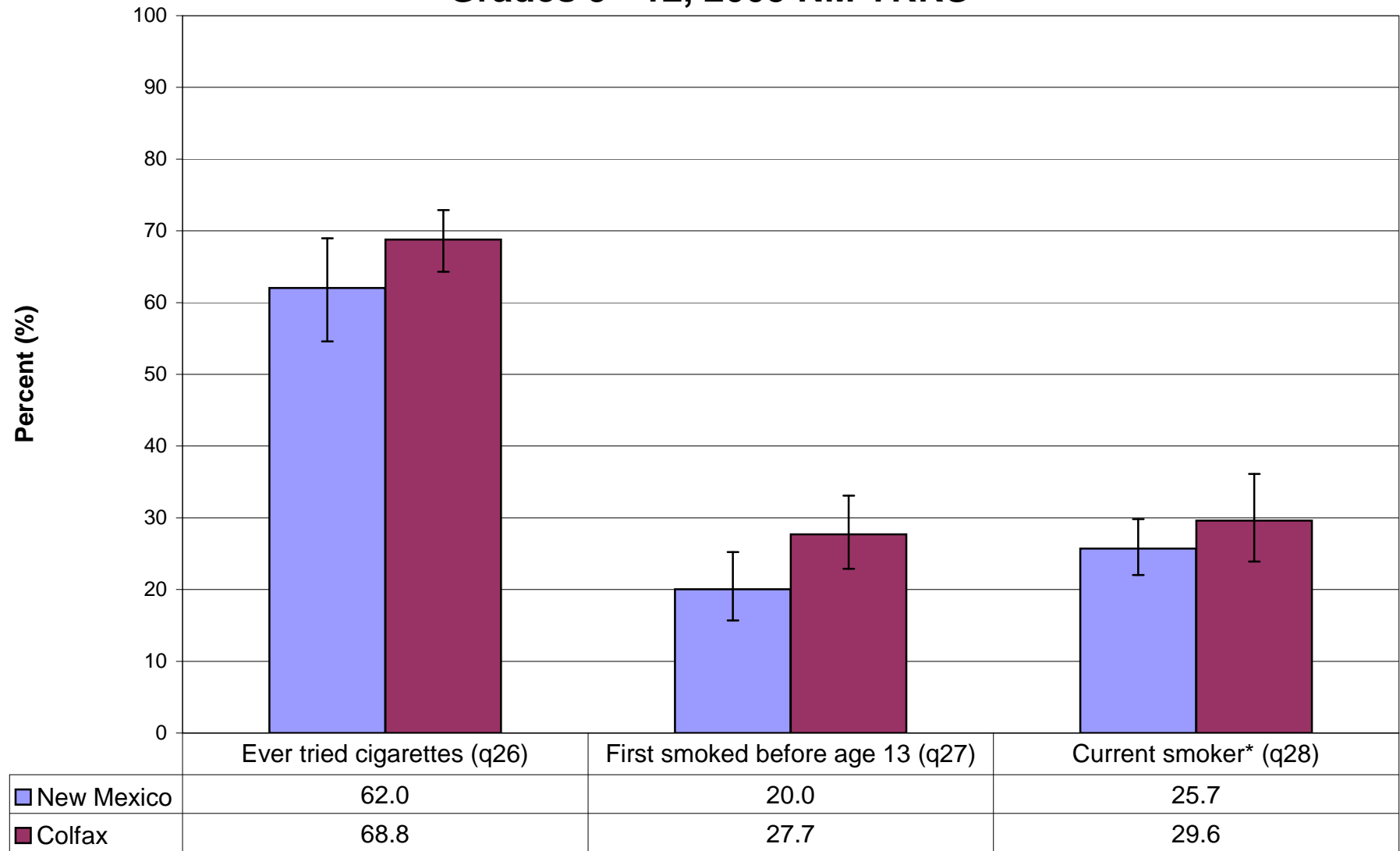


* Smoked a cigarette in past 30 days

** Smoked a cigar, cigarillo, or little cigar in past 30 days

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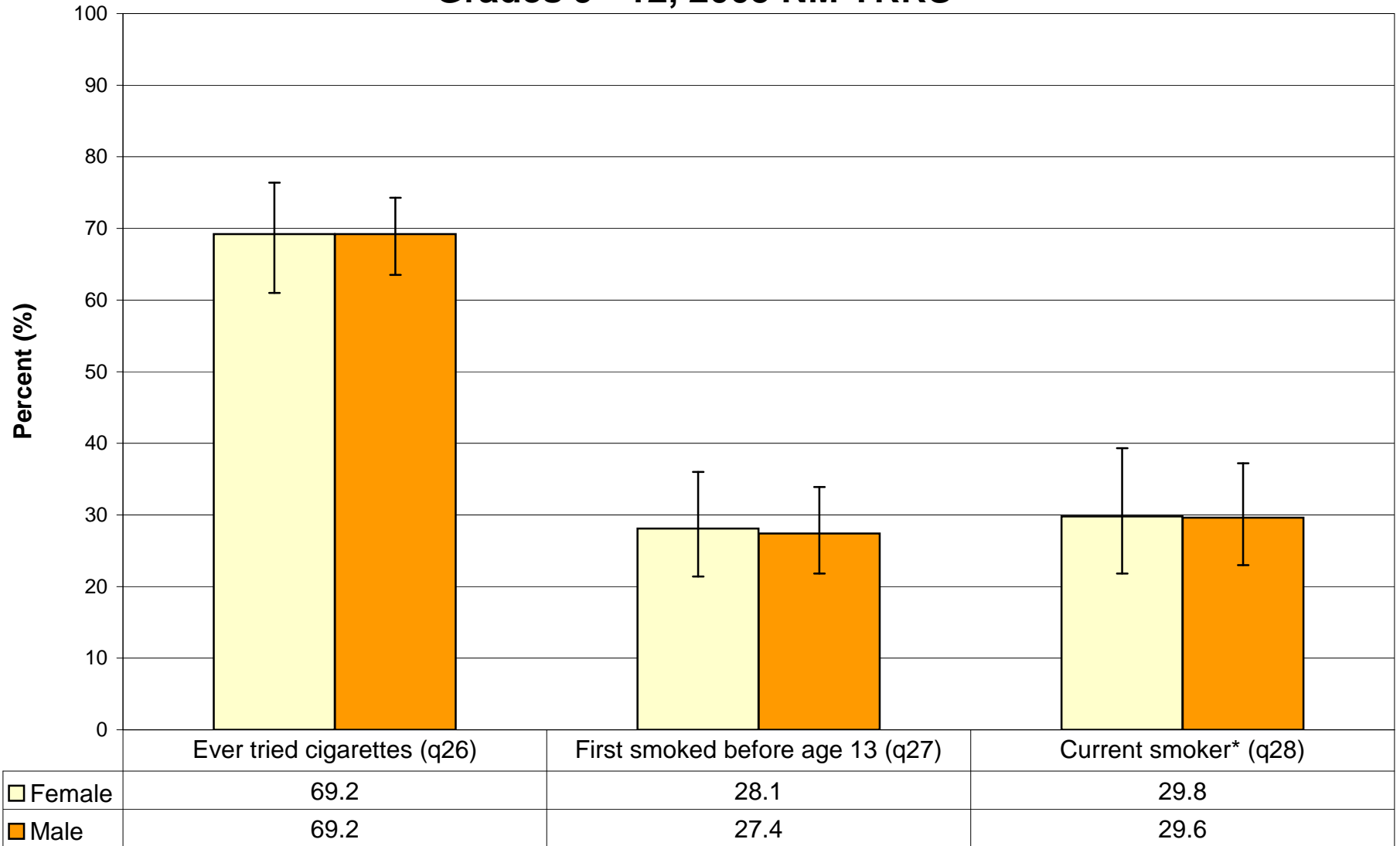
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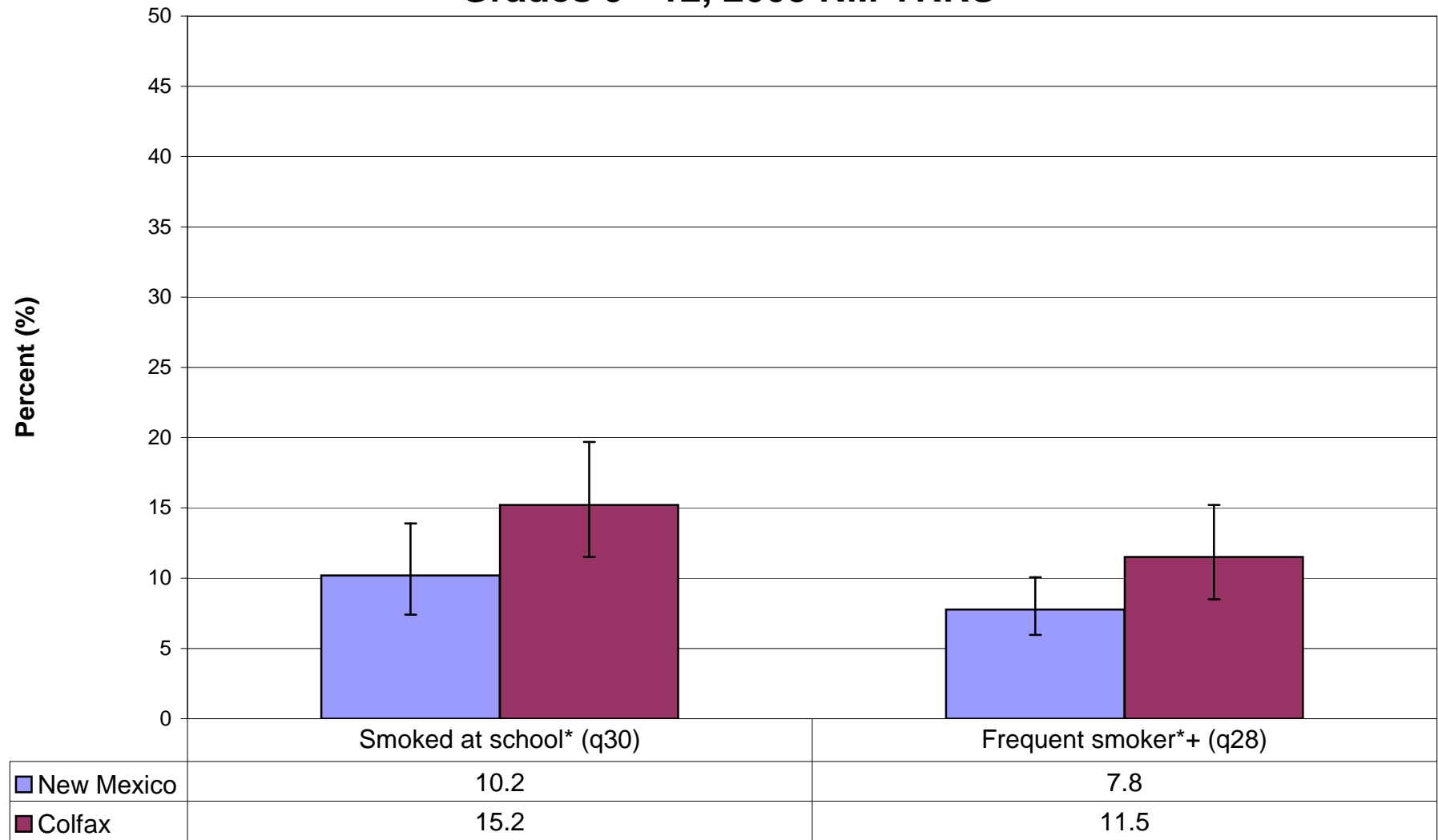
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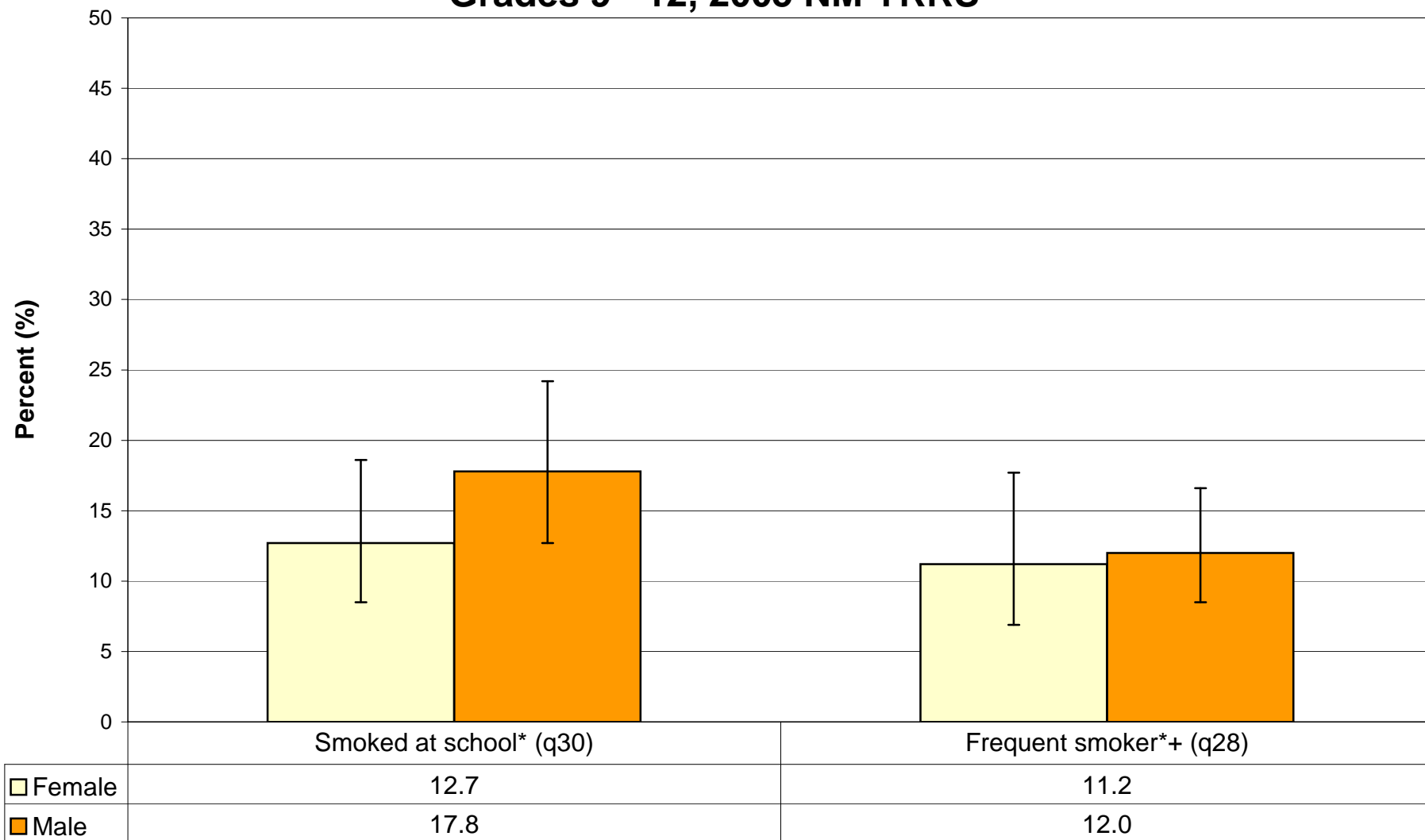


* Smoked cigarettes within the past 30 days

+ Smoked 20 or more of past 30 days

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Cigarette Smoking (continued) by Gender in Colfax County Grades 9 - 12, 2005 NM YRRS

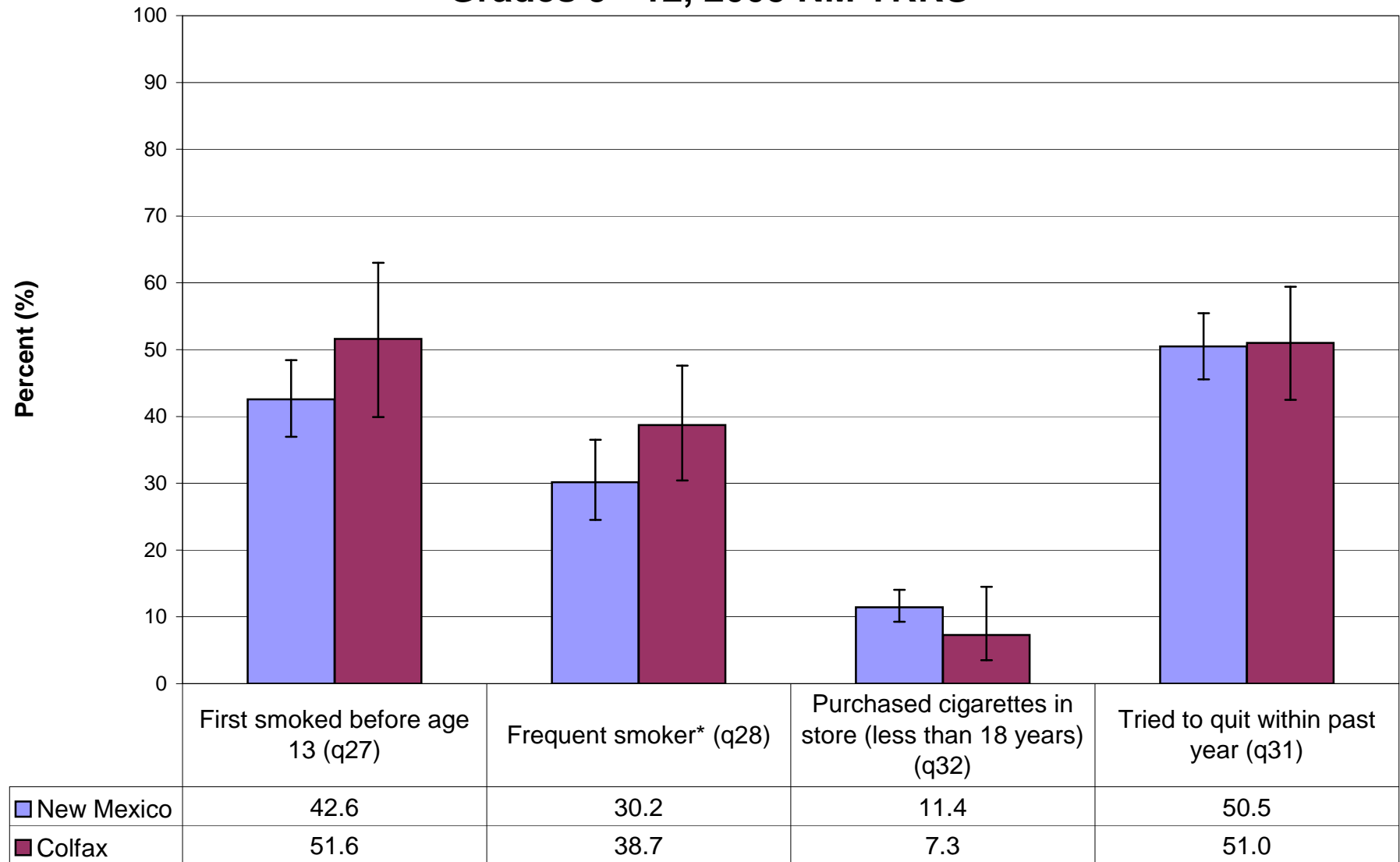


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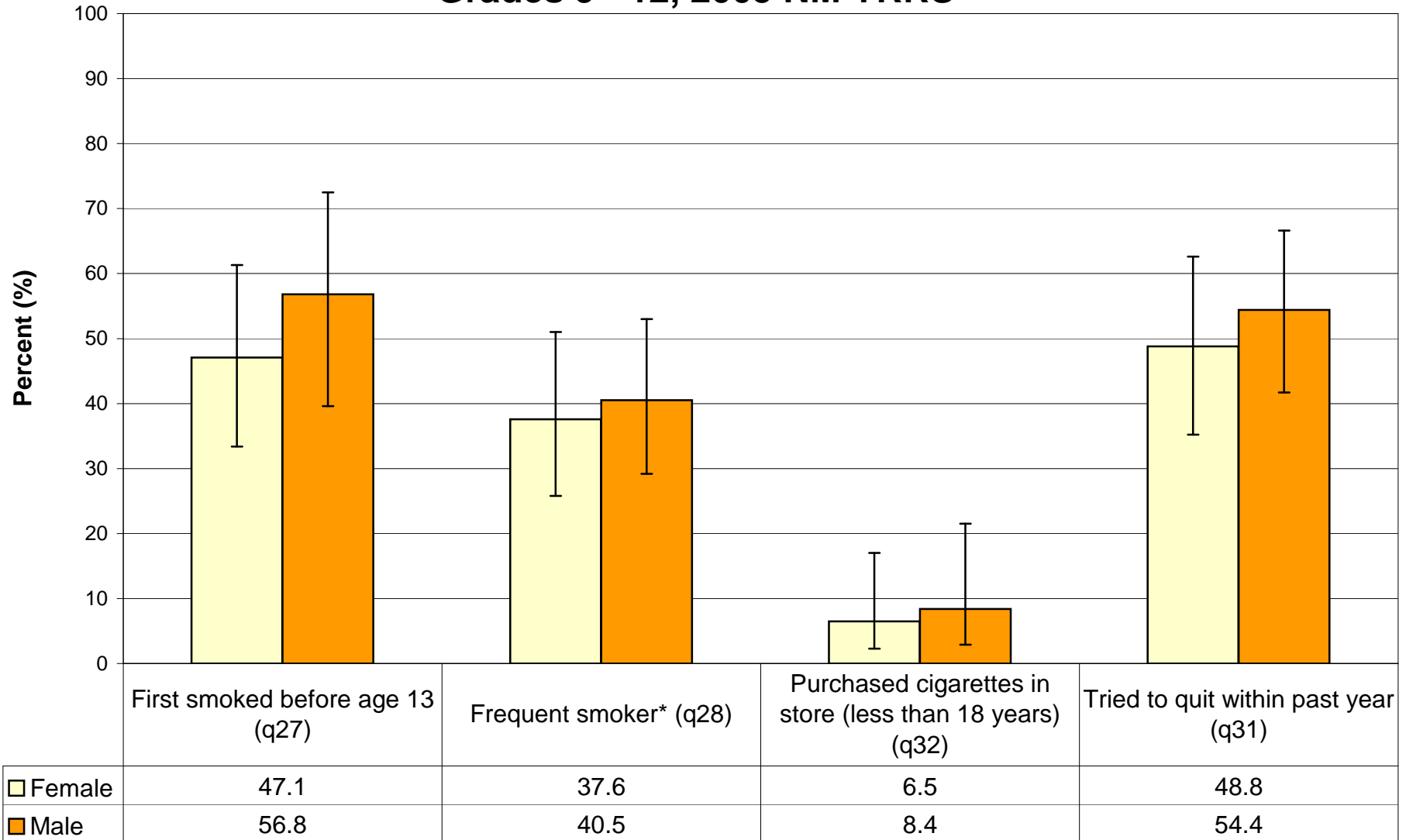
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+ Smoked 20 or more of past 30 days

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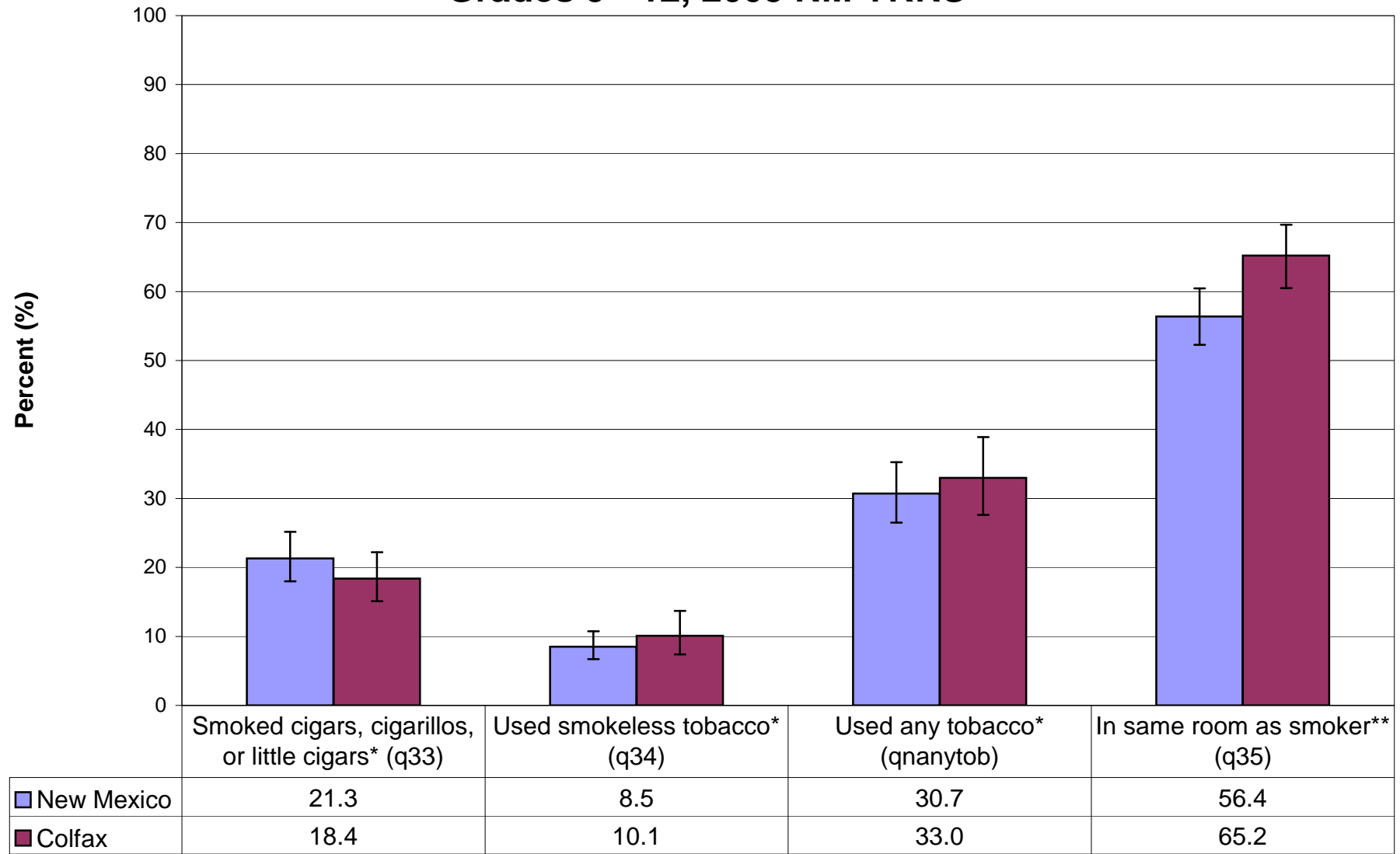
Behaviors of Current Smokers by Gender in Colfax County Grades 9 - 12, 2005 NM YRRS



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Other Tobacco Use and Exposure New Mexico and Colfax County Grades 9 - 12, 2005 NM YRRS

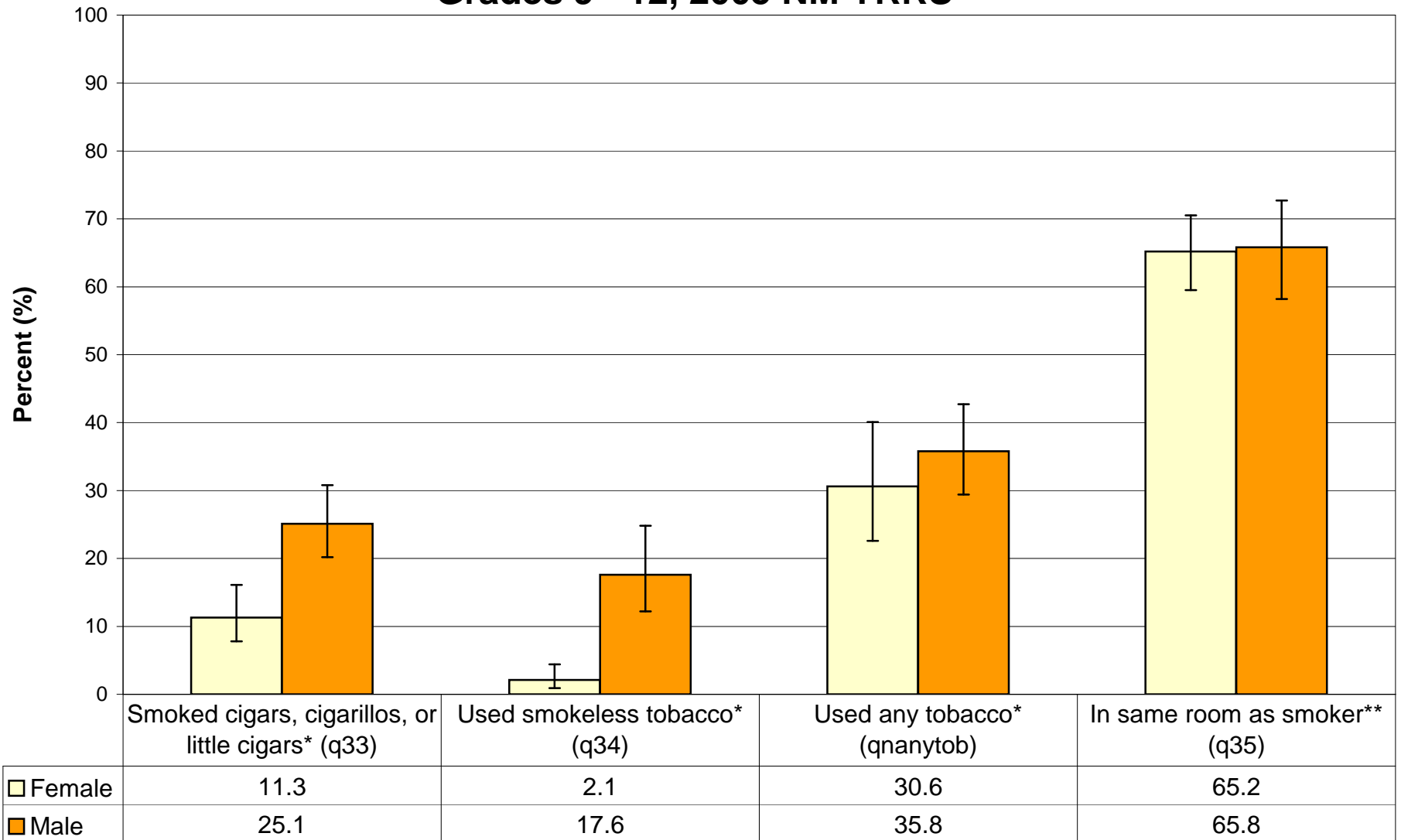


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Other Tobacco Use and Exposure by Gender in Colfax County Grades 9 - 12, 2005 NM YRRS

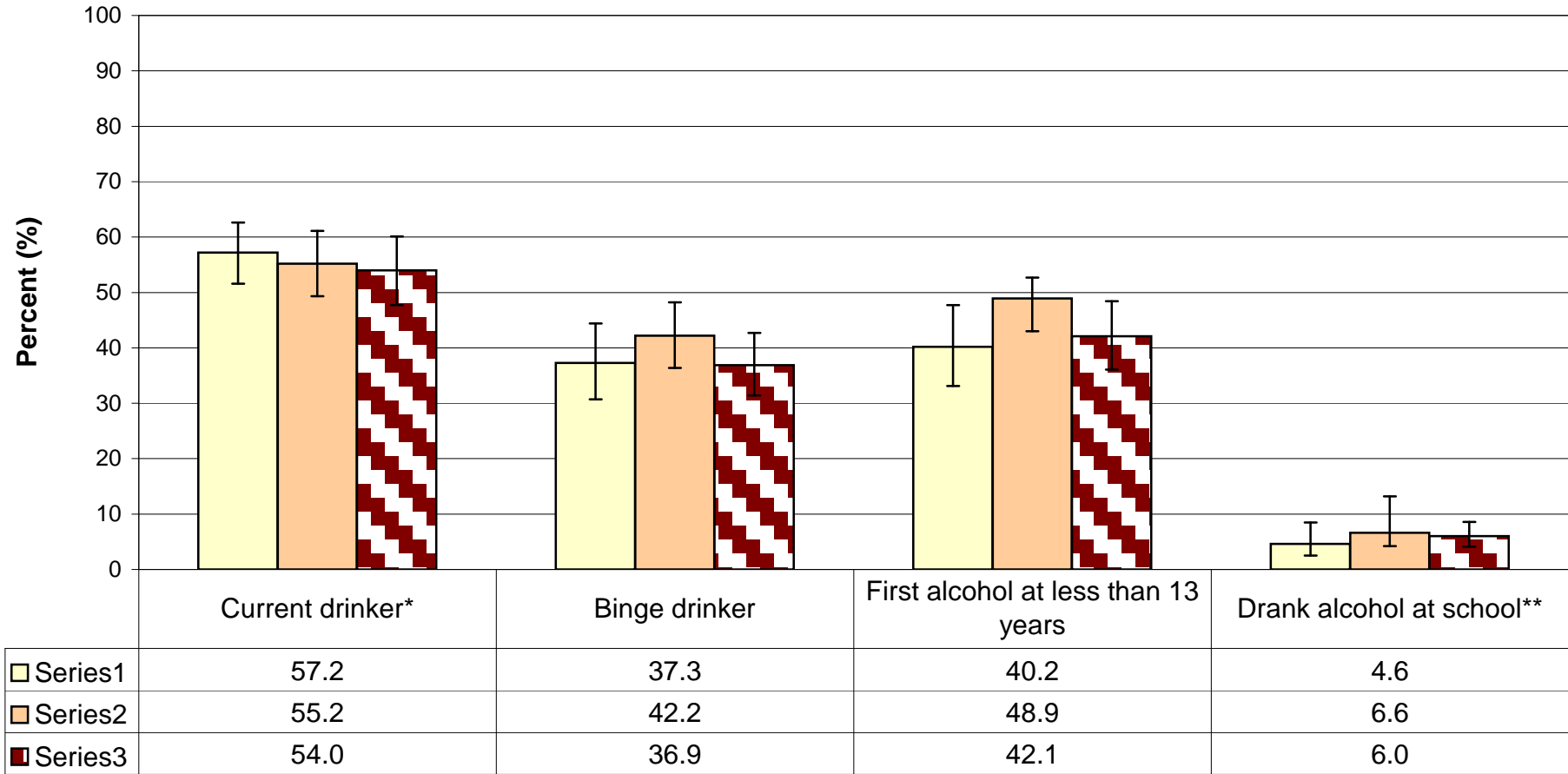


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Alcohol Use Colfax County; 2001, 2003, and 2005 Grades 9 - 12, NM YRRS

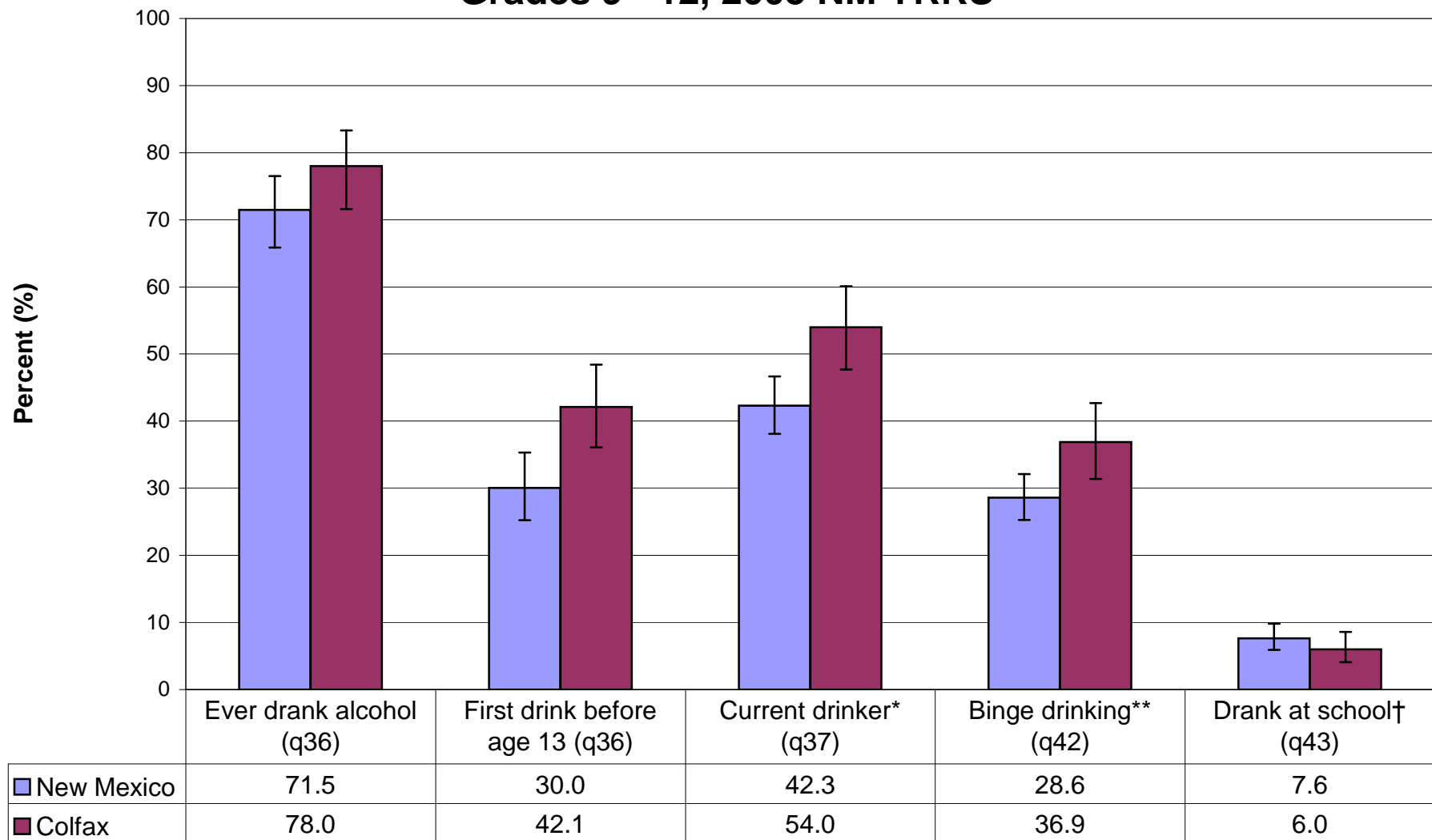


* Had at least one drink of alcohol in the past 30 days

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Alcohol Use

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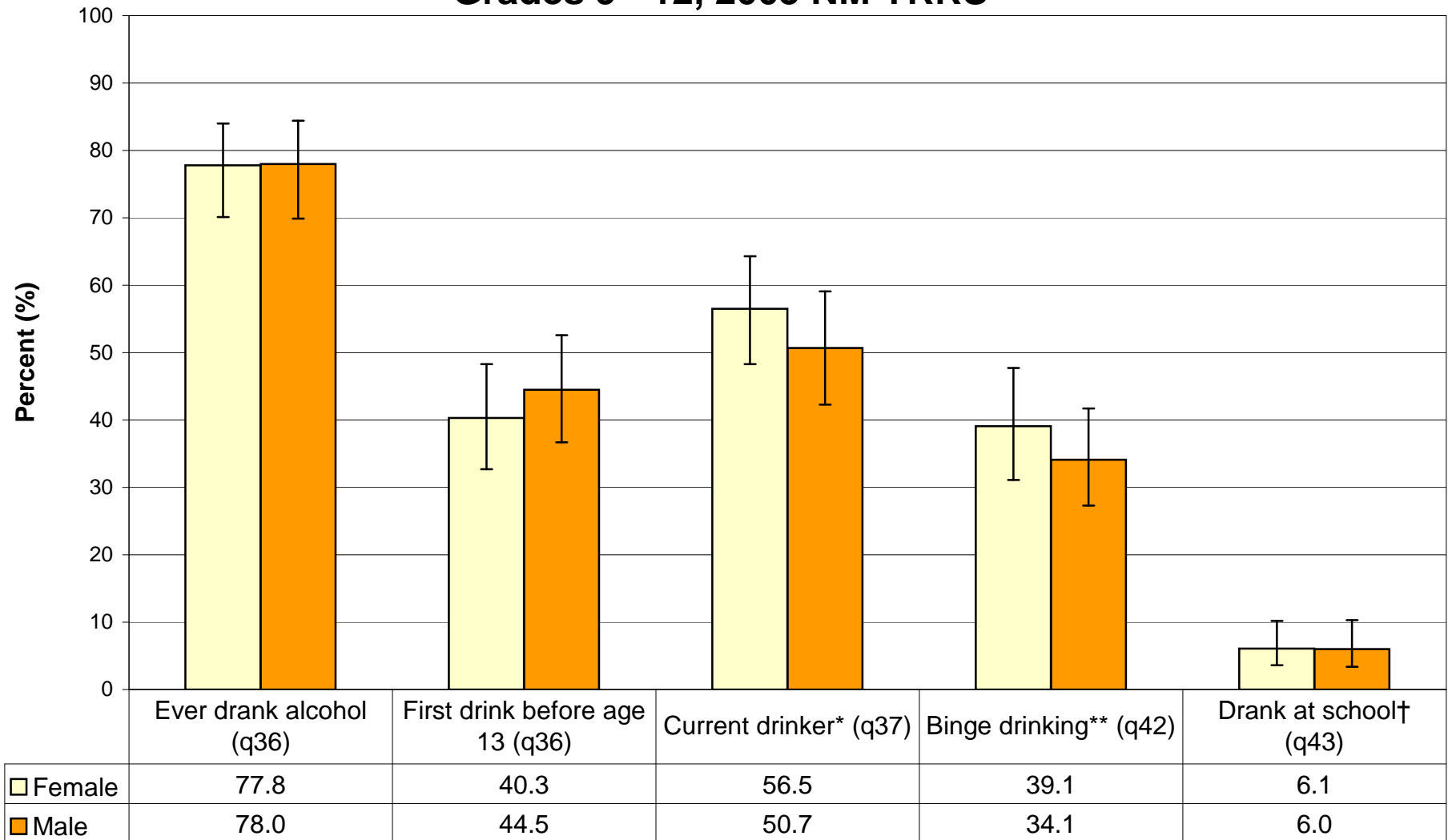
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** Had at least 5 or more drinks of alcohol in a row, or within a couple of hours, within the last 30 days

† Had at least one drink of alcohol on school property in the last 30 days

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Alcohol Use by Gender in Colfax County Grades 9 - 12, 2005 NM YRRS

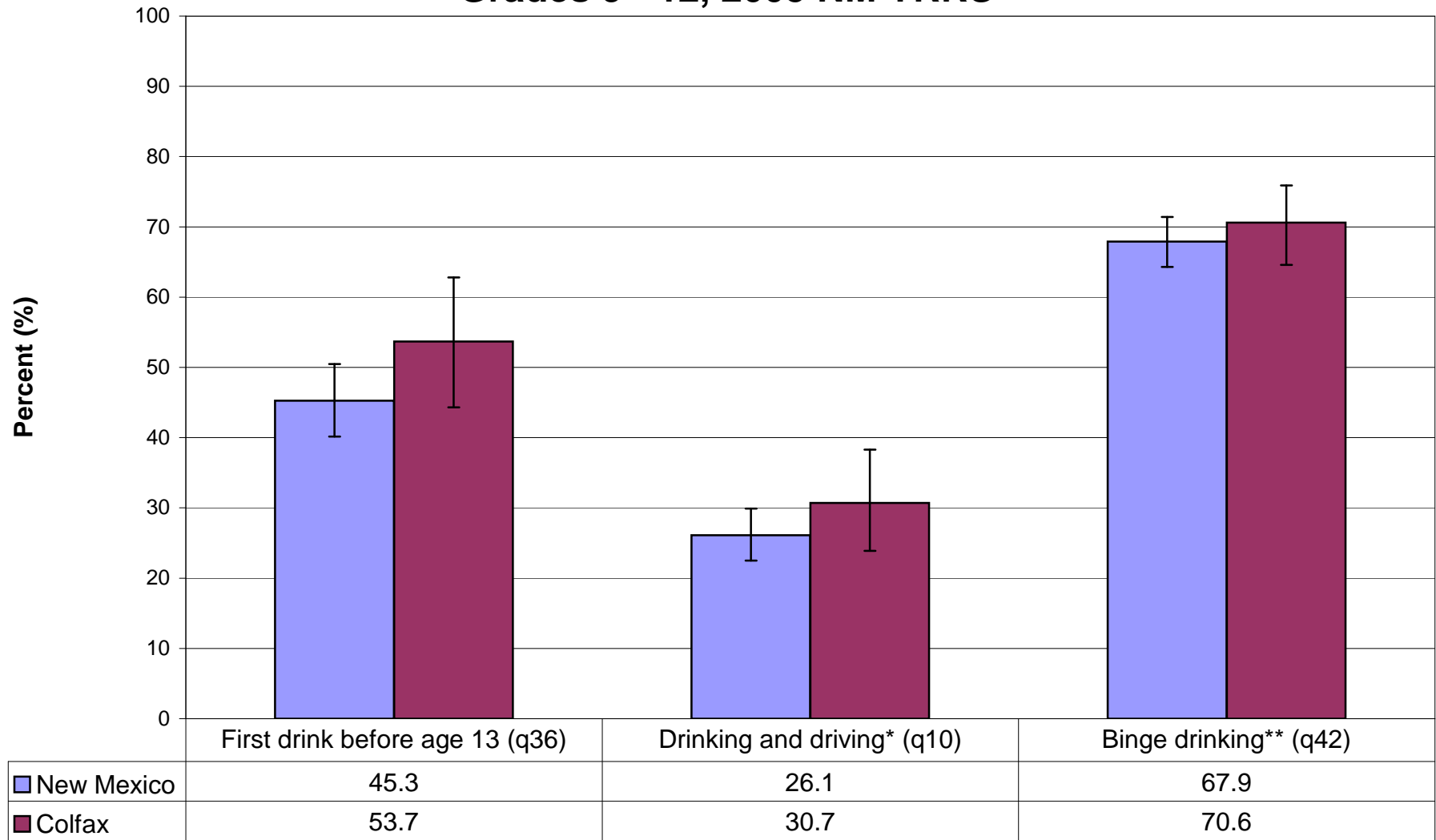


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Behaviors of Current Drinkers New Mexico and Colfax County Grades 9 - 12, 2005 NM YRRS

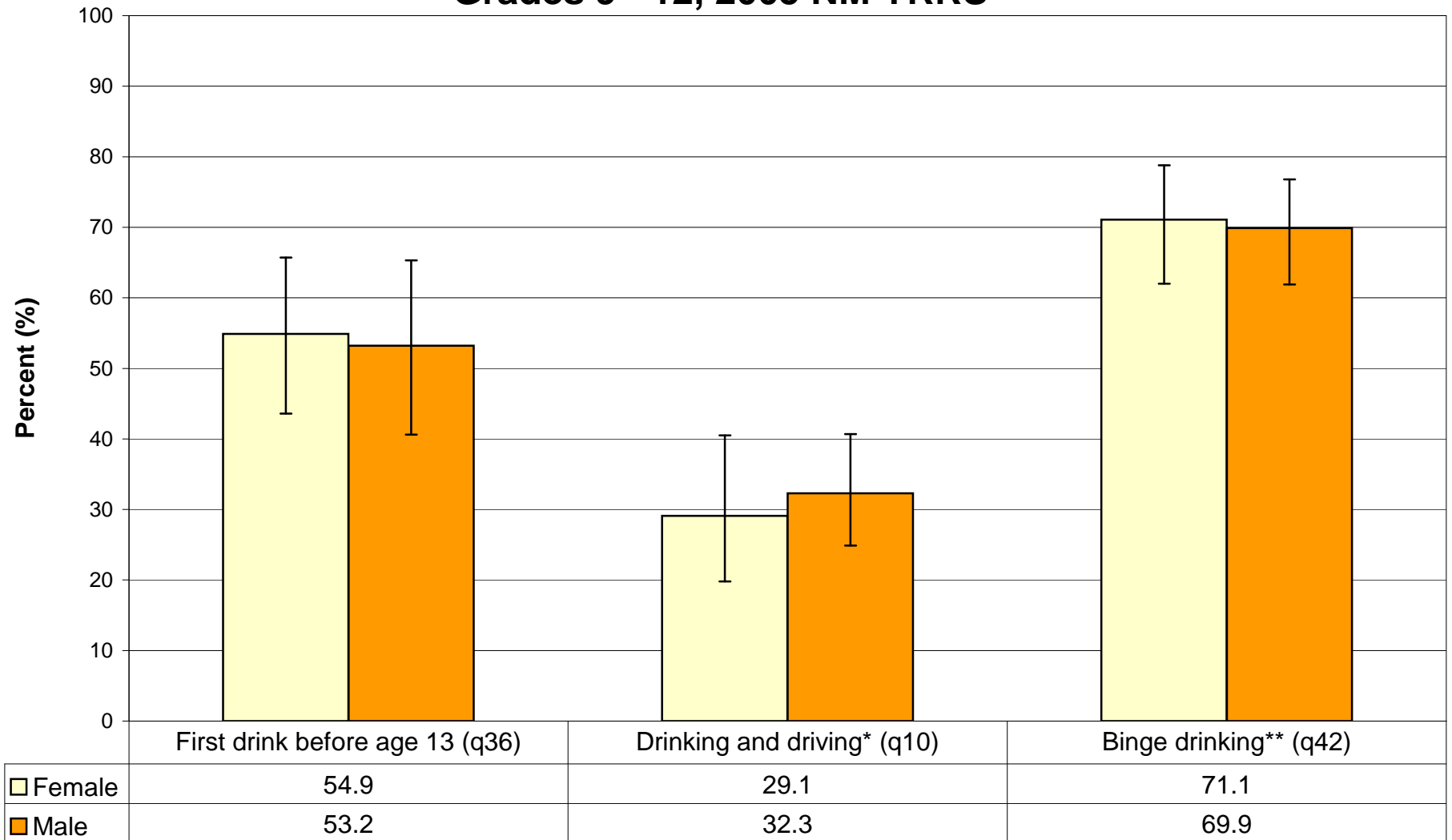


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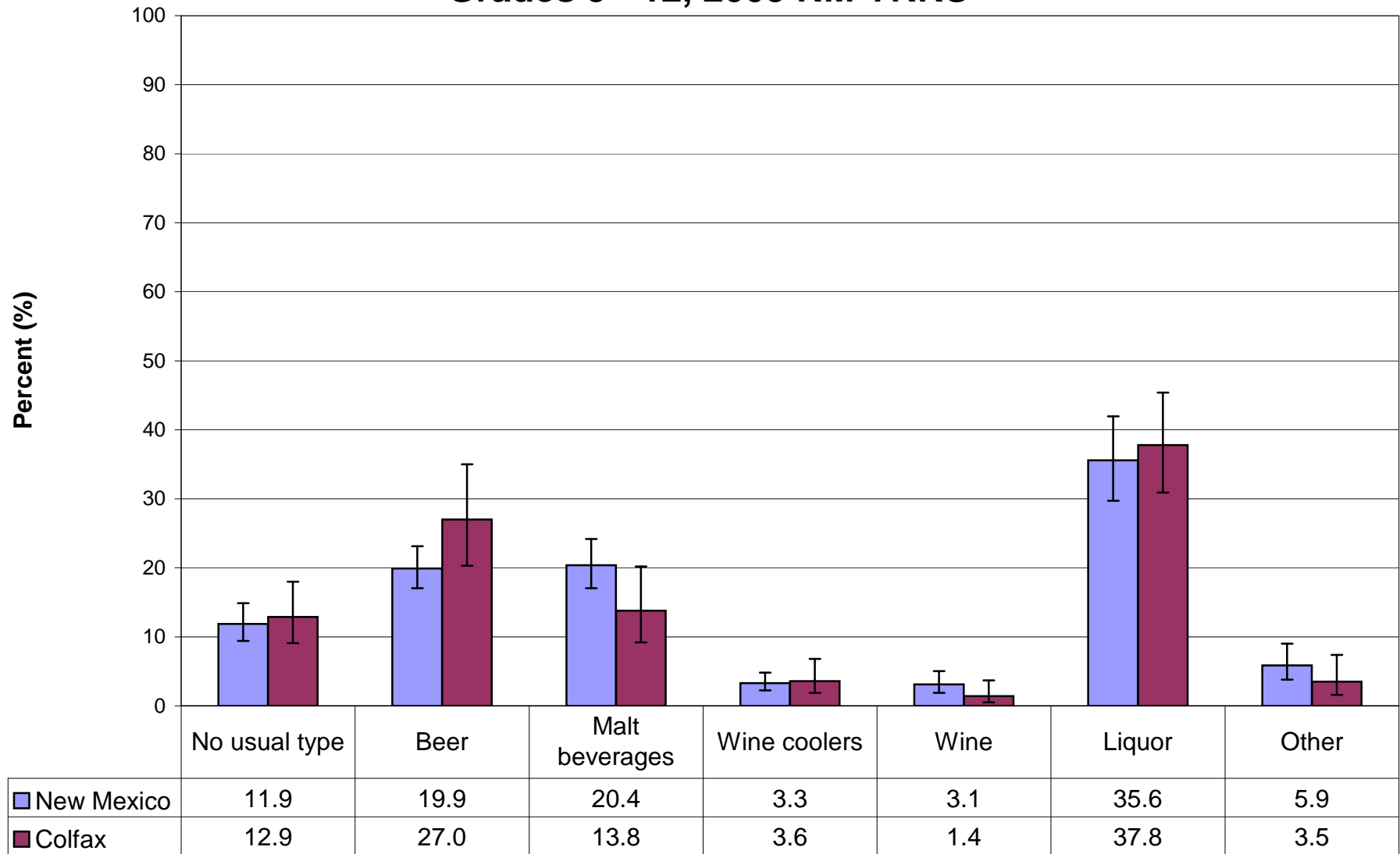


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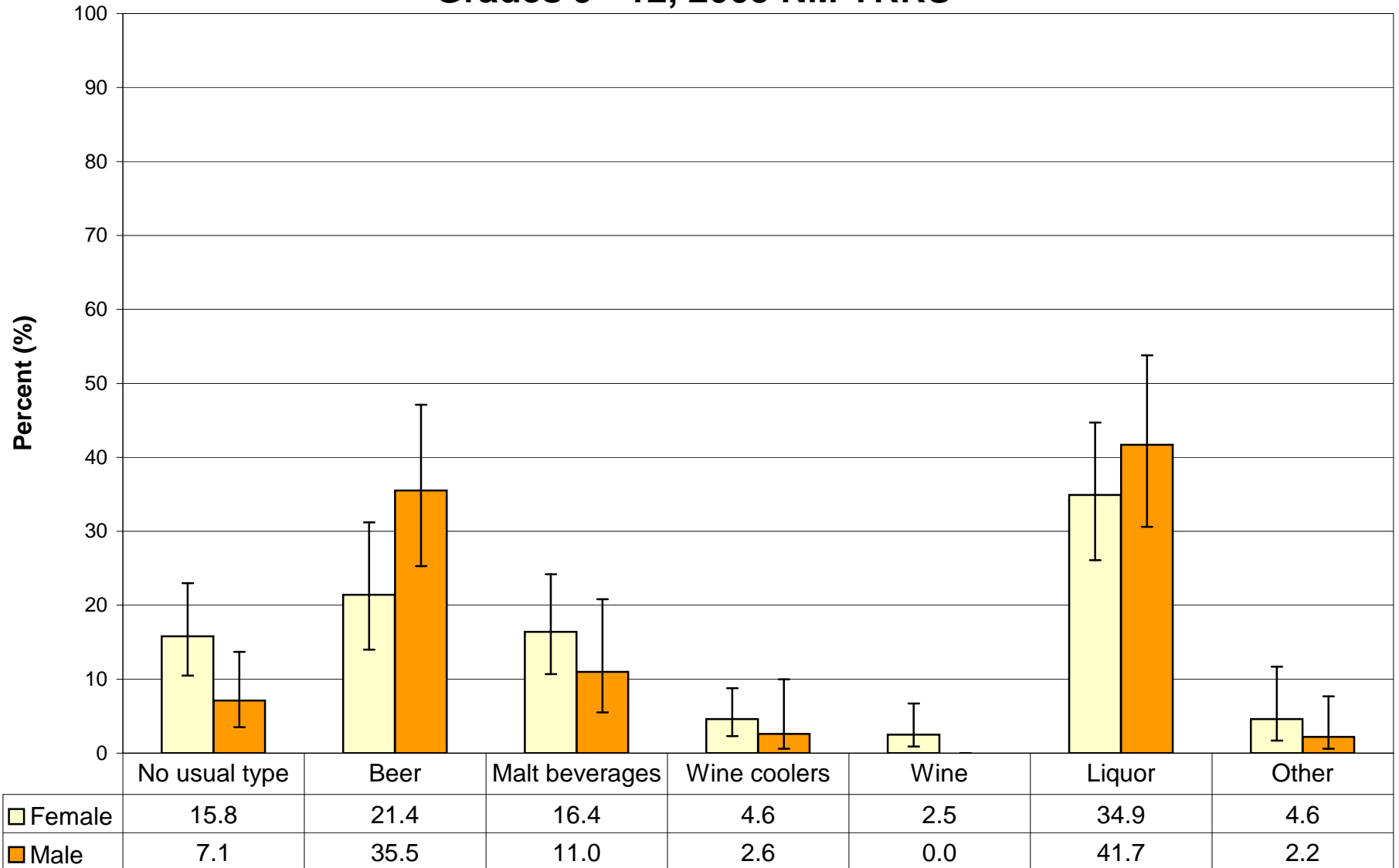
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Usual Type of Alcohol Consumed by Current Drinkers New Mexico and Colfax County Grades 9 - 12, 2005 NM YRRS



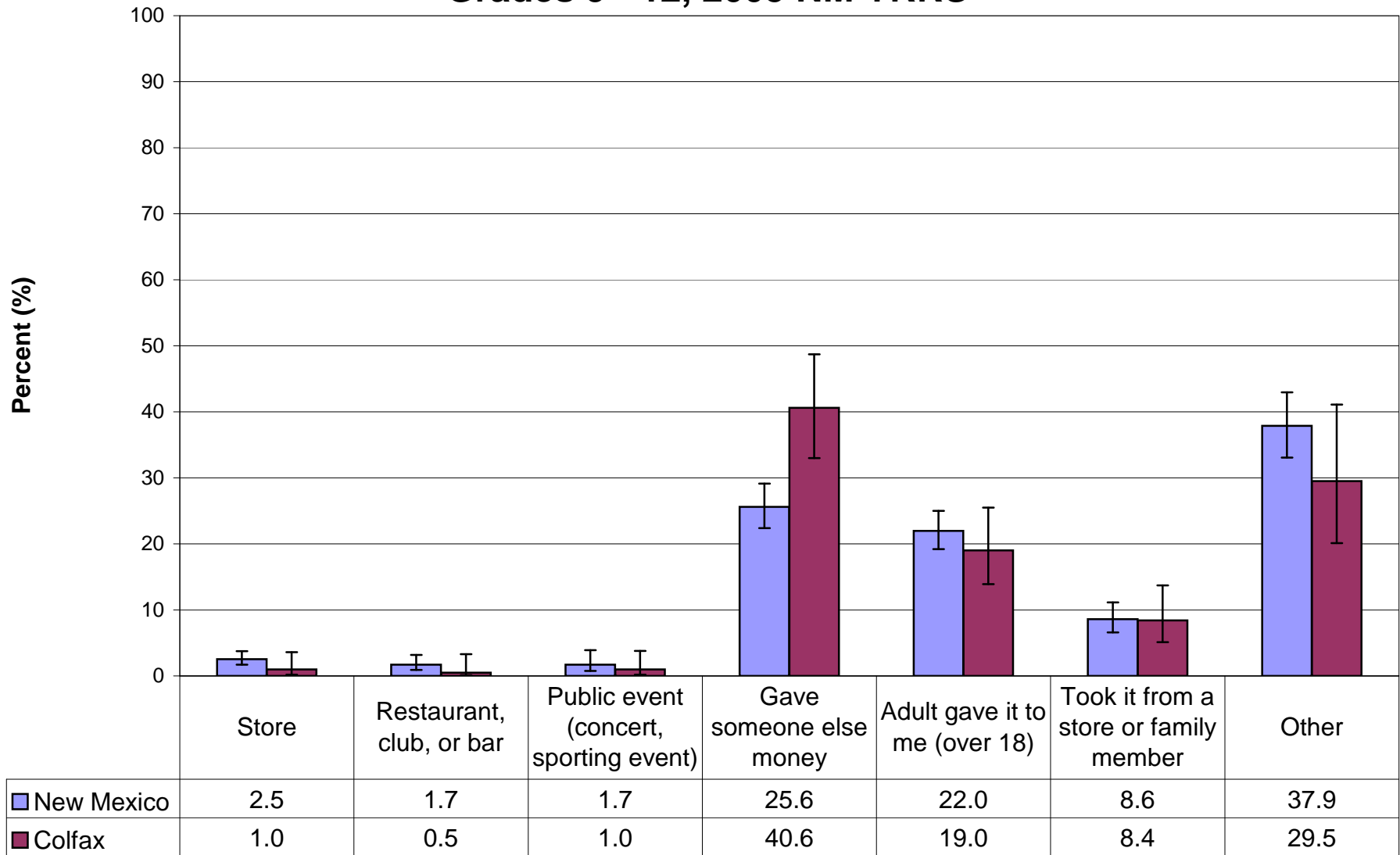
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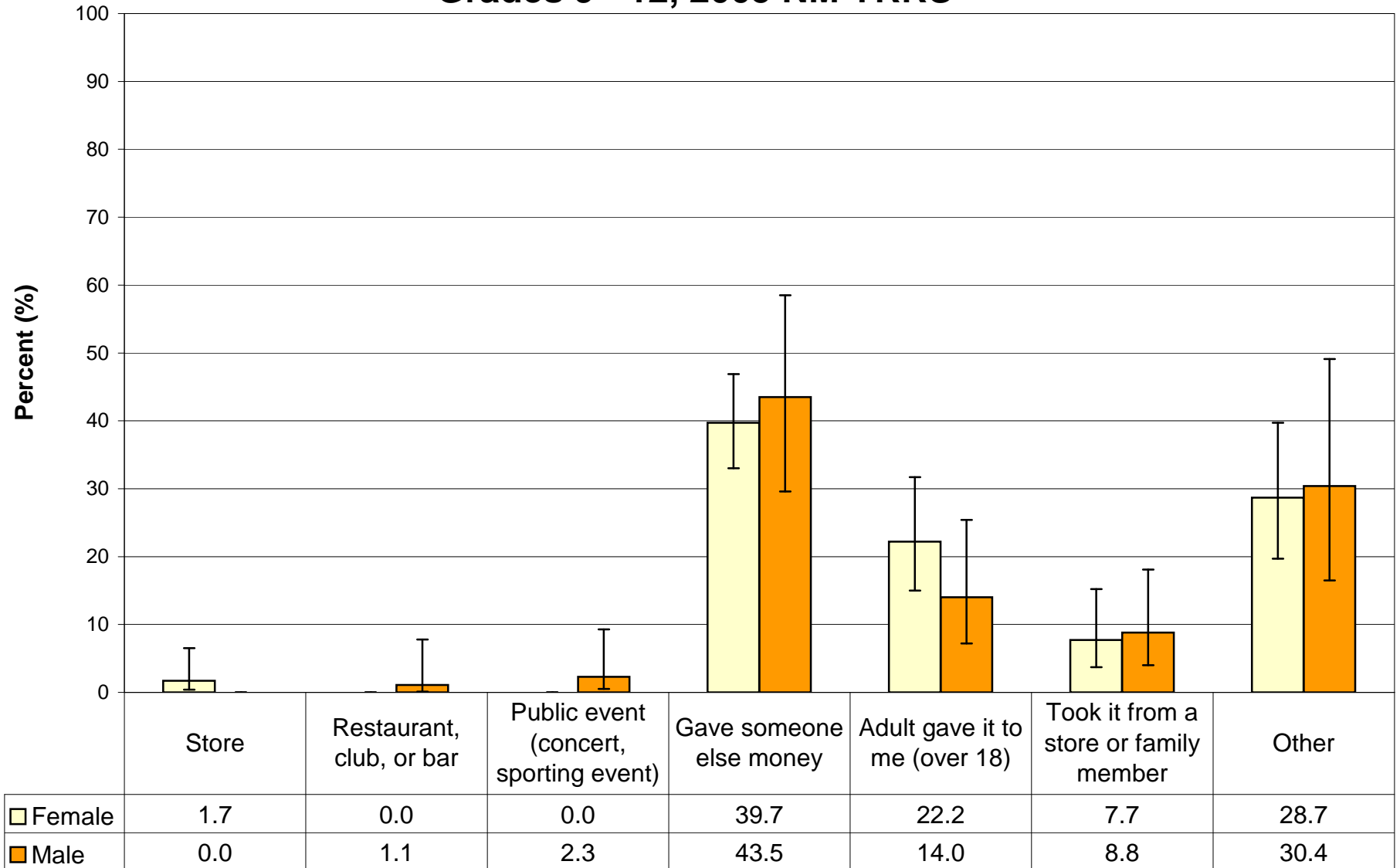
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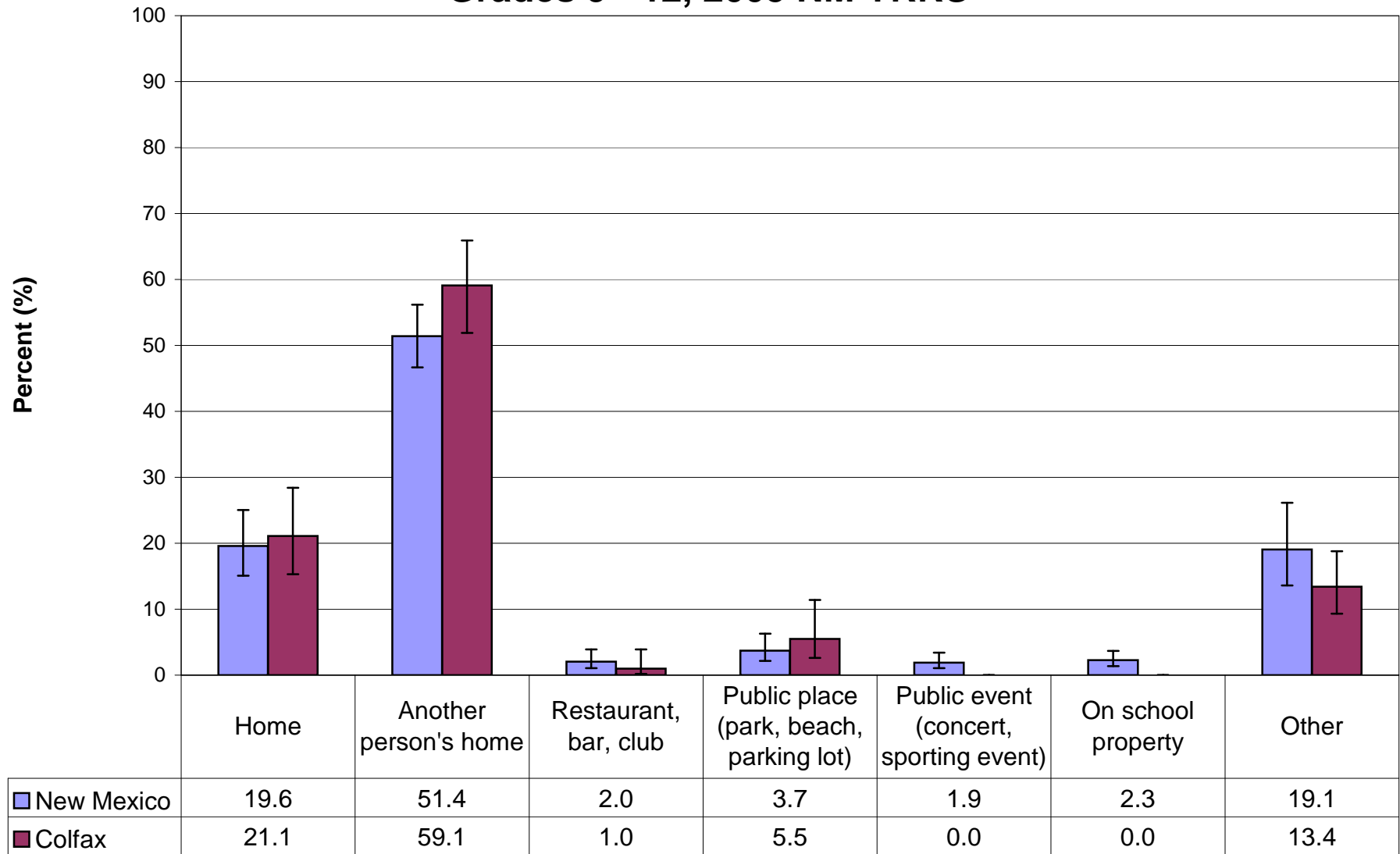
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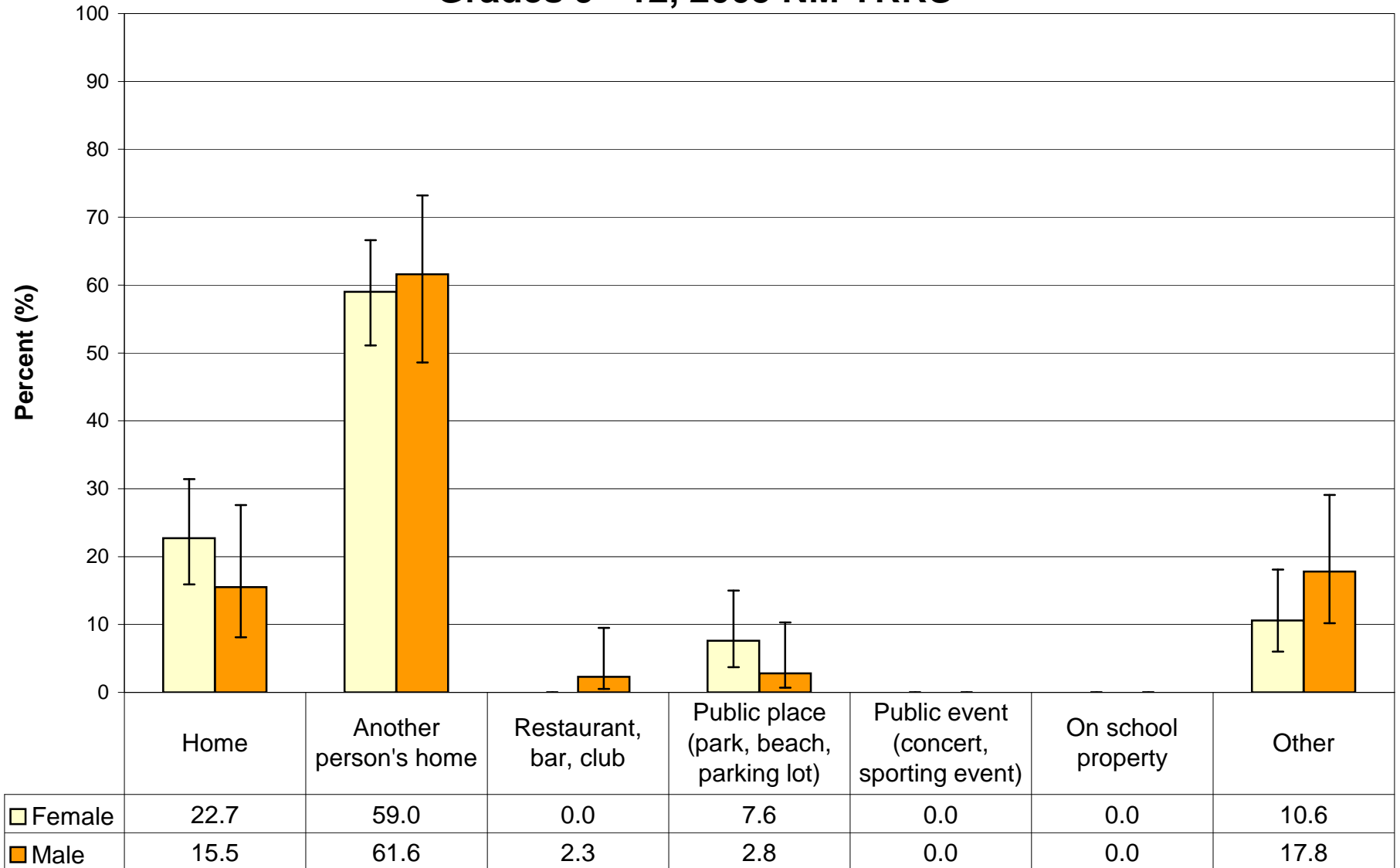
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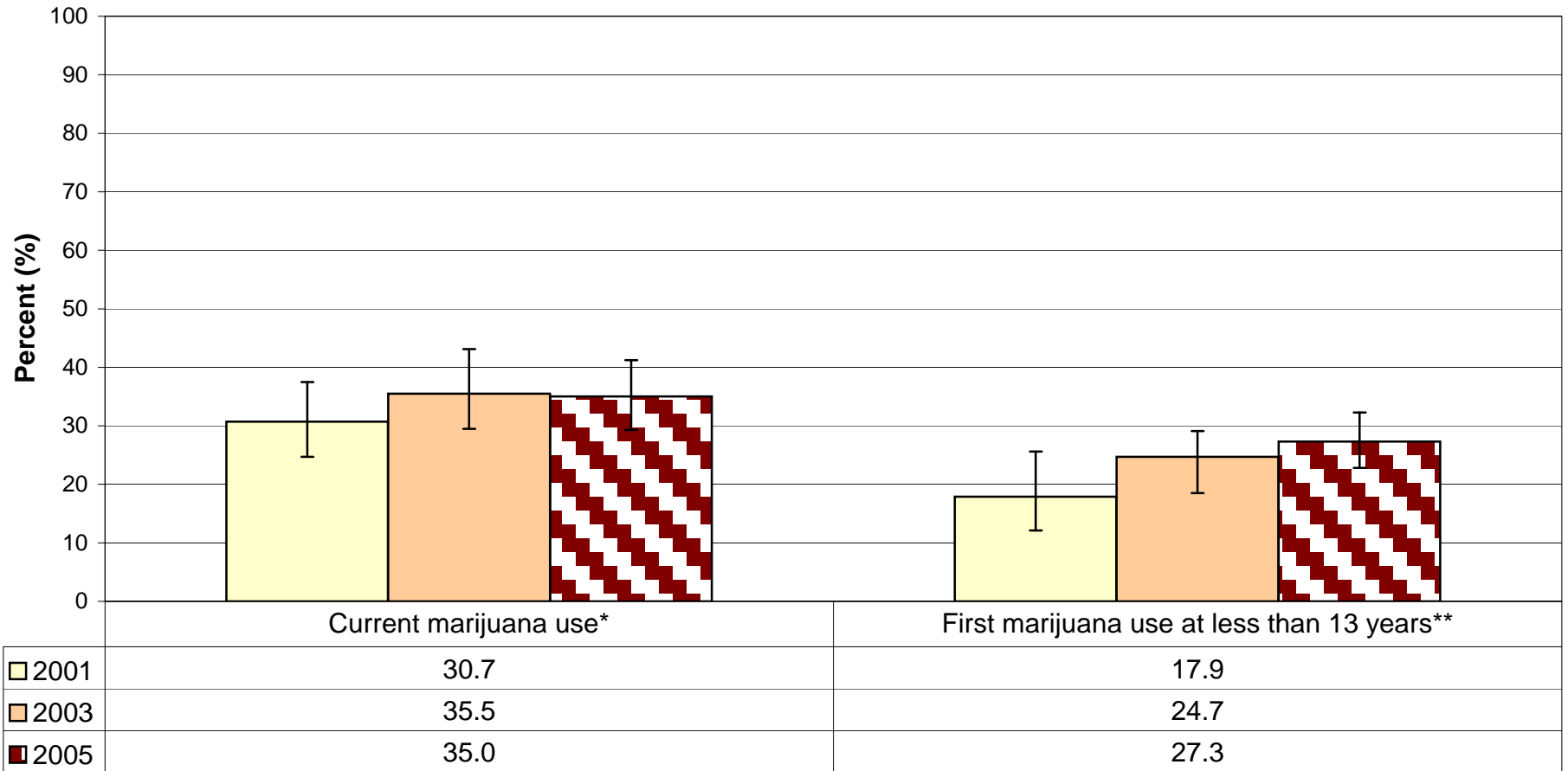
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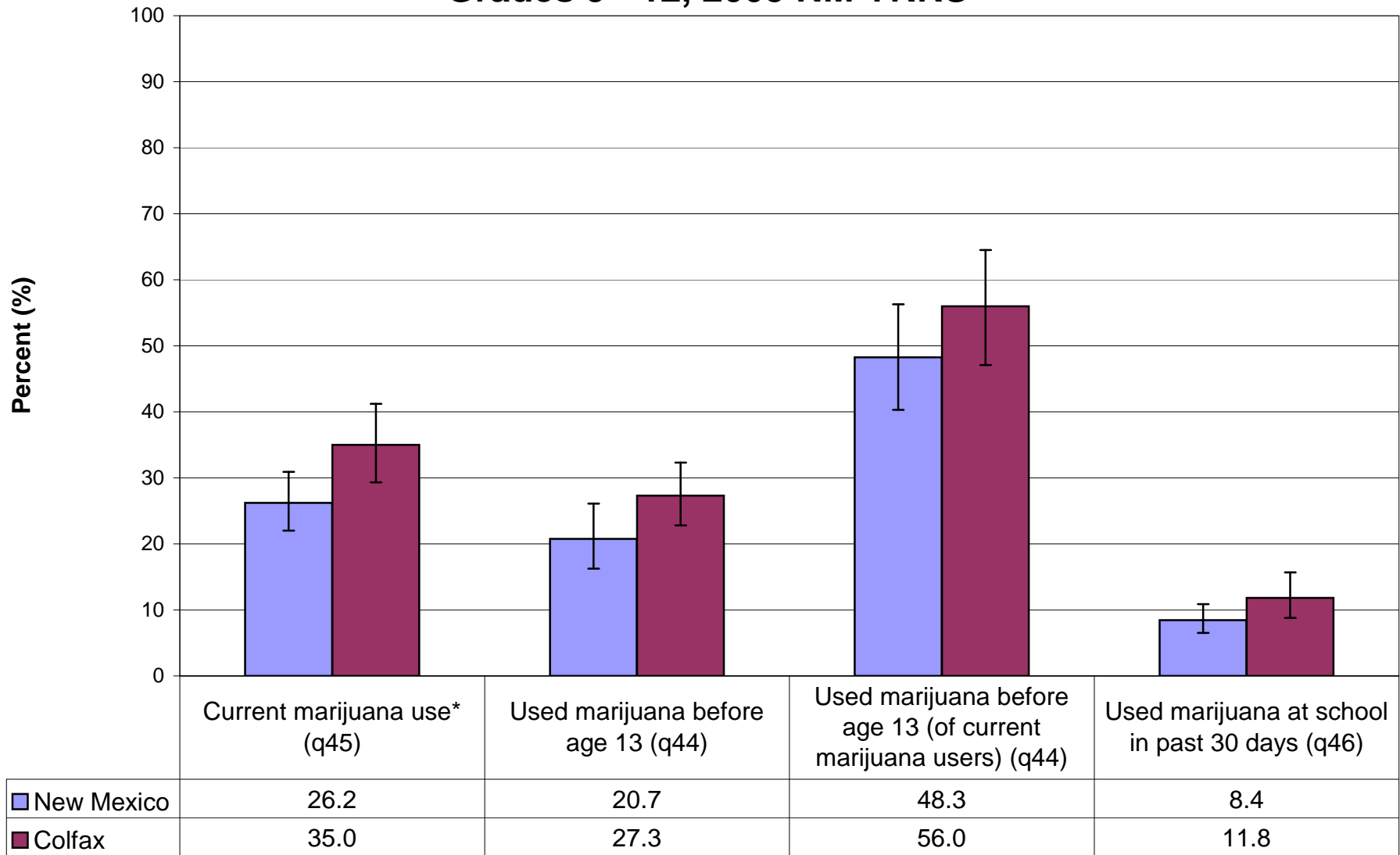
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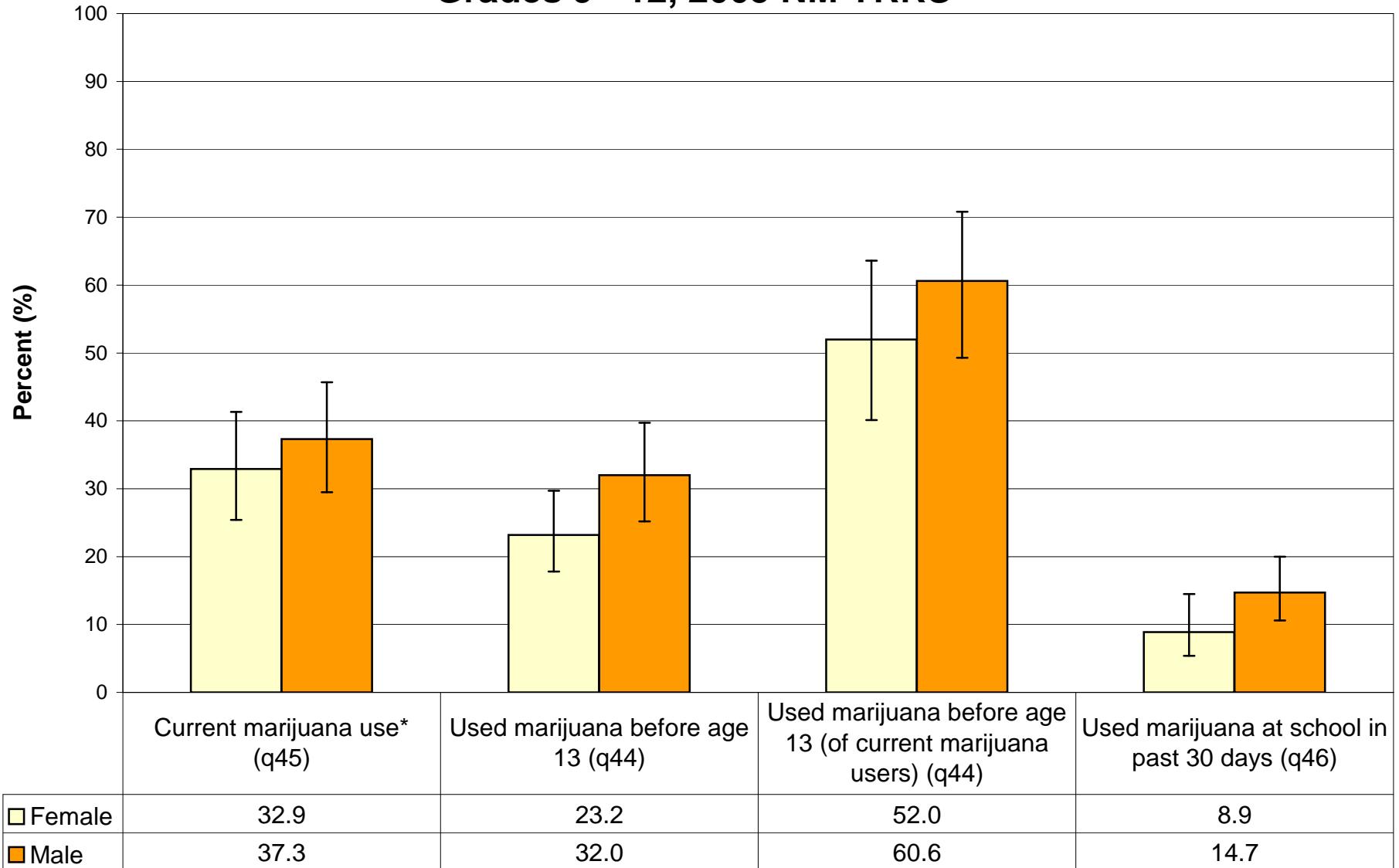
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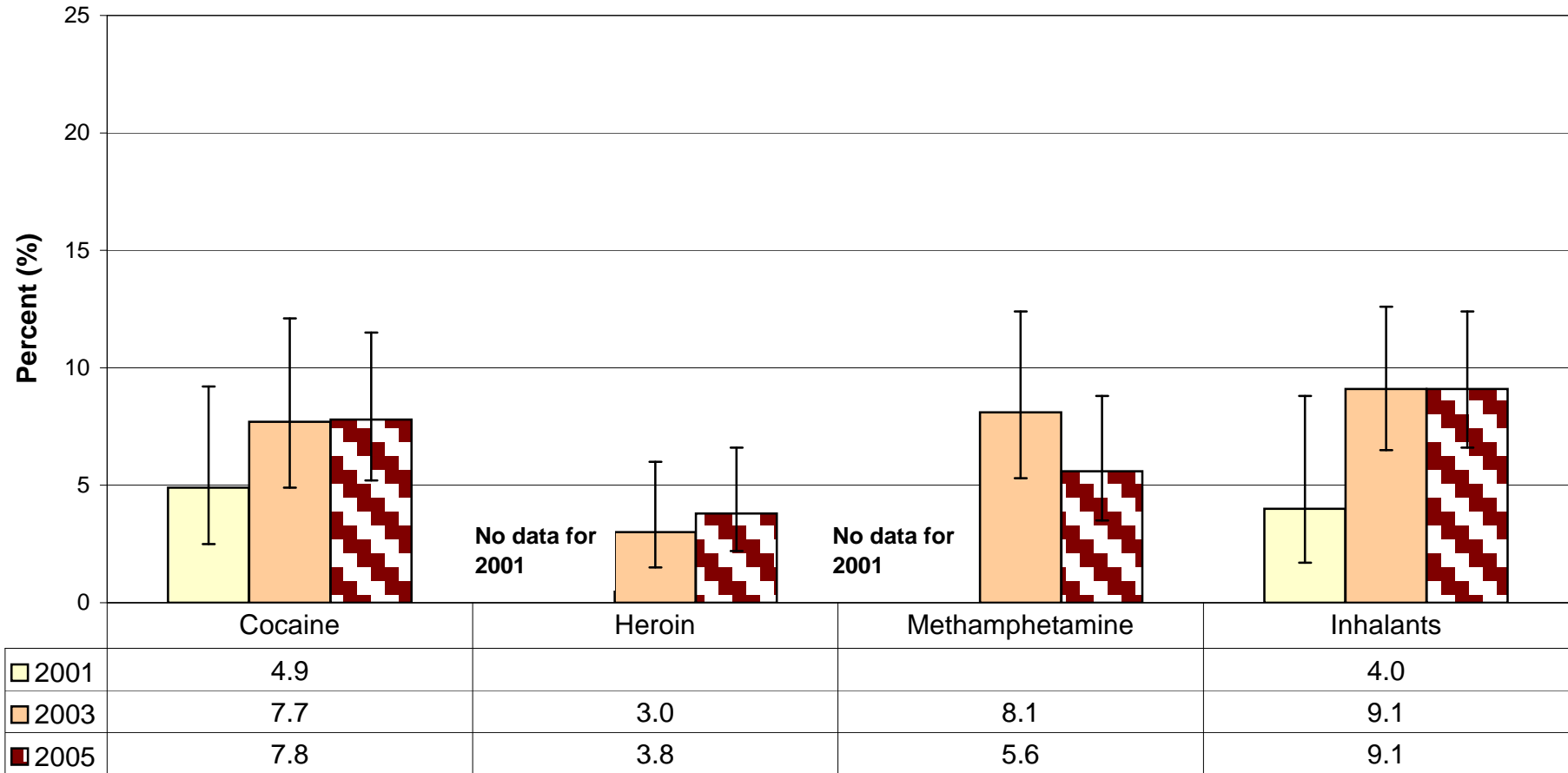
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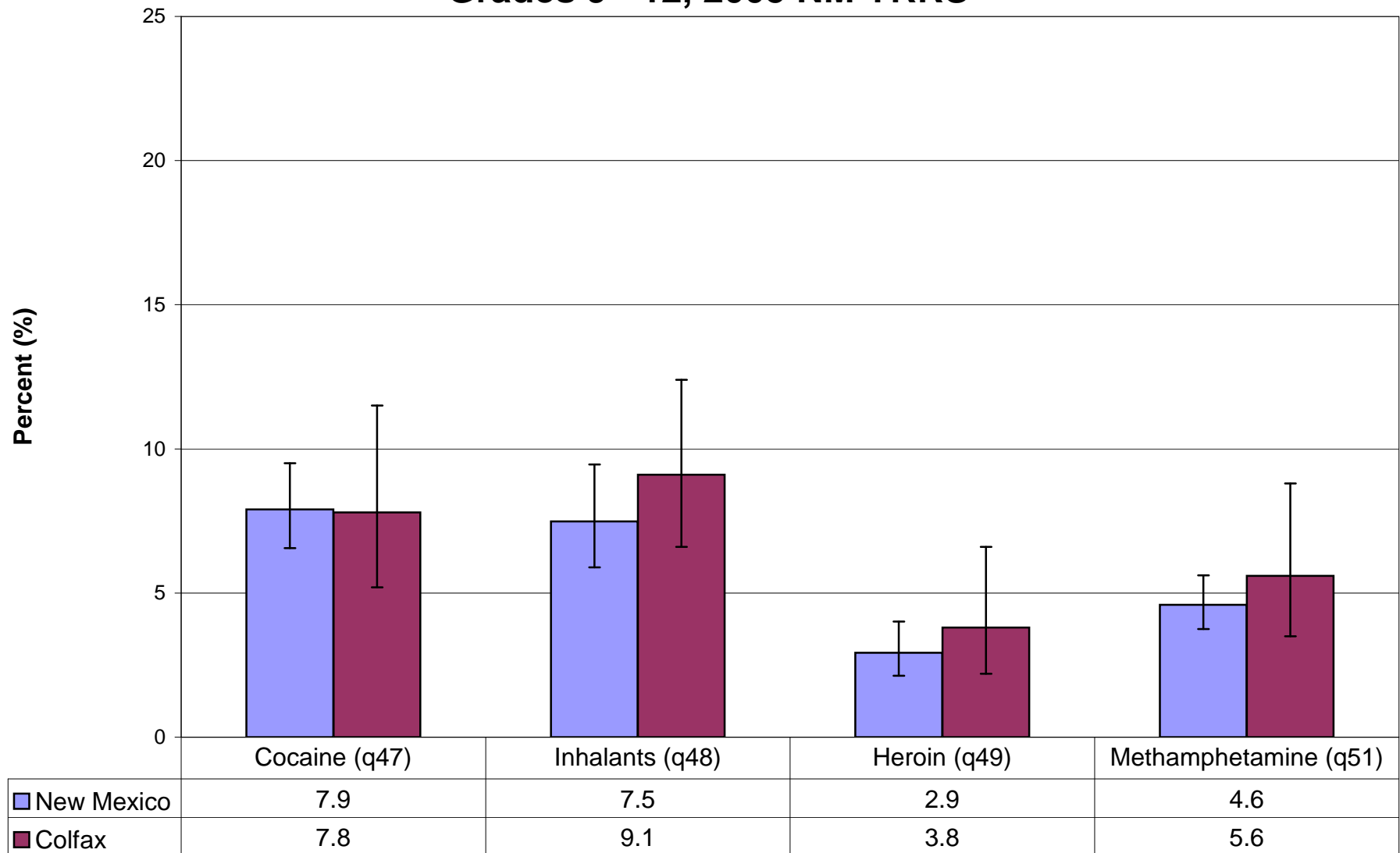
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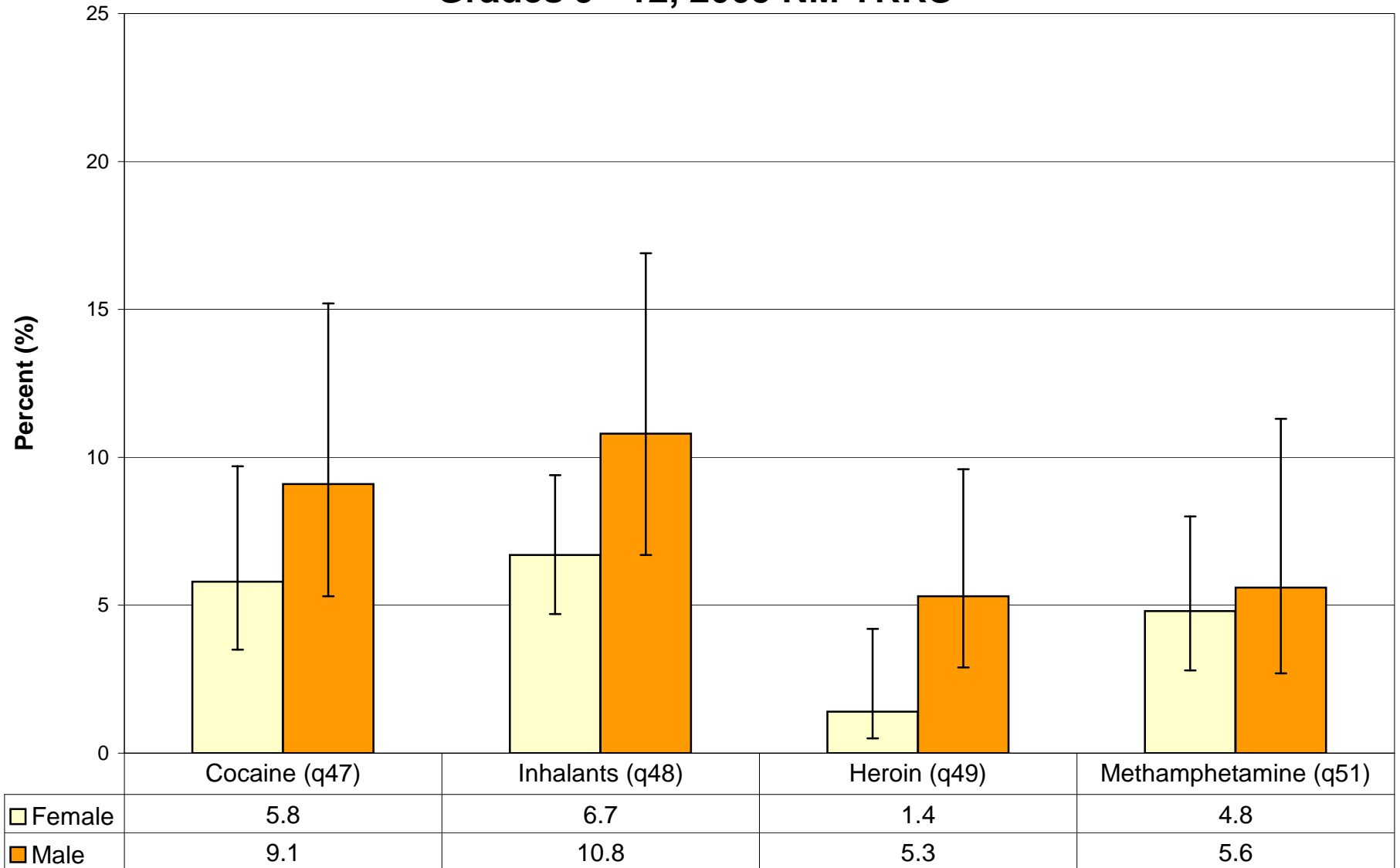
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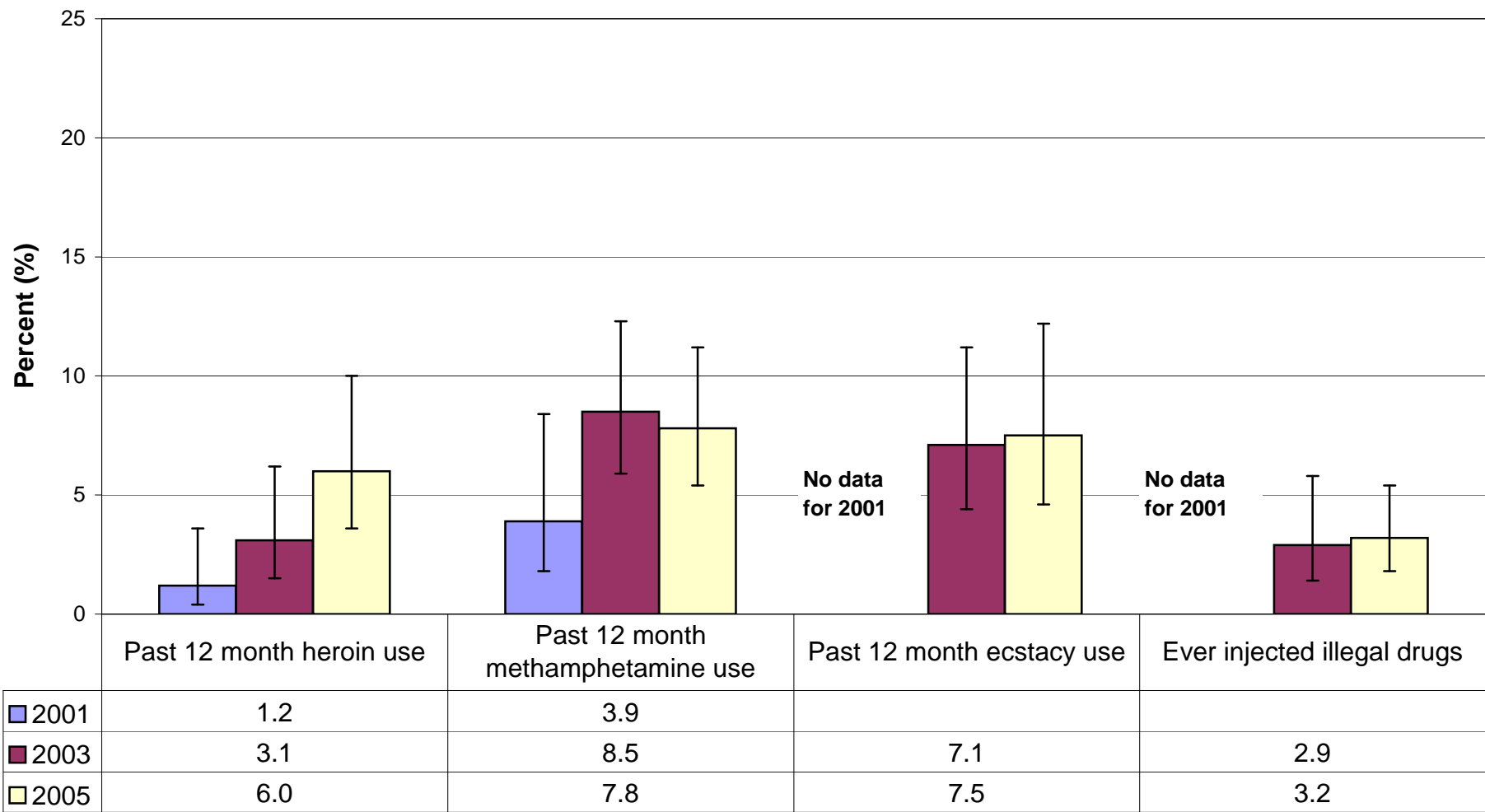
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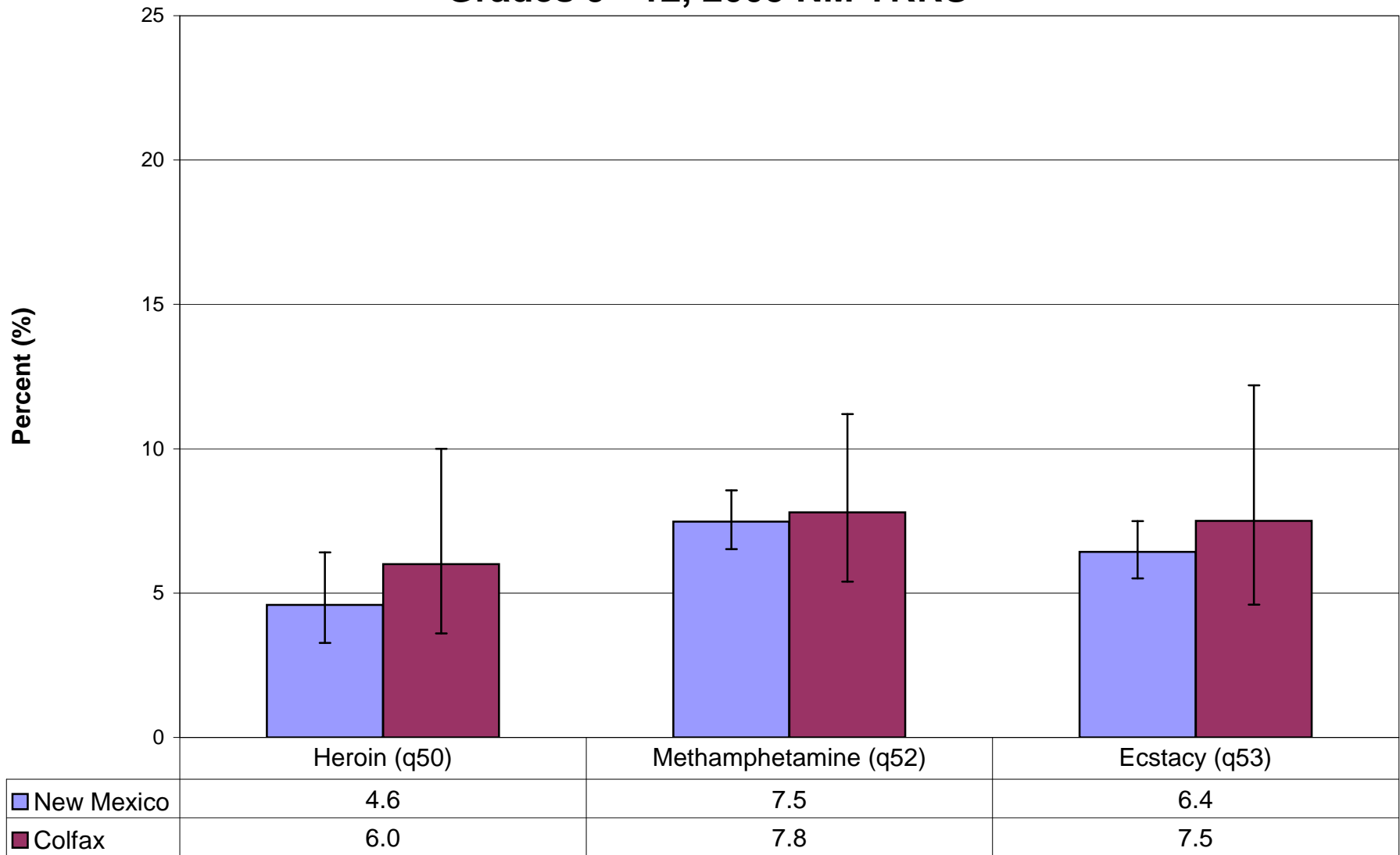
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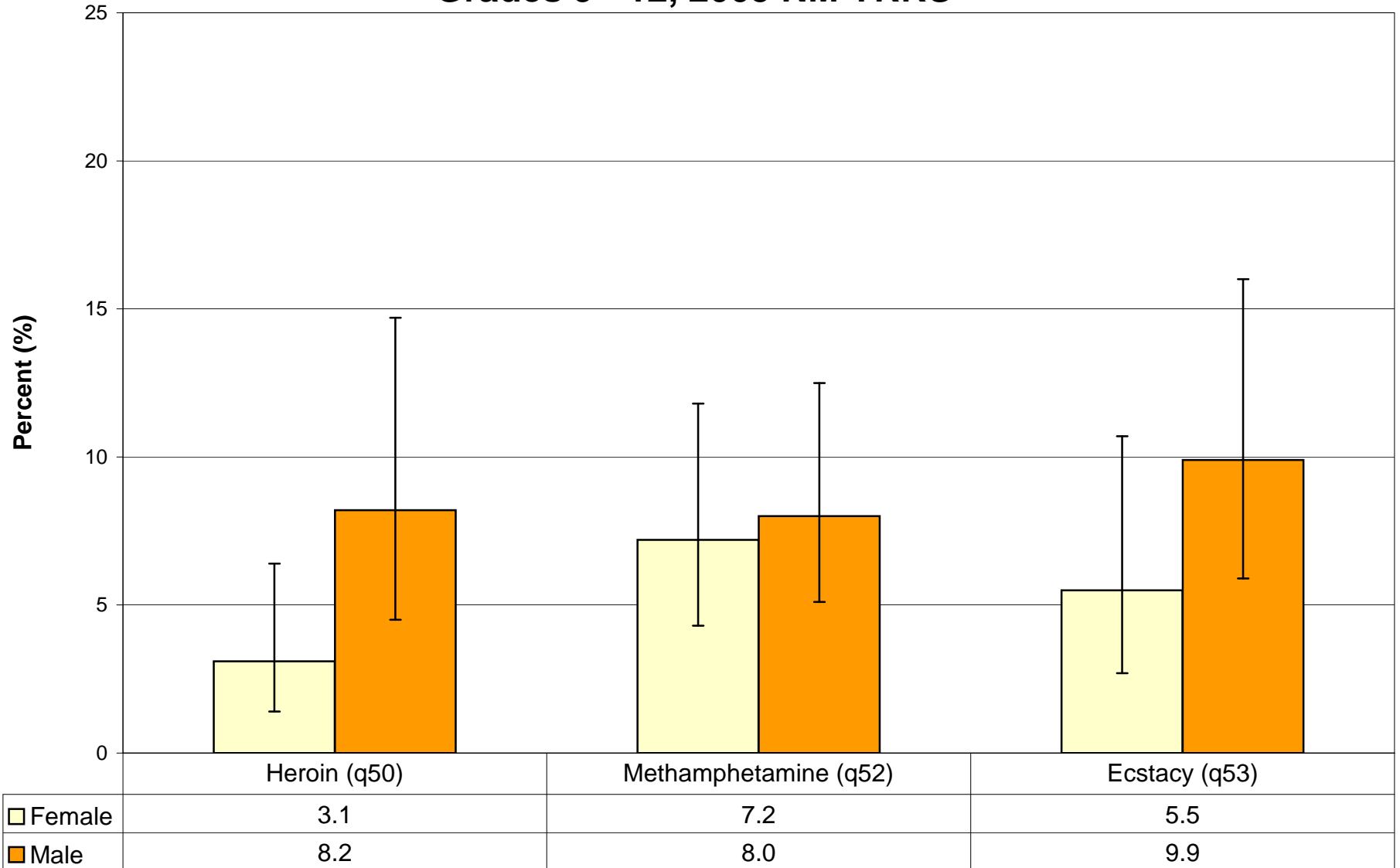
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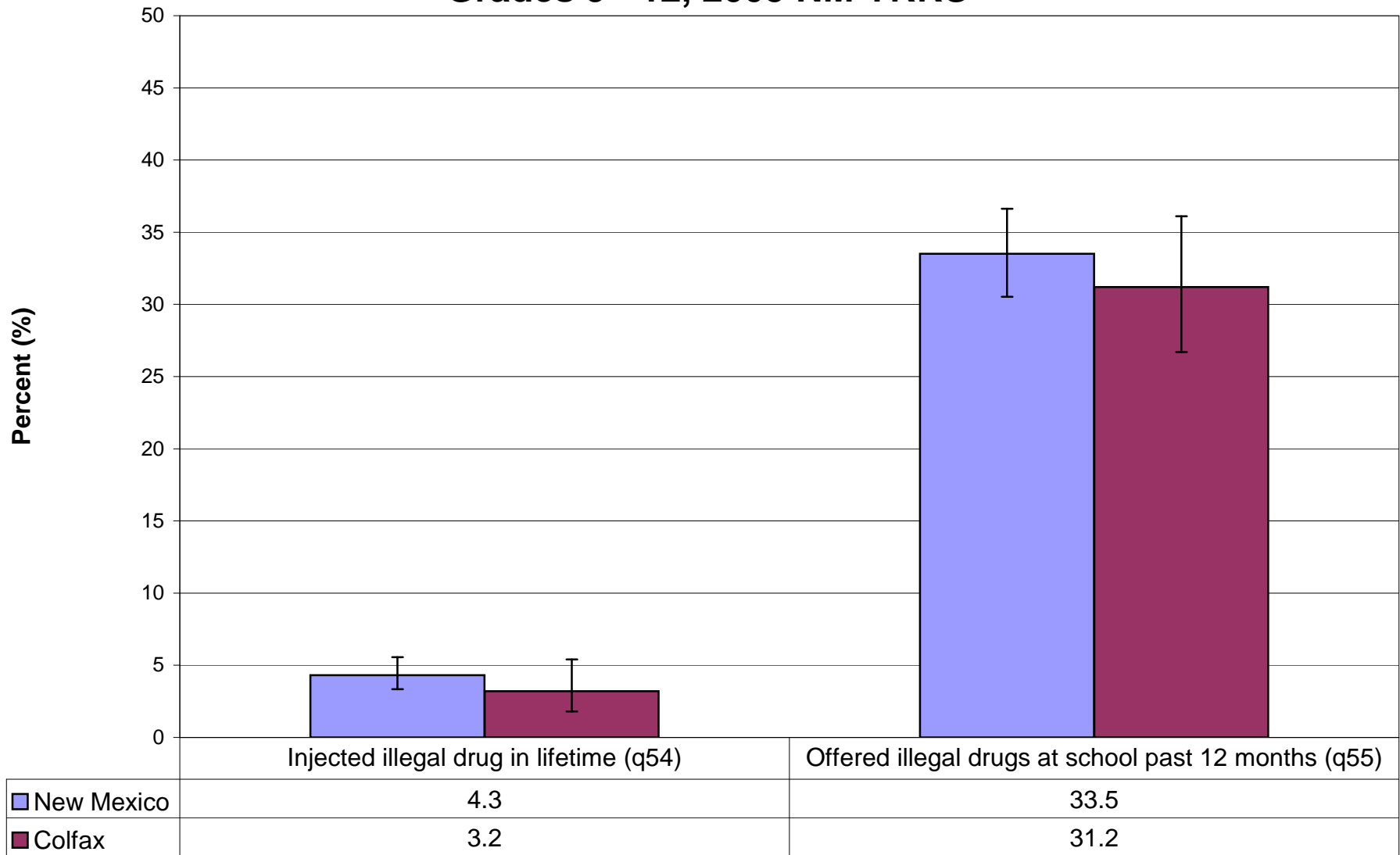
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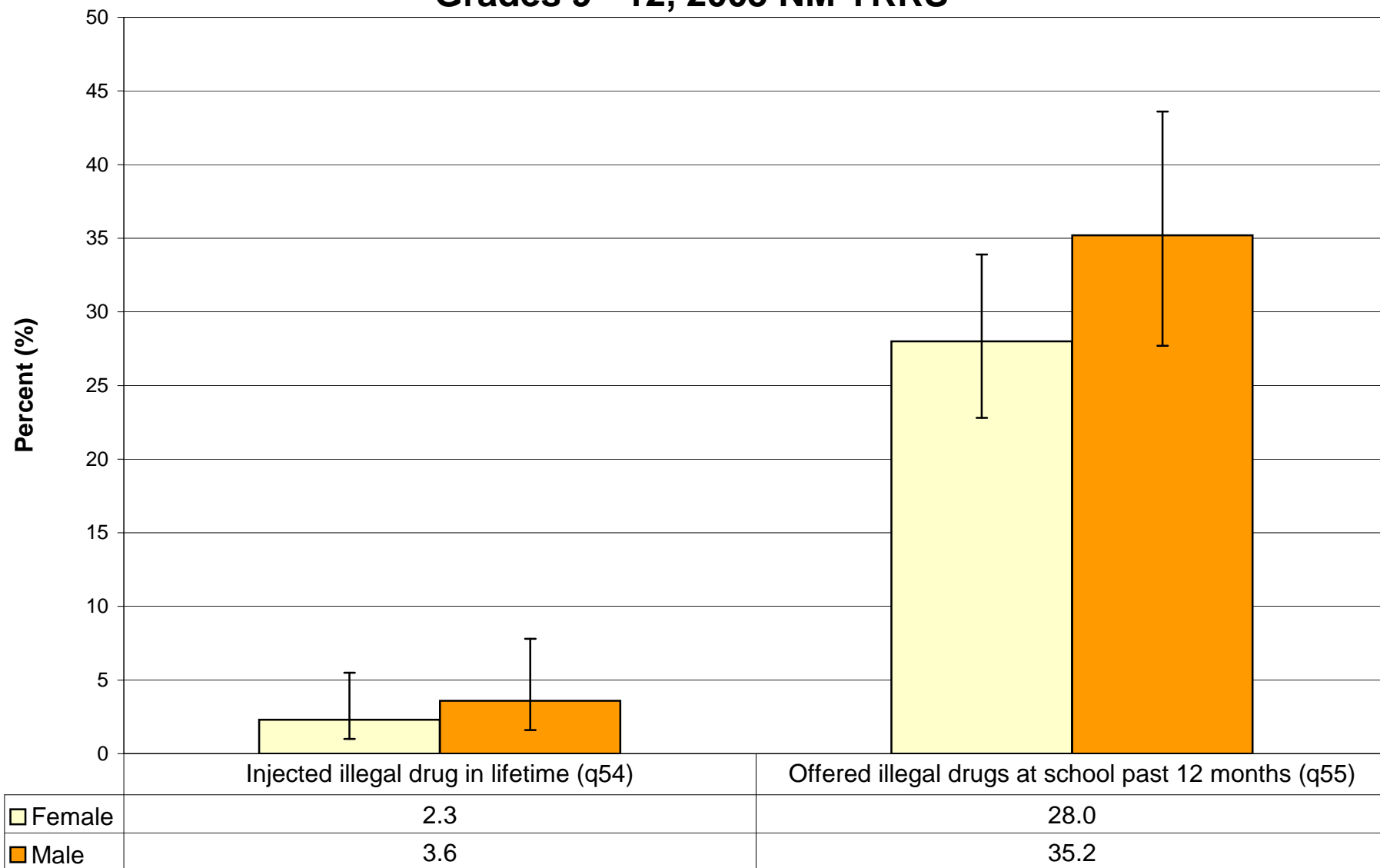
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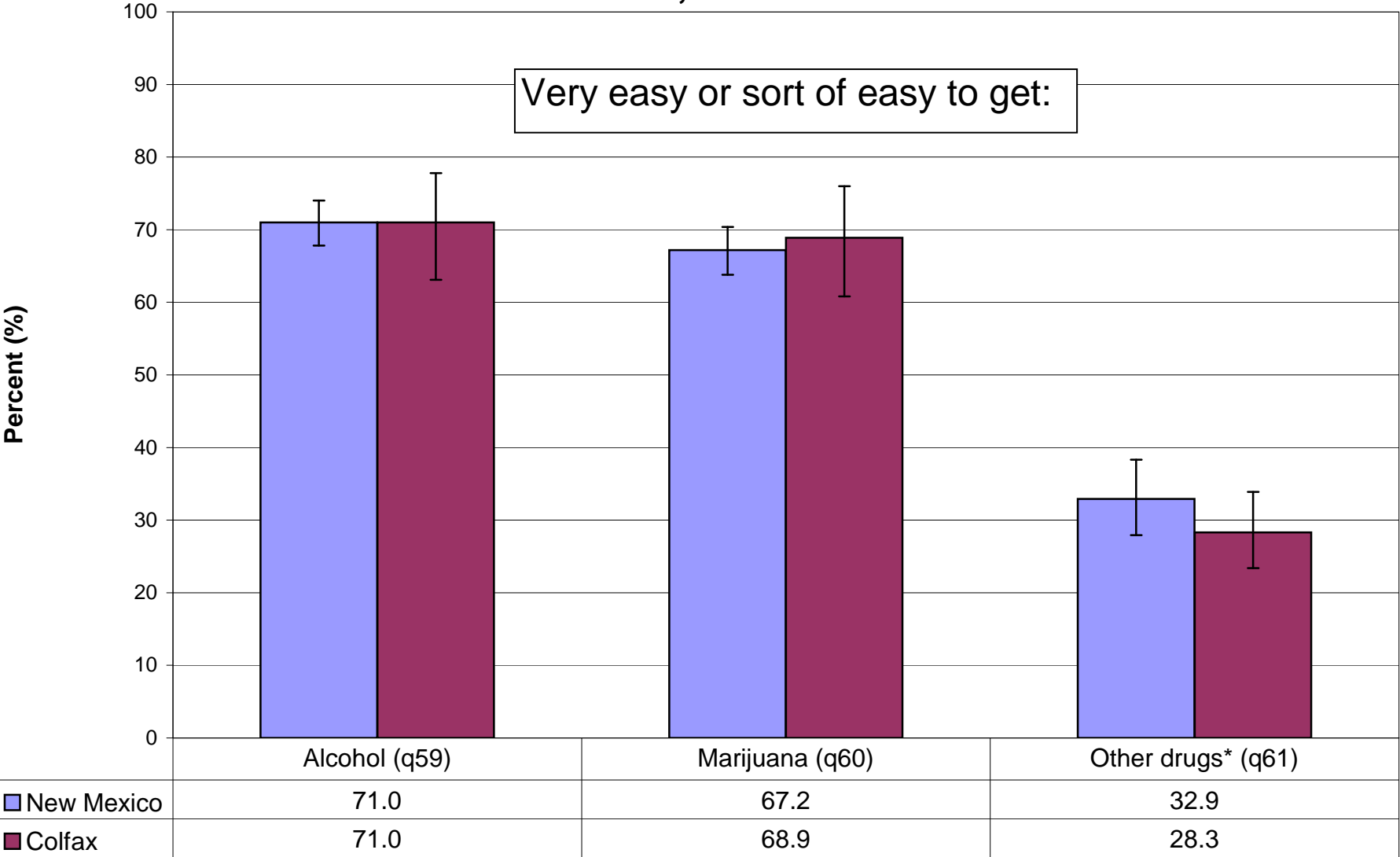
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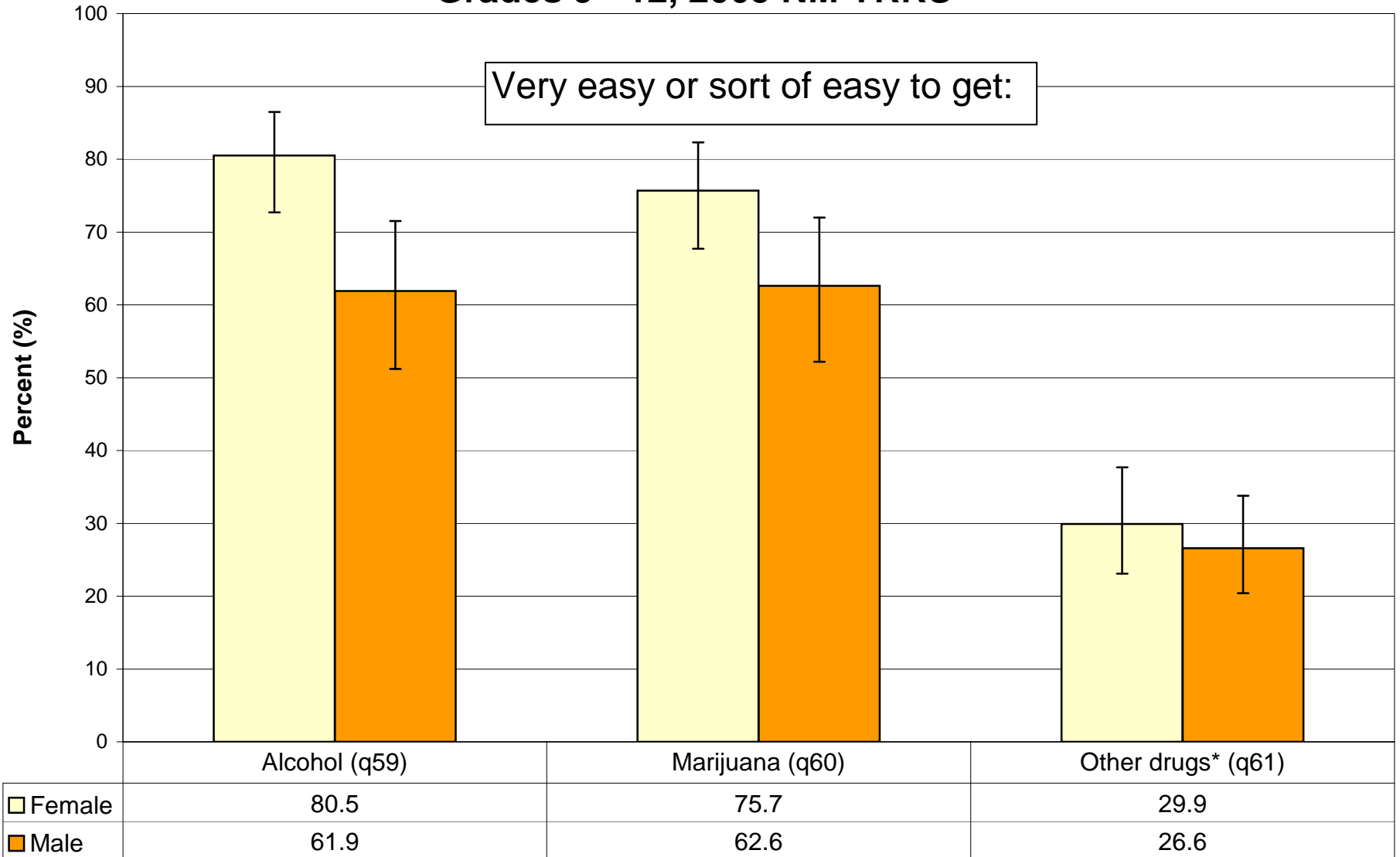
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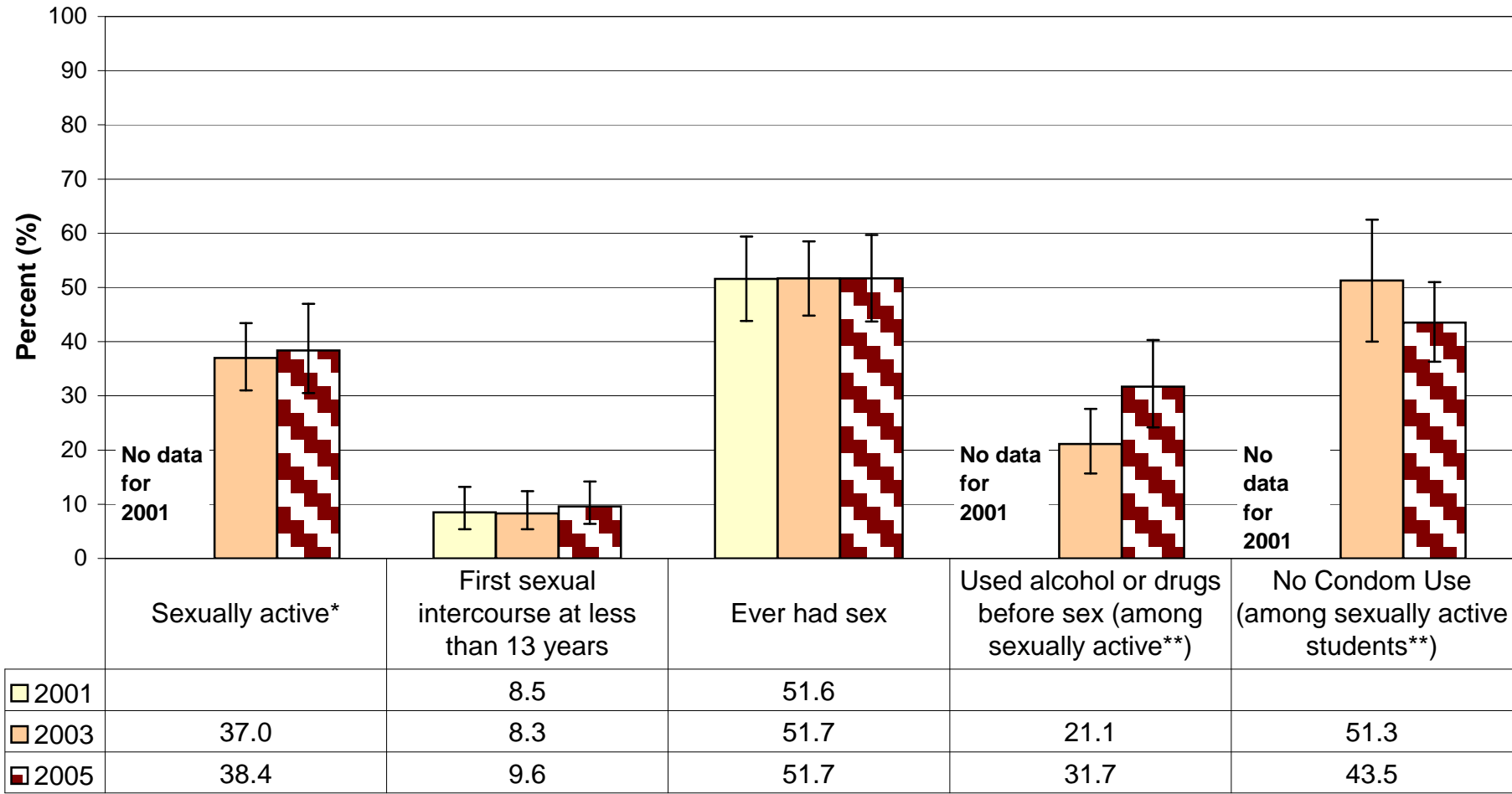
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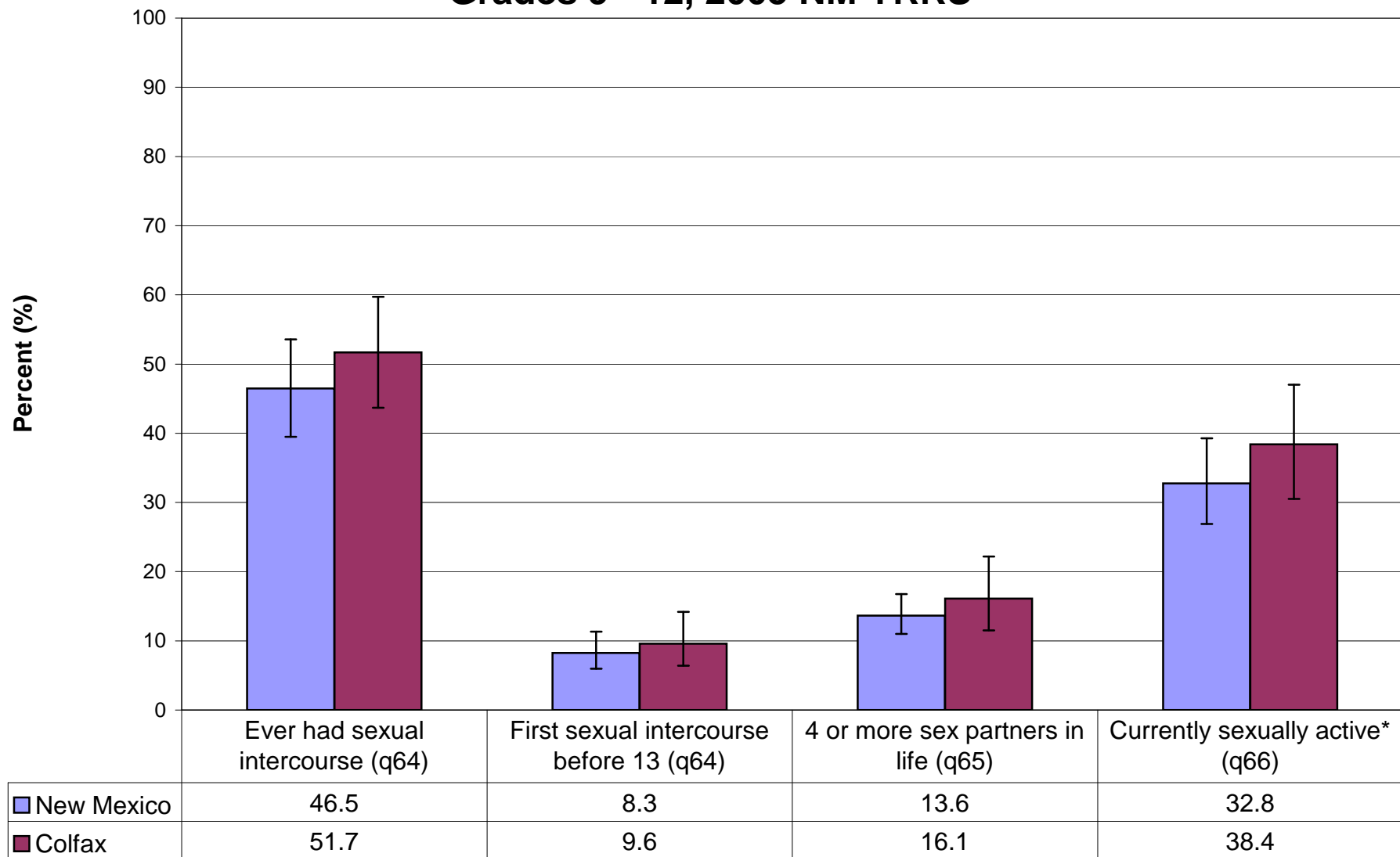
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* Has had sexual intercourse within the past 3 months

Sexual Activity

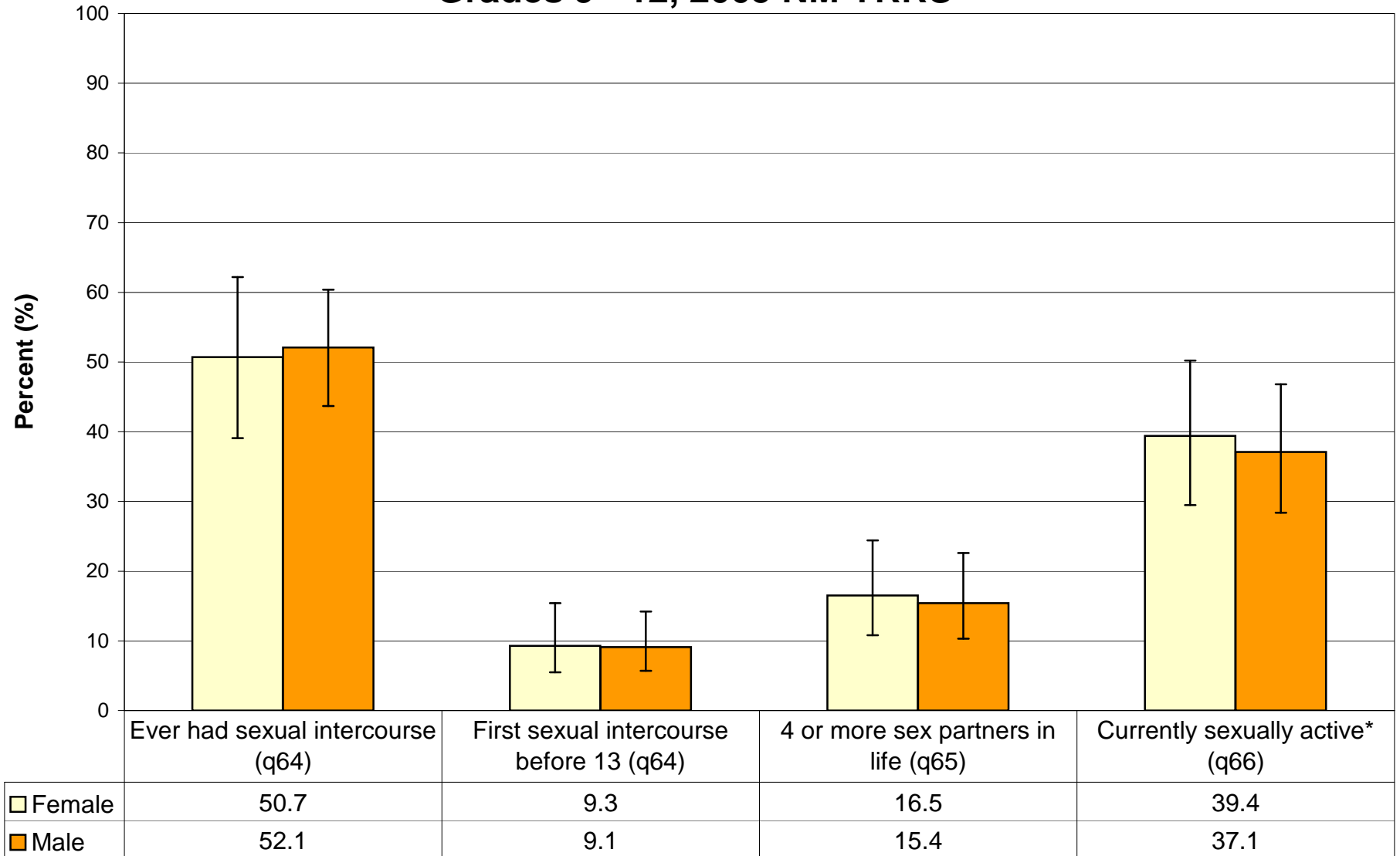
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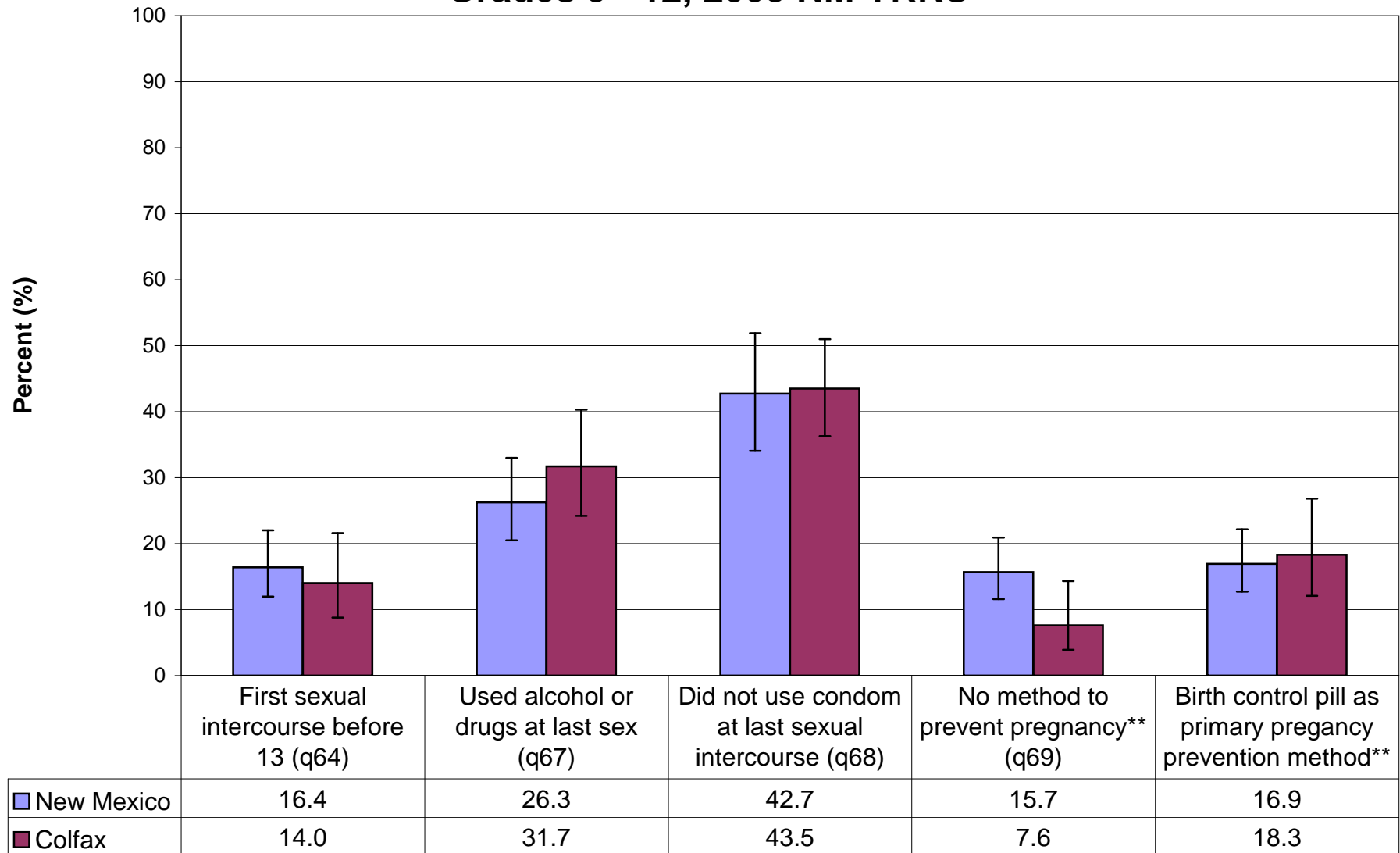
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Sexual Activity by Gender in Colfax County Grades 9 - 12, 2005 NM YRRS



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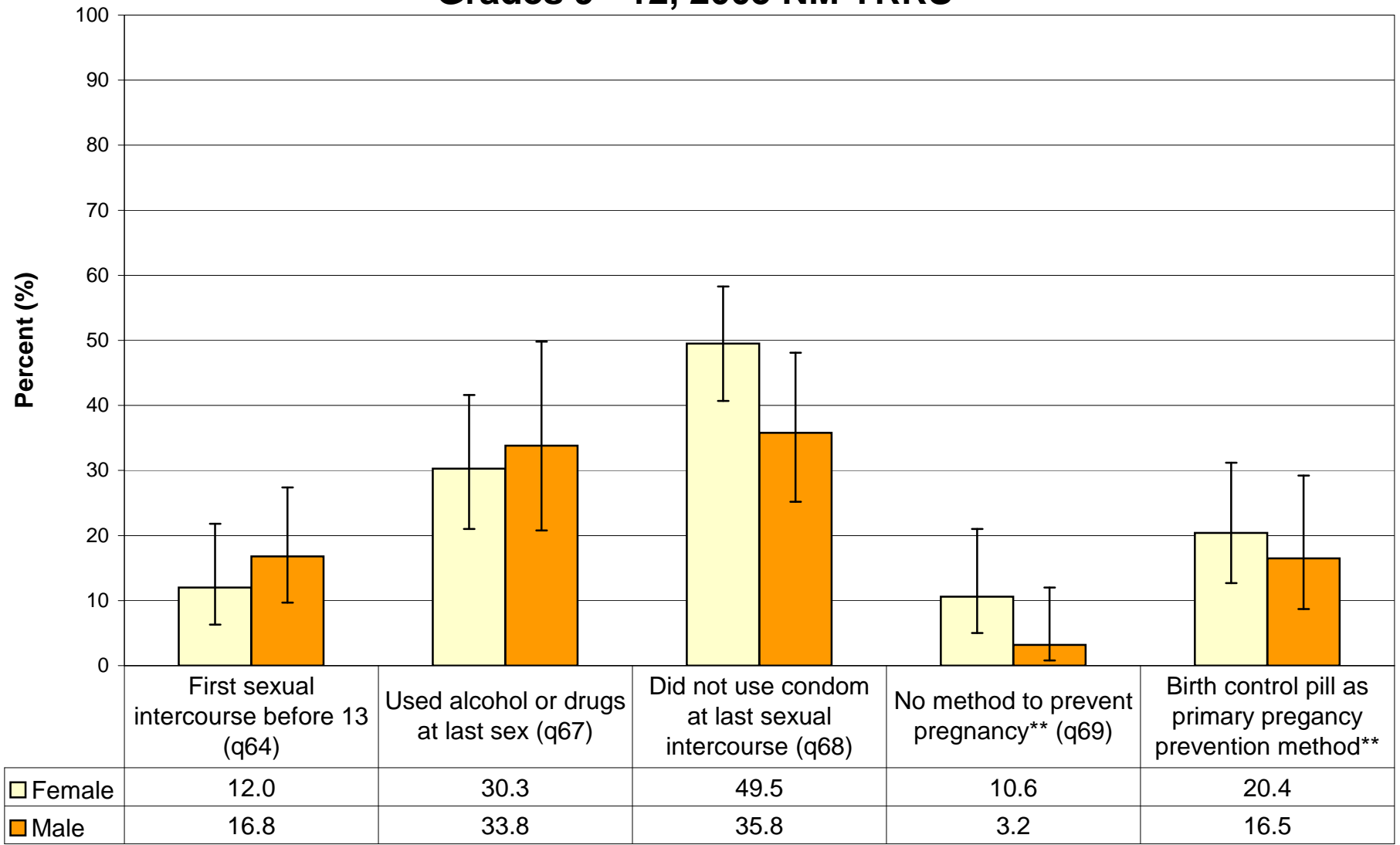


* Had sexual intercourse within the last 3 months

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Behaviors of Sexually Active* Students by Gender in Colfax County Grades 9 - 12, 2005 NM YRRS



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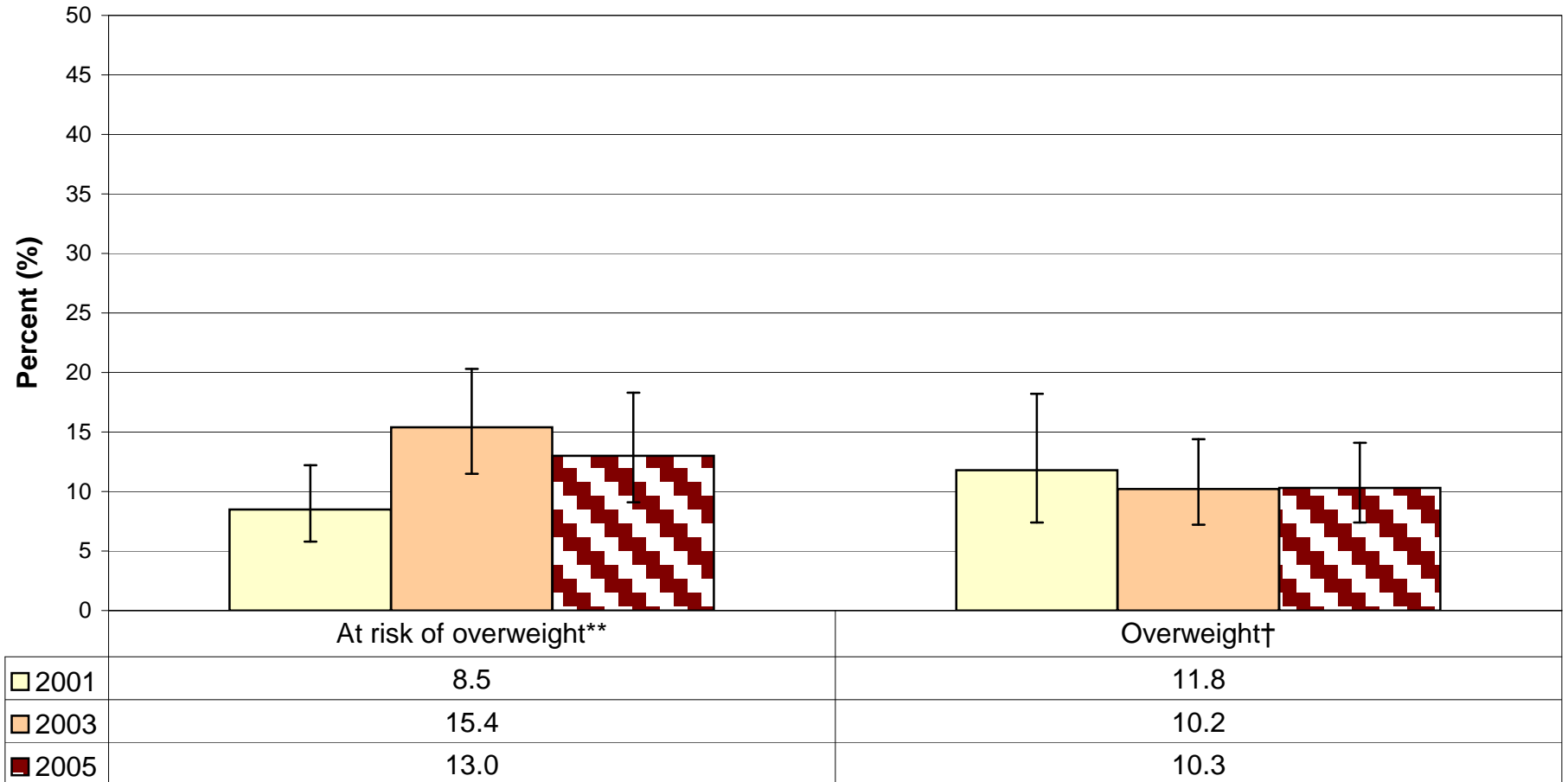
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Overweight*

Colfax County; 2001, 2003, and 2005

Grades 9 - 12, NM YRRS



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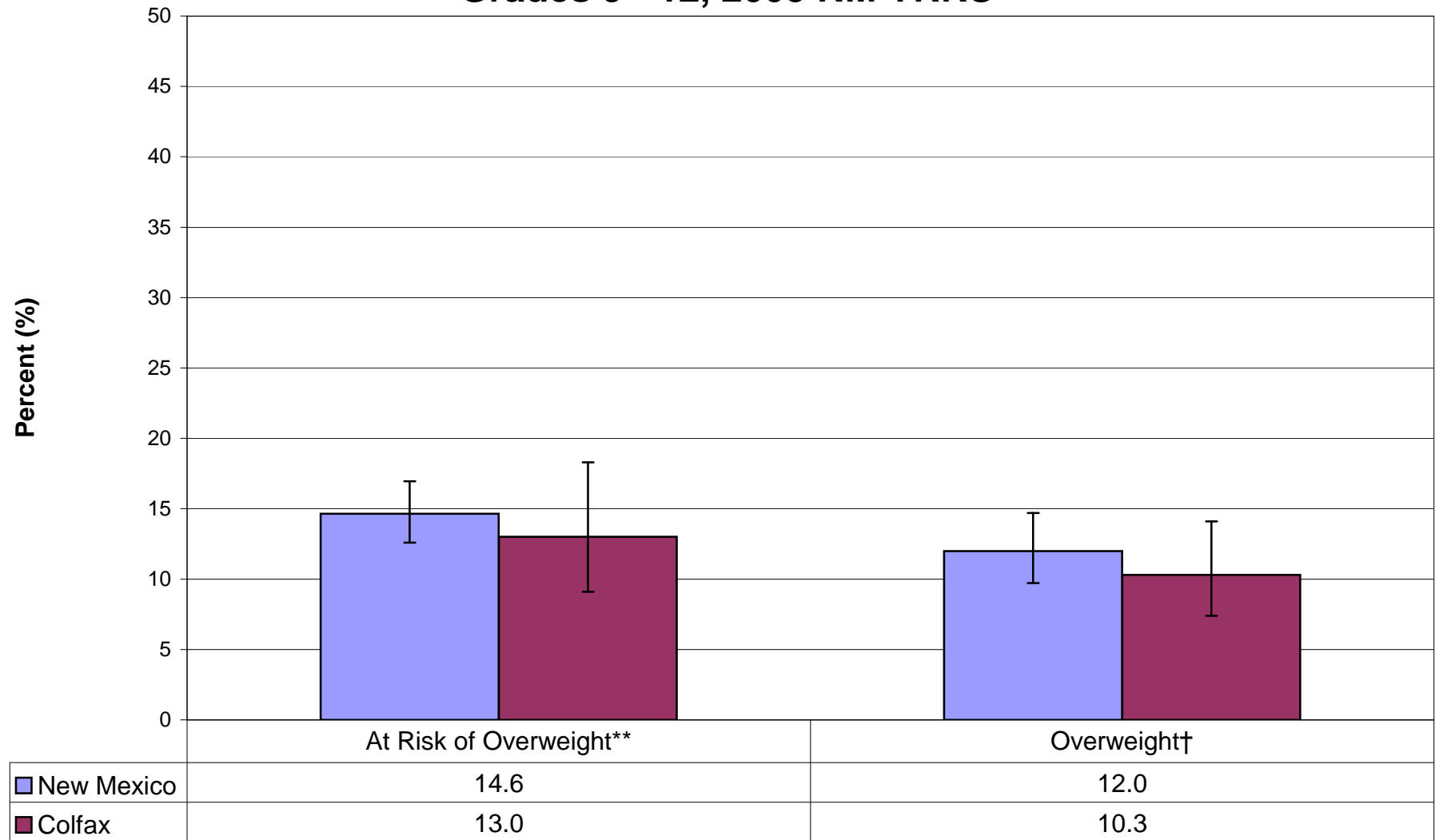
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Overweight*

New Mexico and Colfax County Grades 9 - 12, 2005 NM YRRS



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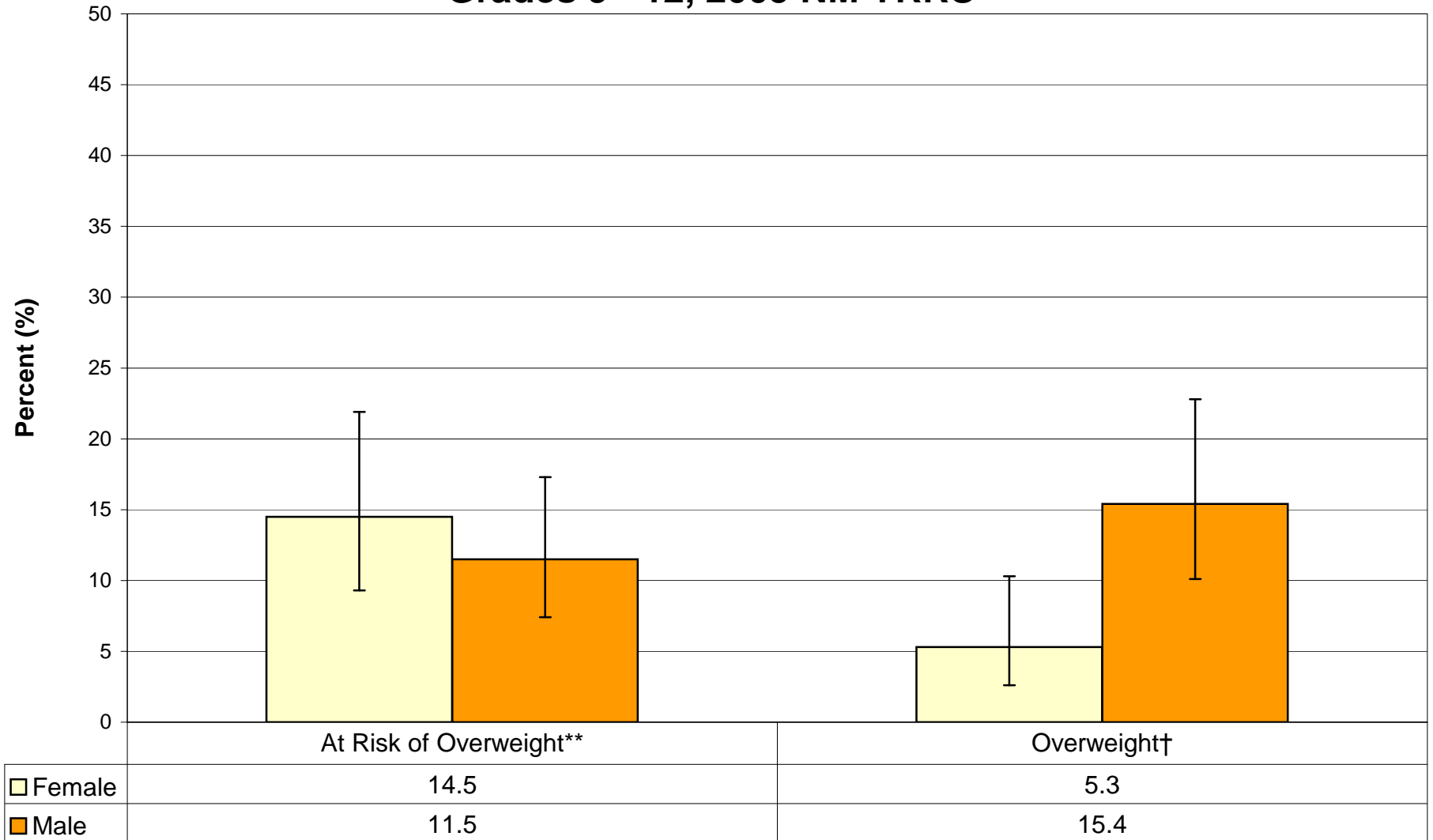
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 Until November 10, 2006

Overweight*

by Gender in Colfax County Grades 9 - 12, 2005 NM YRRS



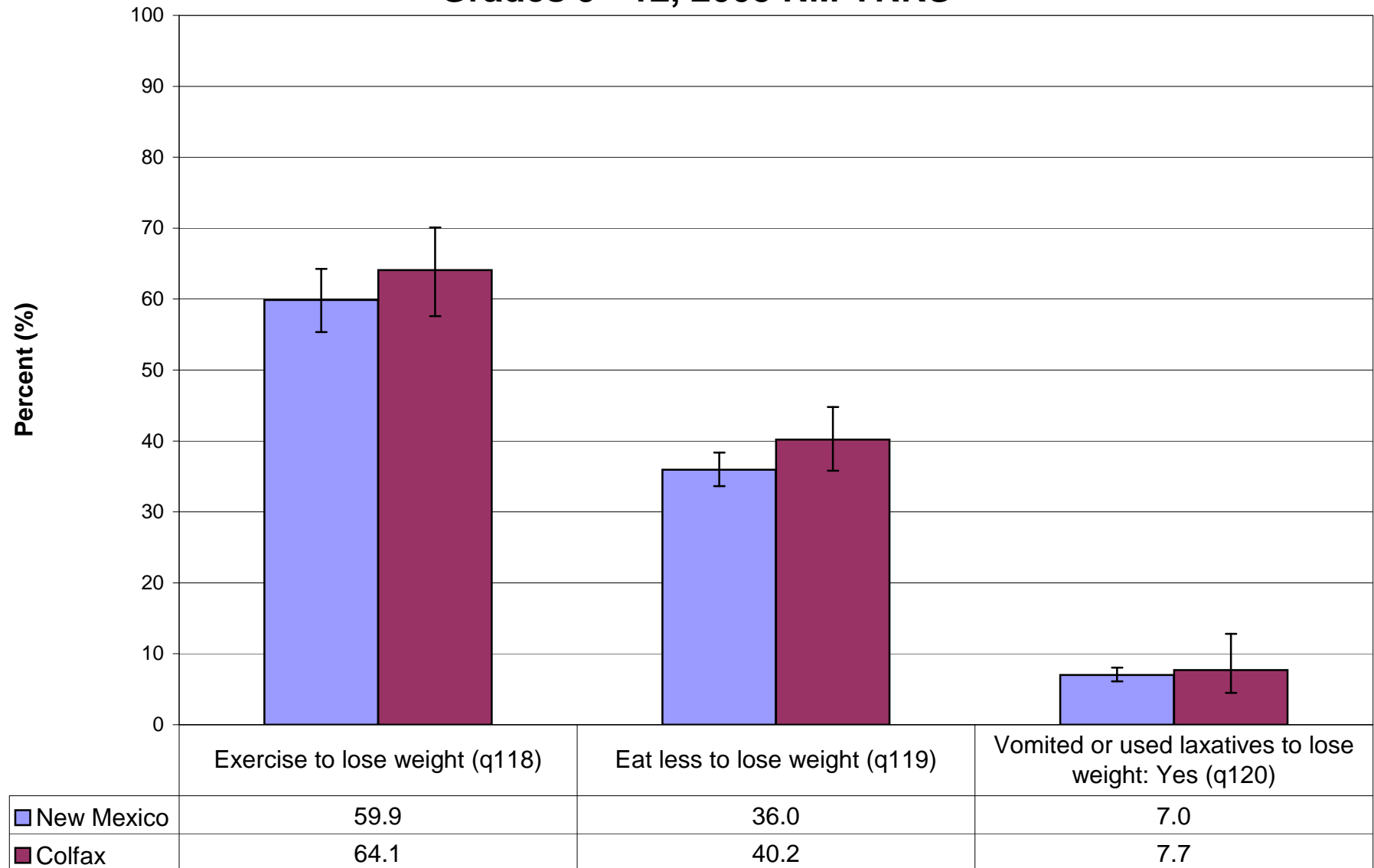
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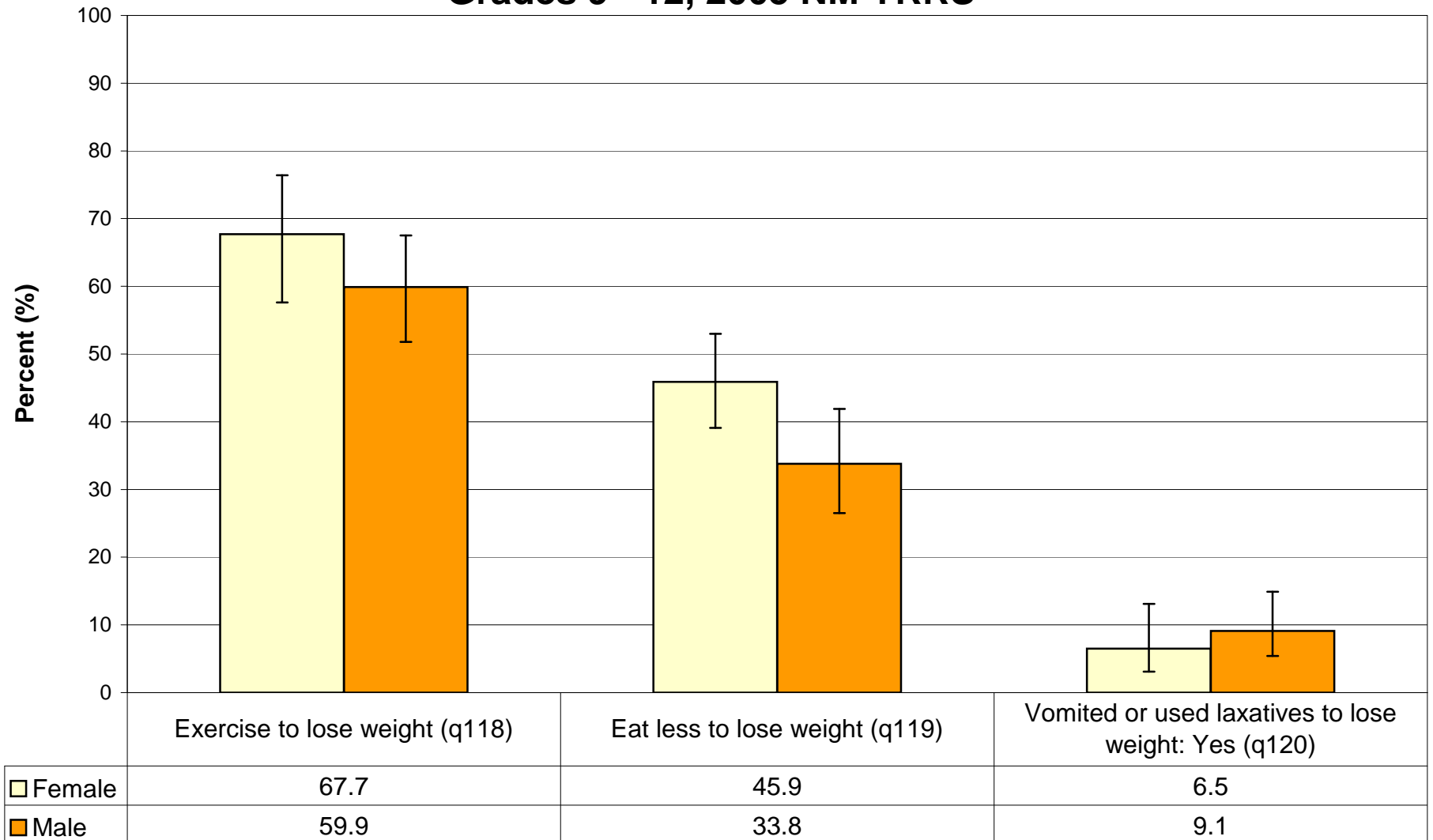
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Weight Loss Methods New Mexico and Colfax County Grades 9 - 12, 2005 NM YRRS



Weight Loss Methods by Gender in Colfax County Grades 9 - 12, 2005 NM YRRS



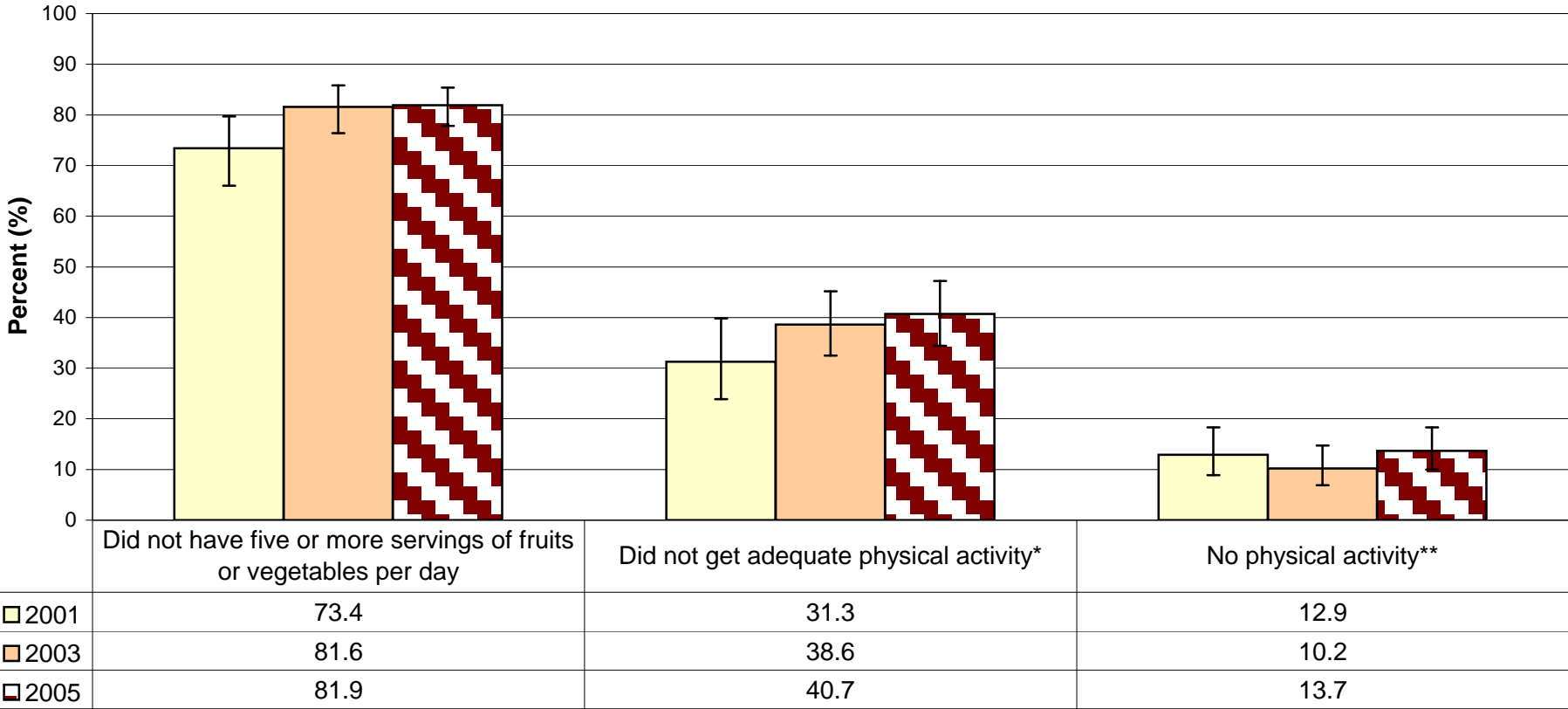
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Nutrition and Physical Activity Colfax County; 2001, 2003, and 2005 Grades 9 - 12, NM YRRS



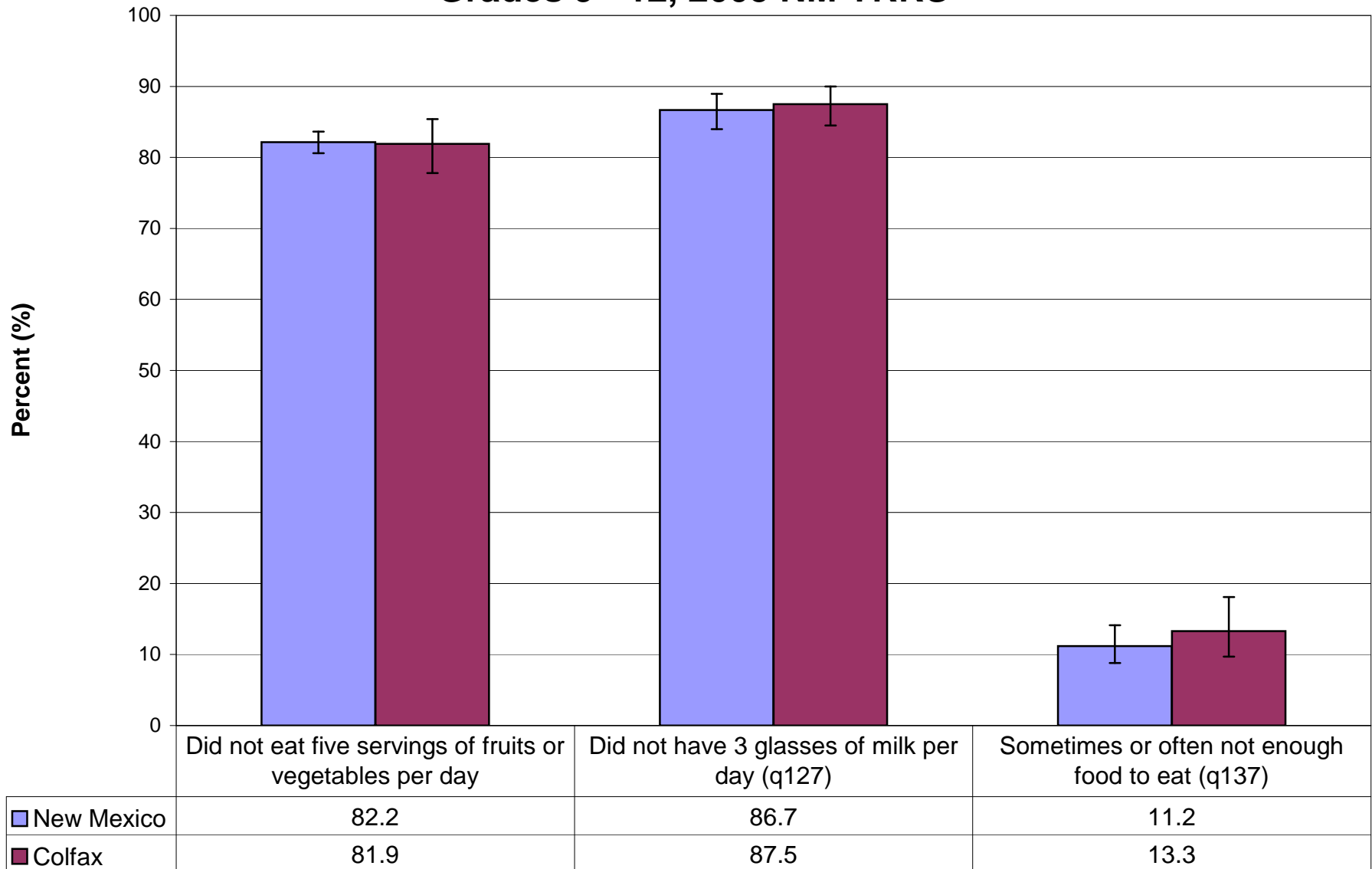
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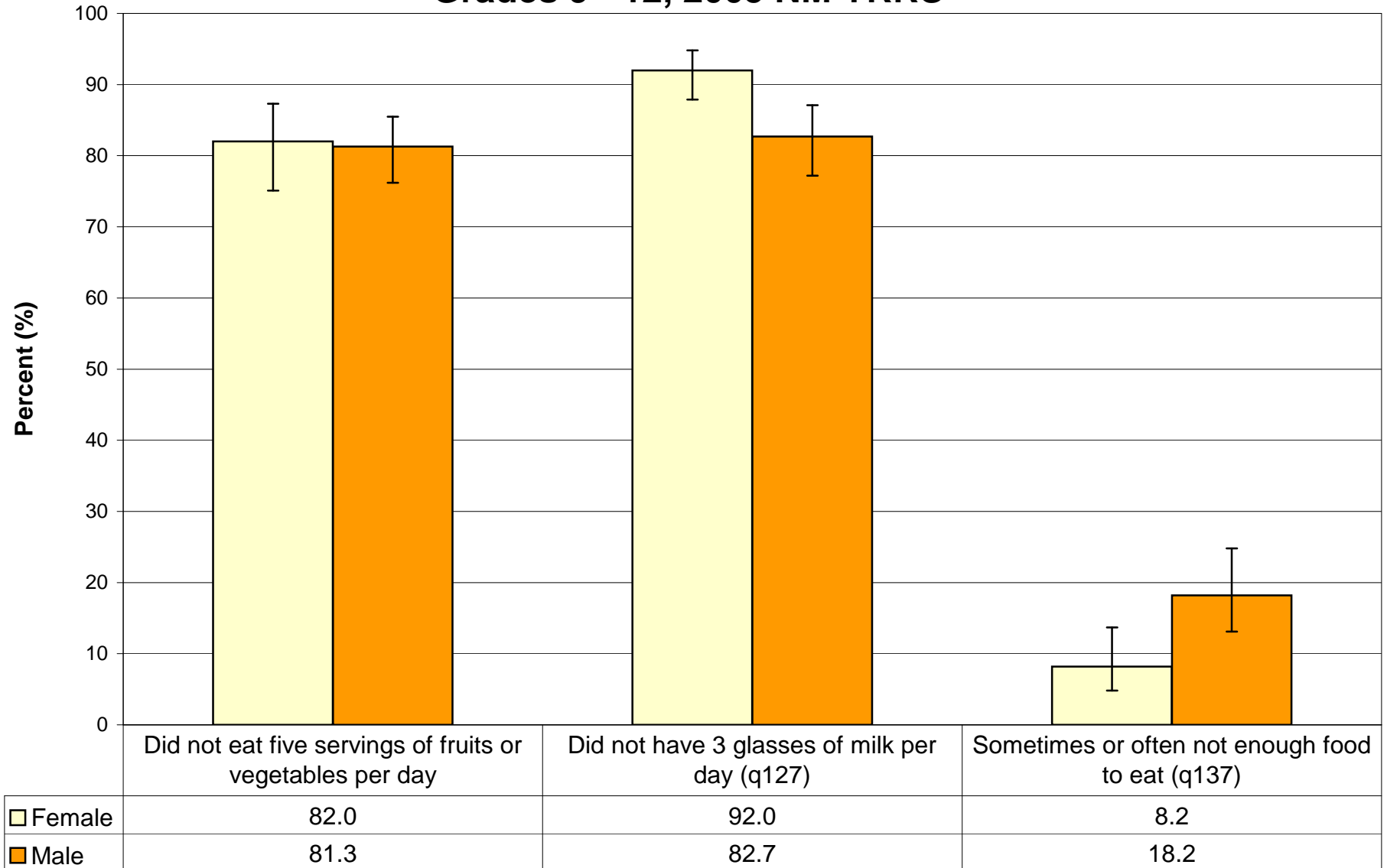
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New Mexico and Colfax County Grades 9 - 12, 2005 NM YRRS

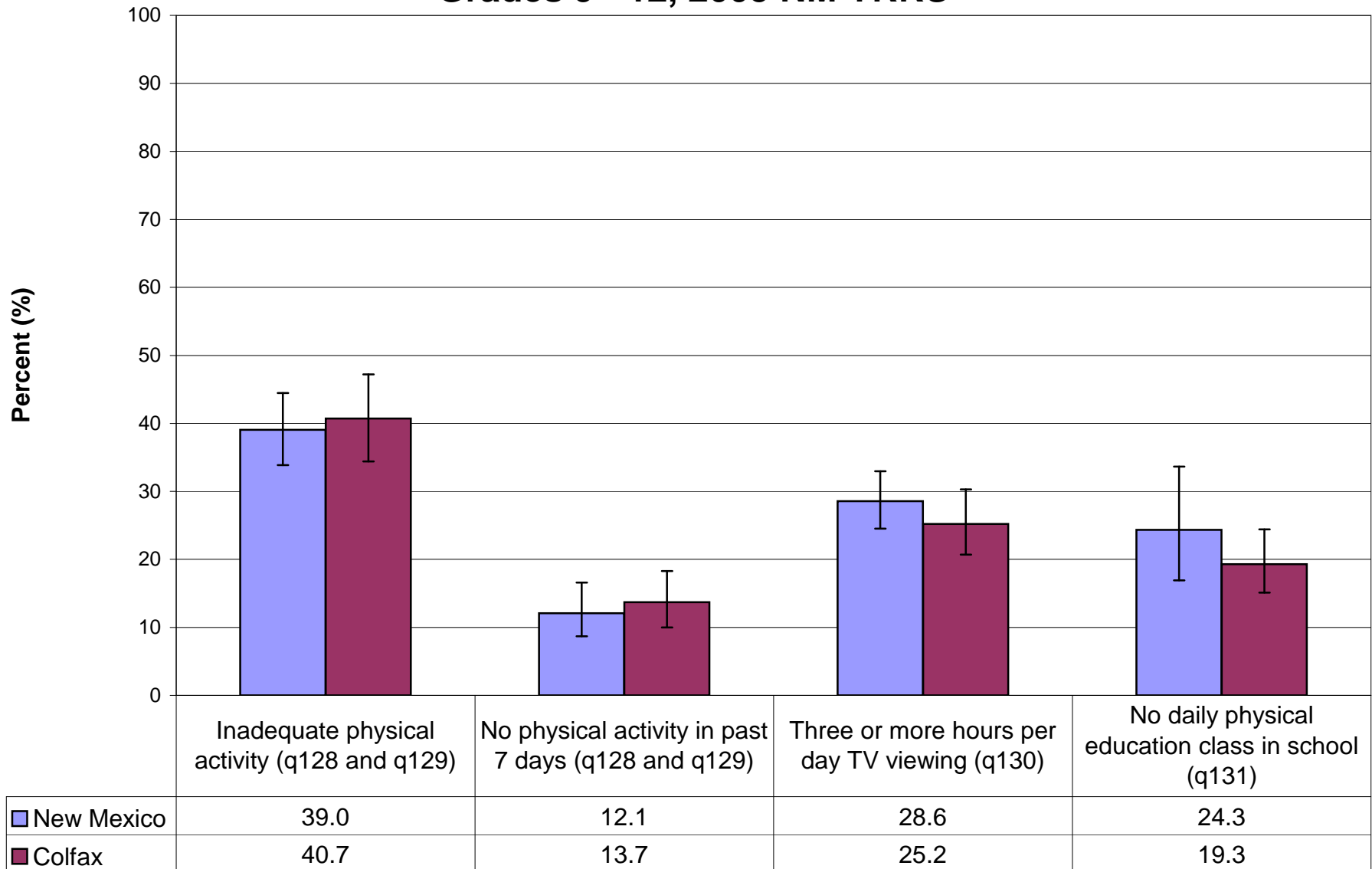


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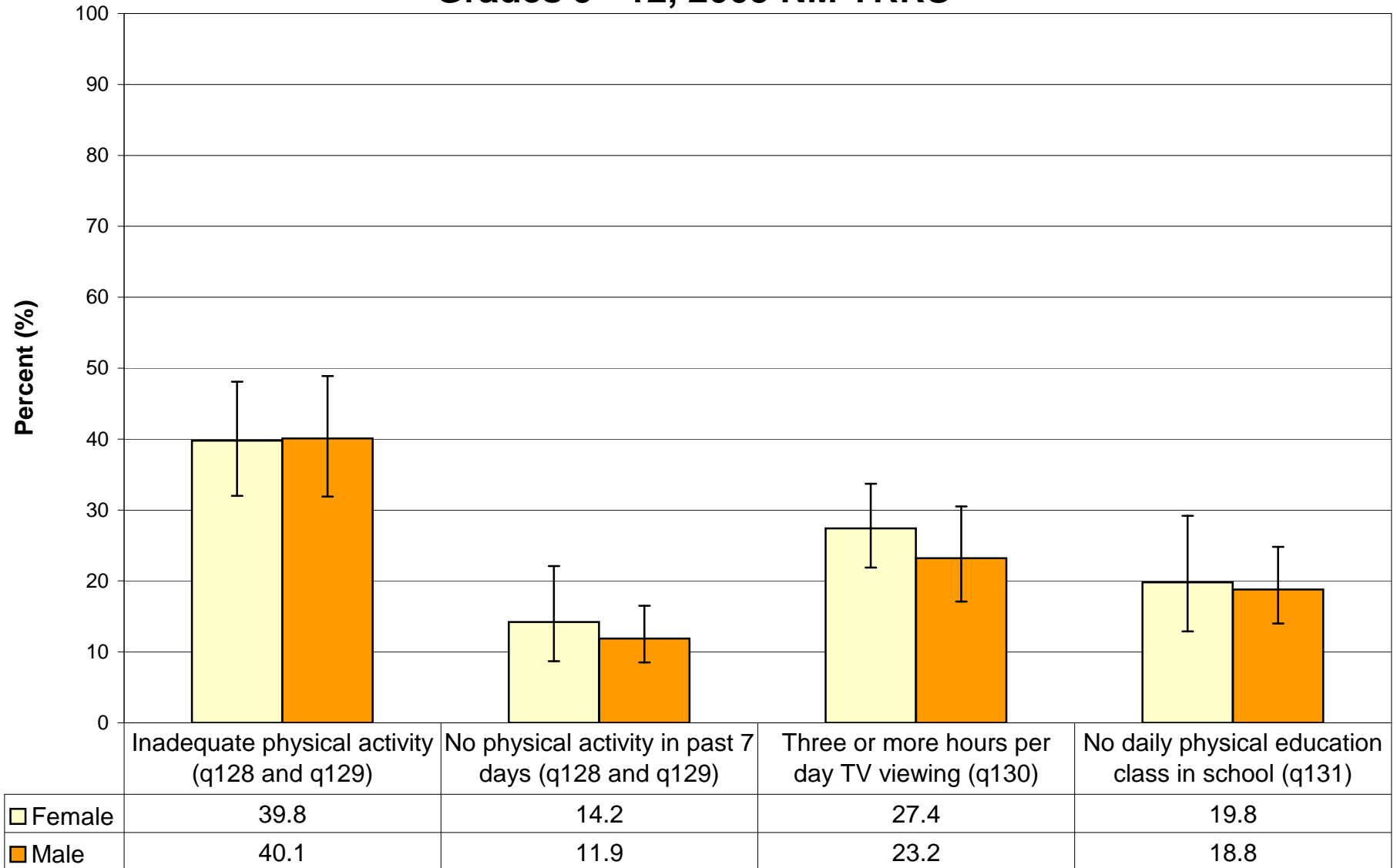


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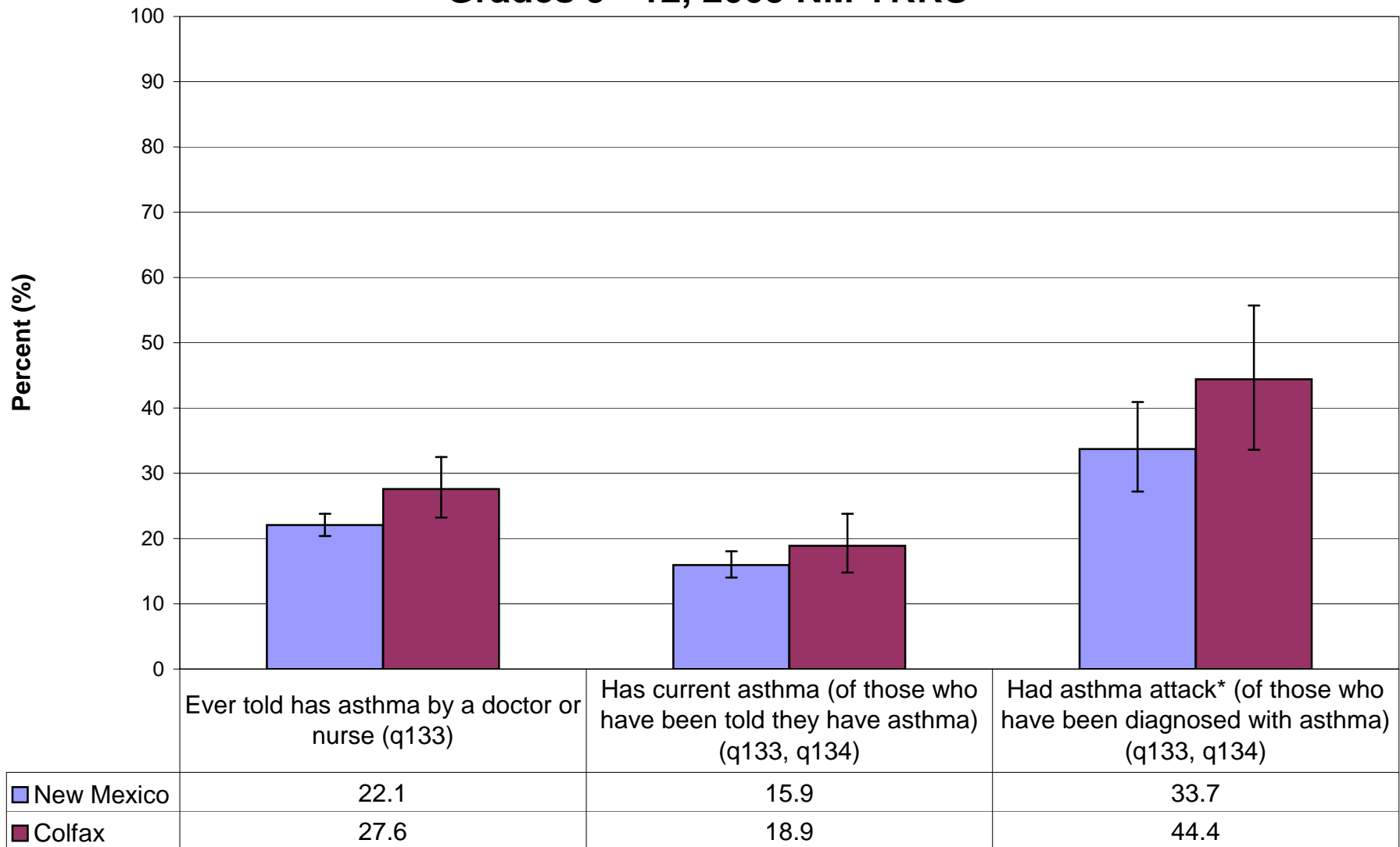
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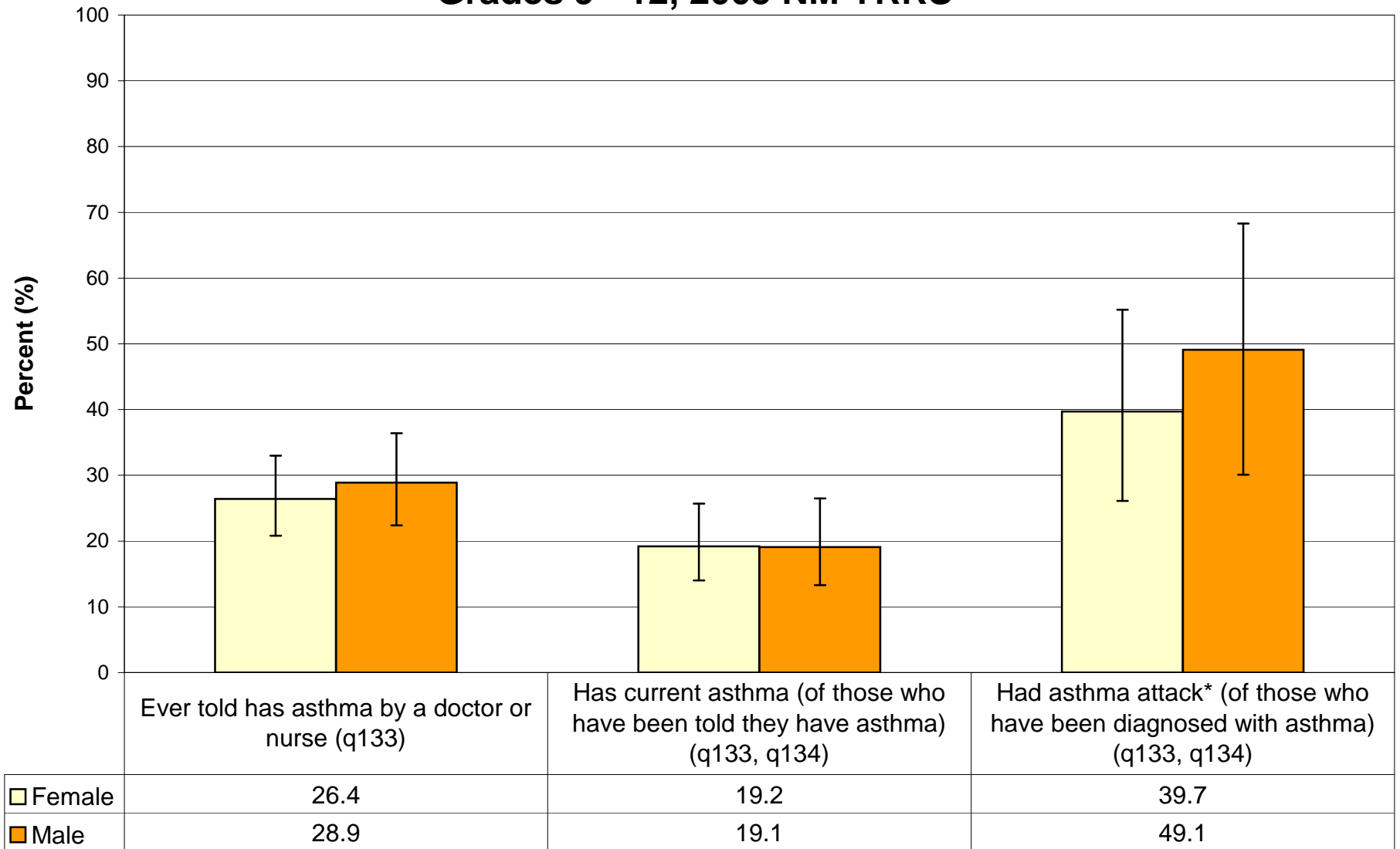
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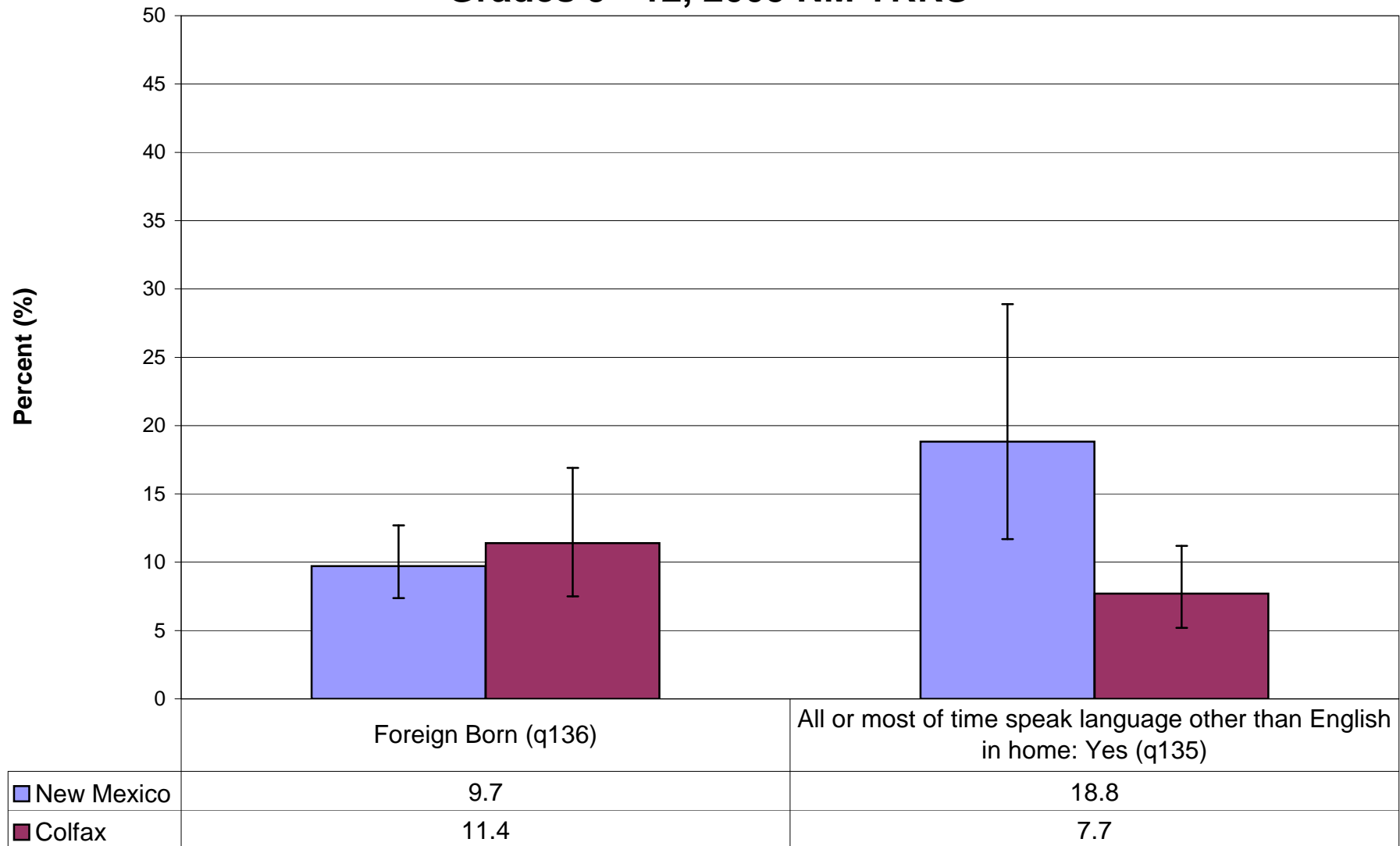
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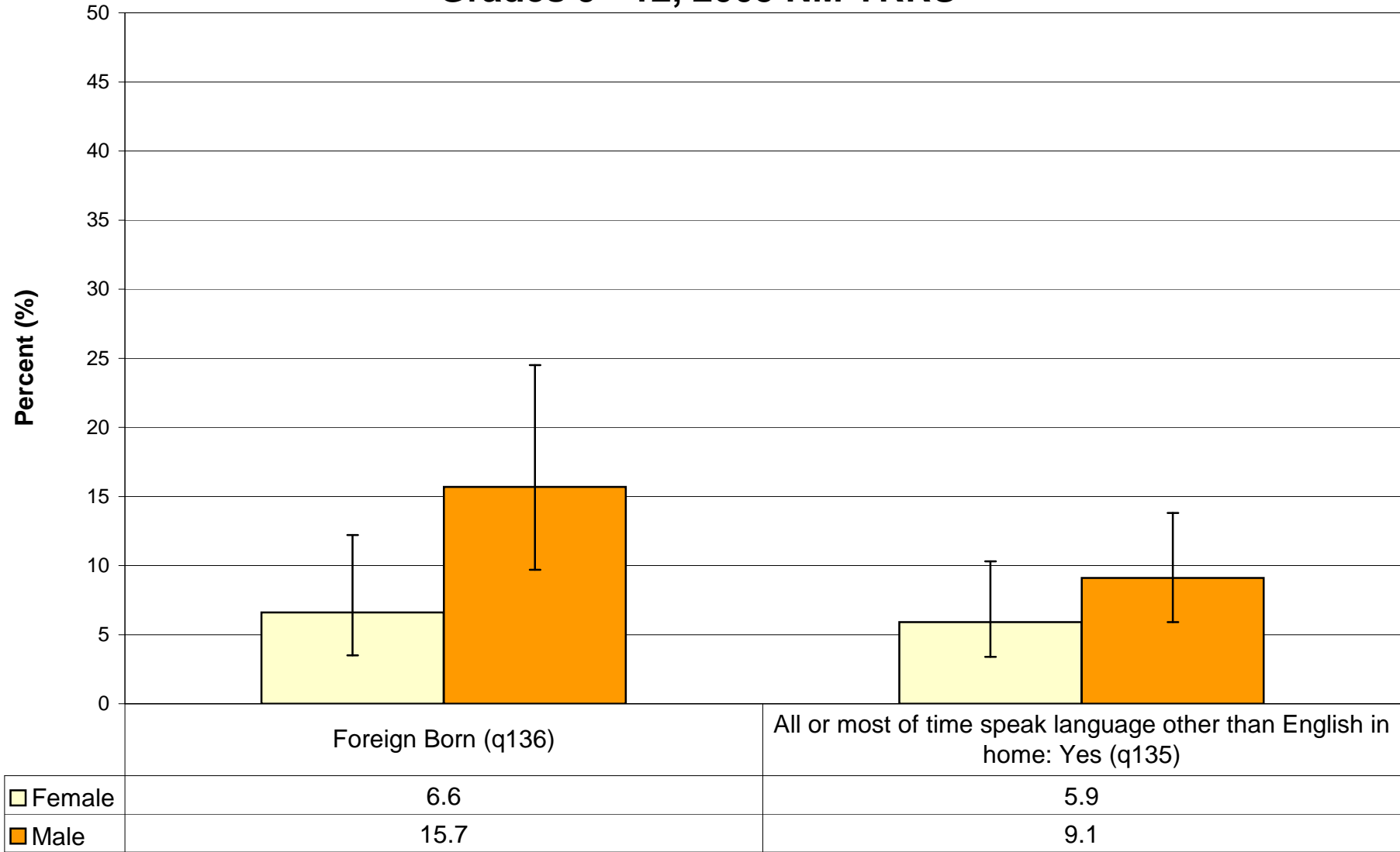
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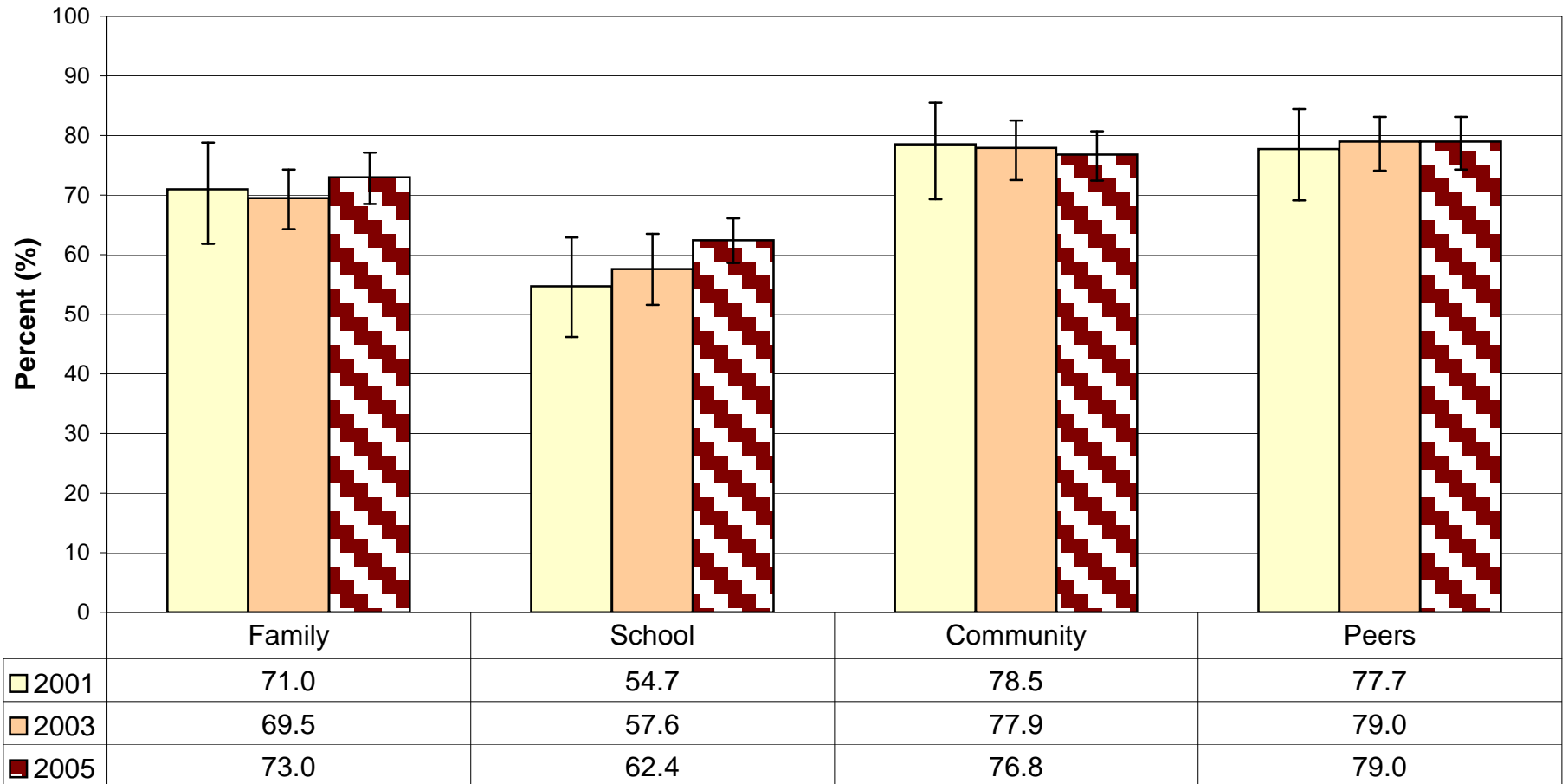
Country of Birth and Language Spoken at Home by Gender in Colfax County Grades 9 - 12, 2005 NM YRRS



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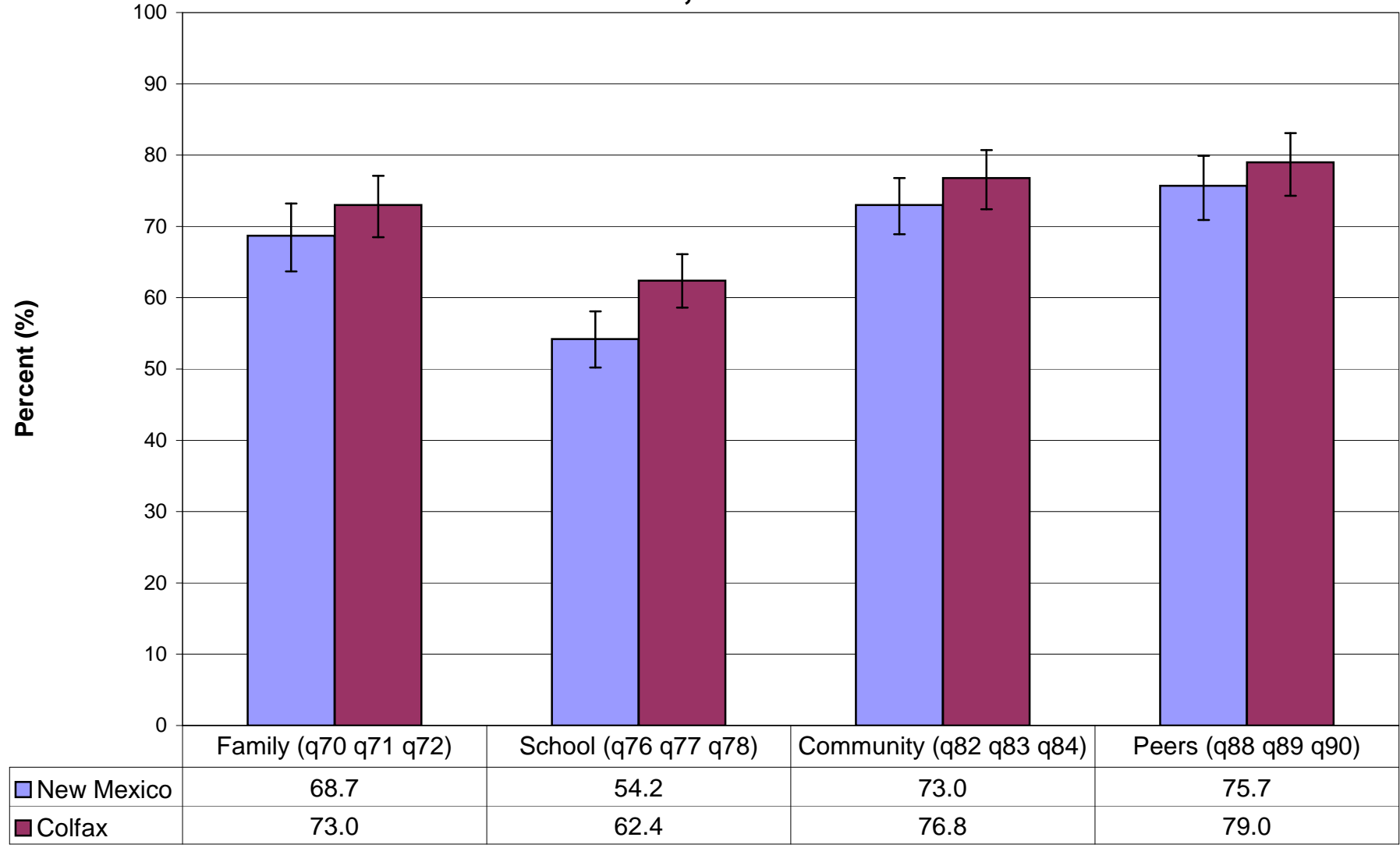
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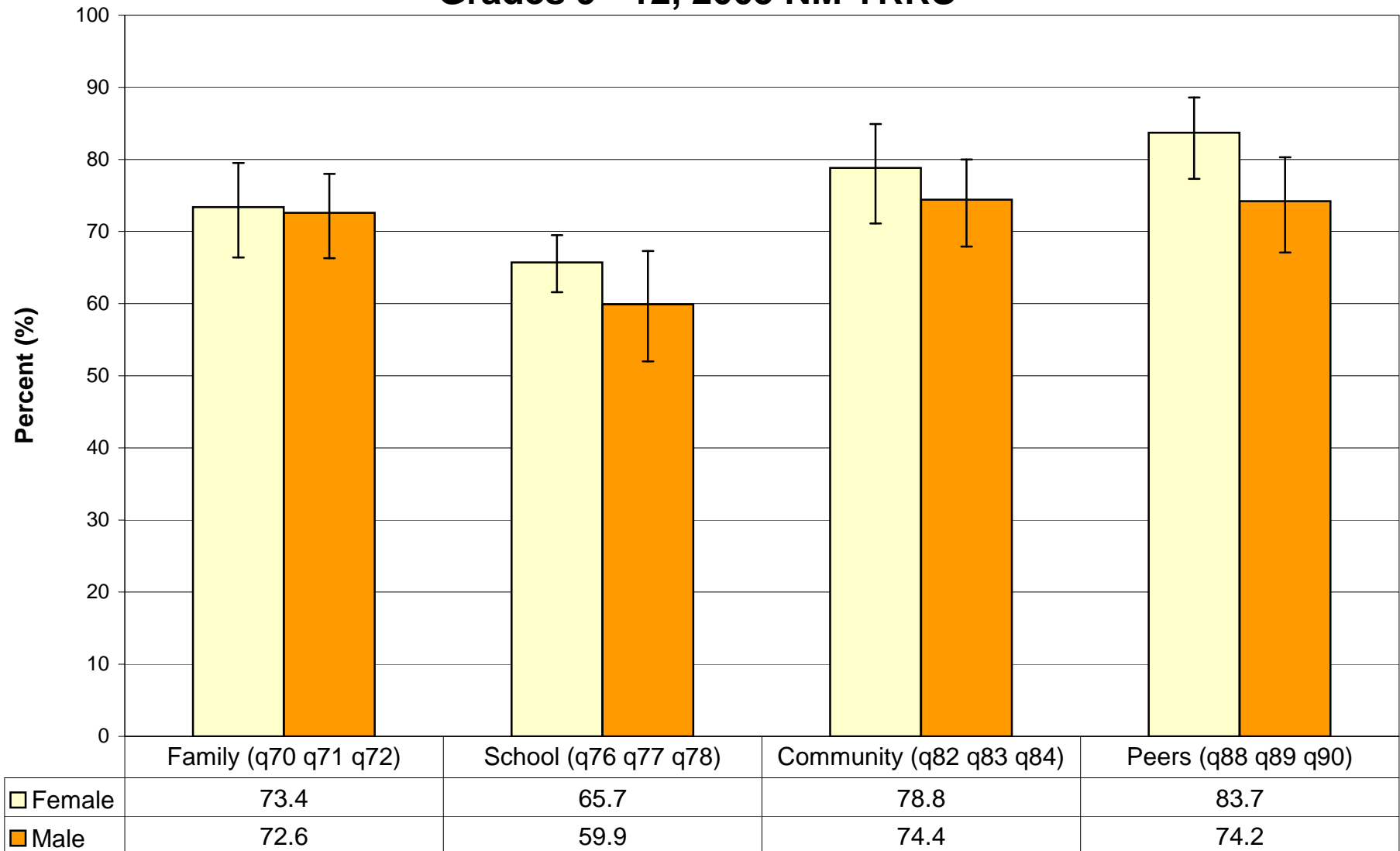


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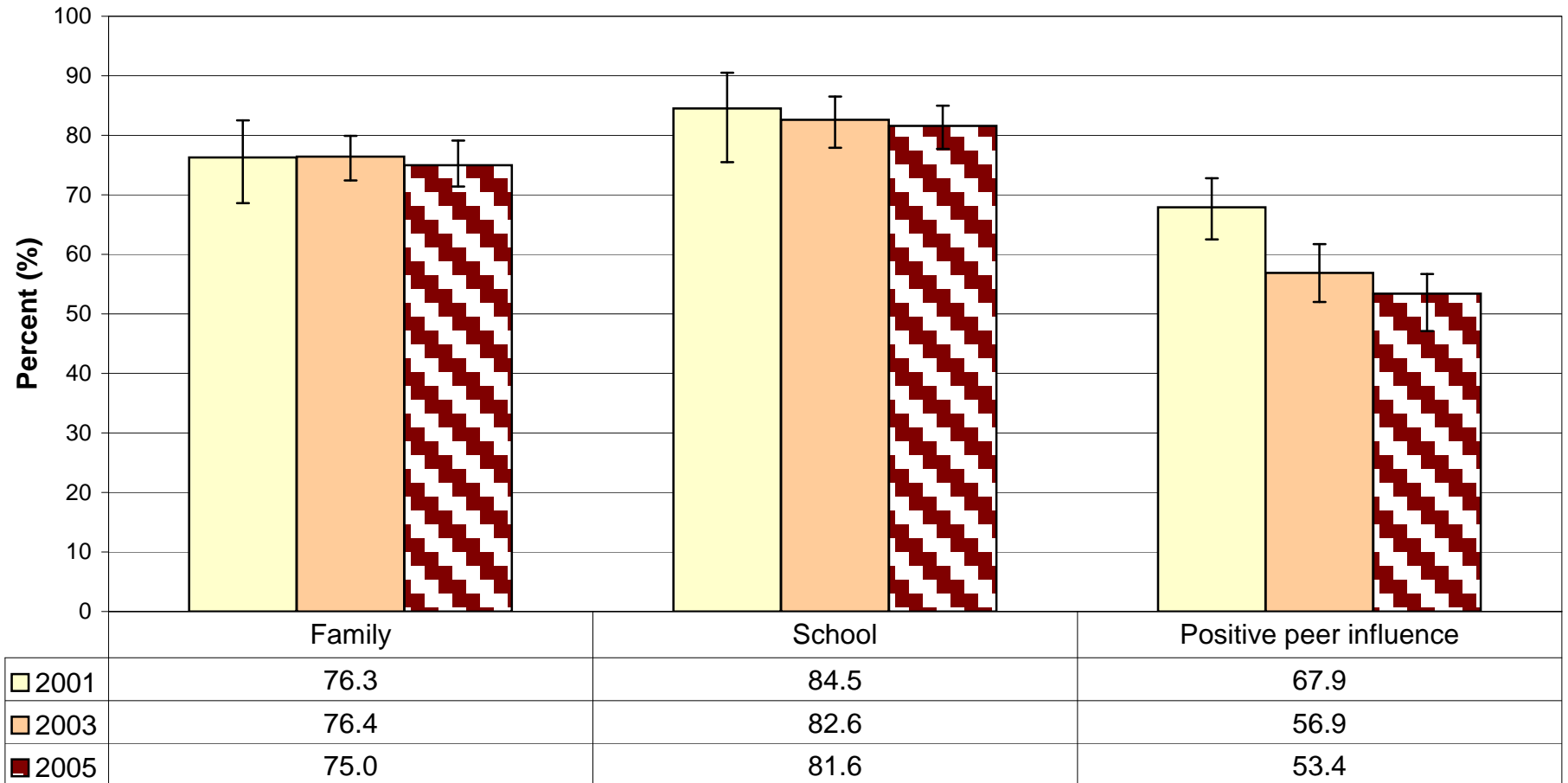


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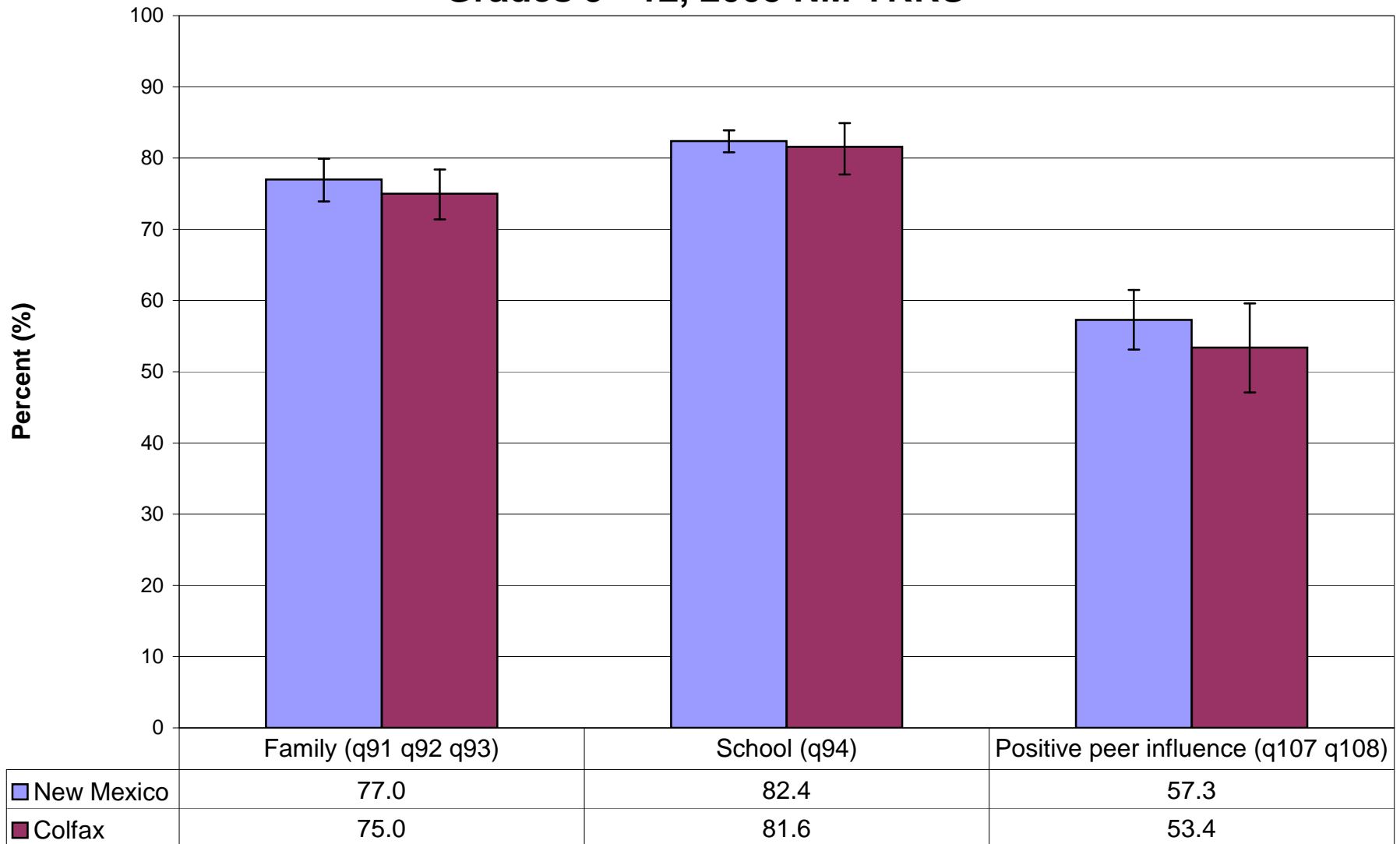
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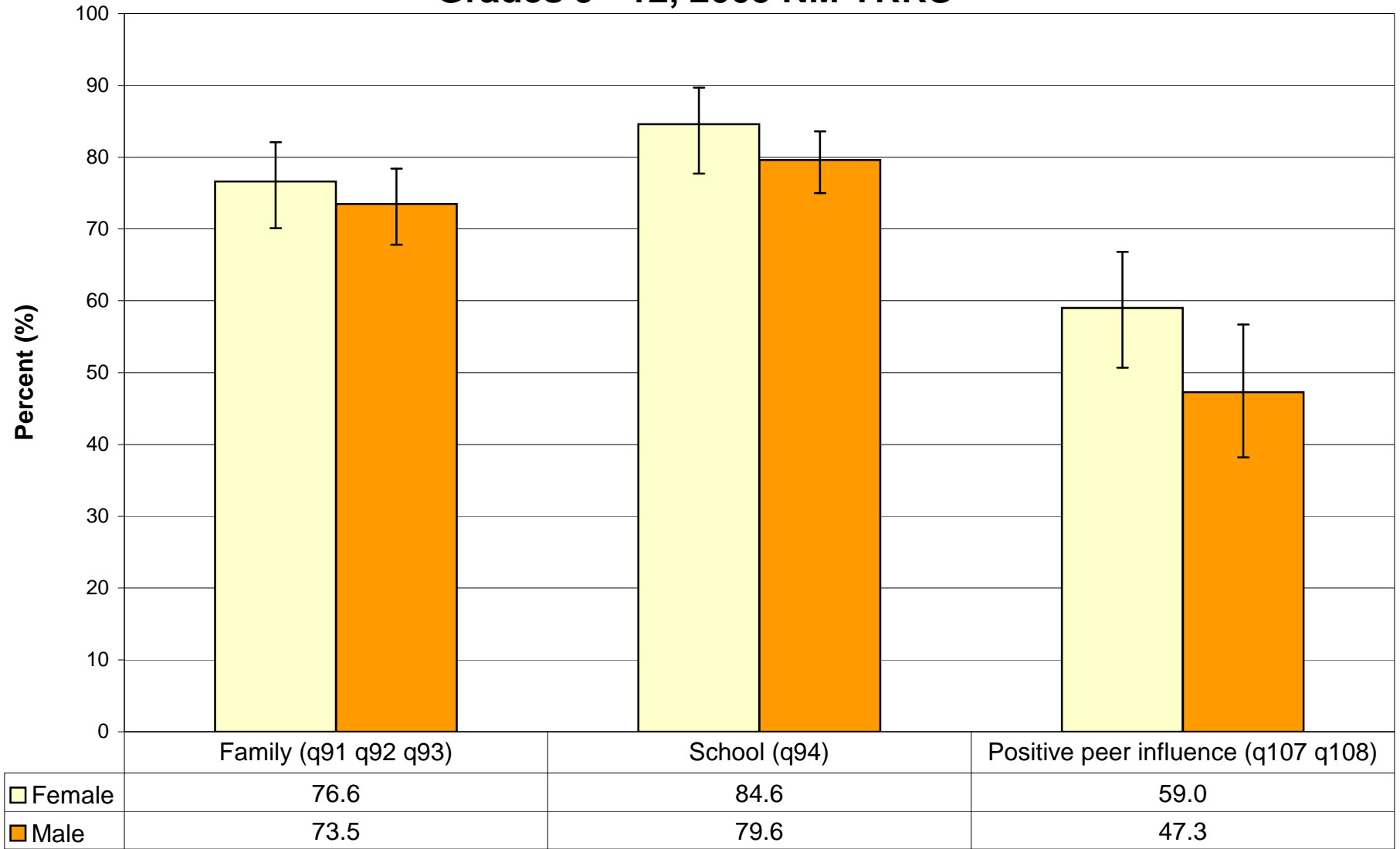
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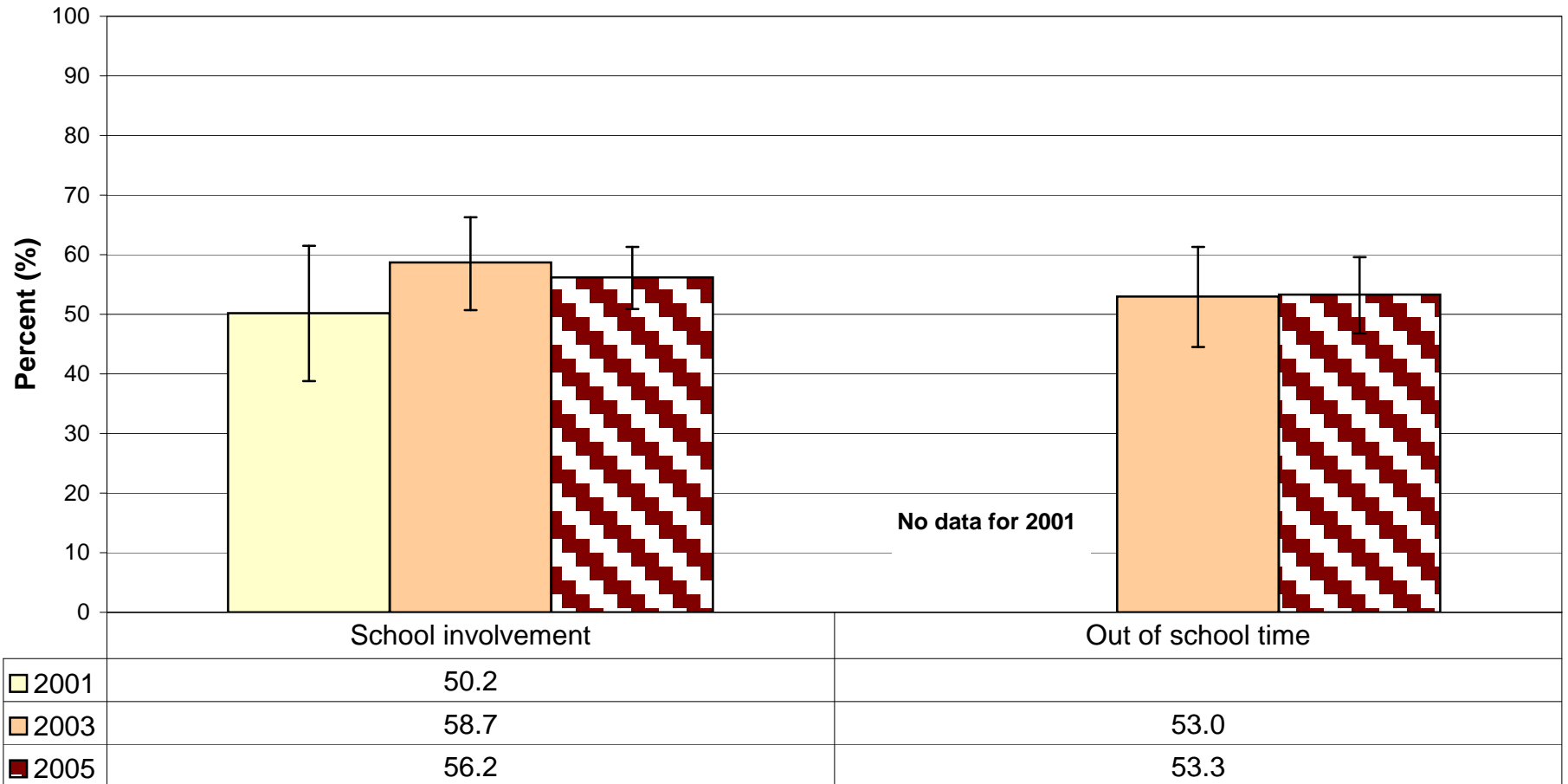
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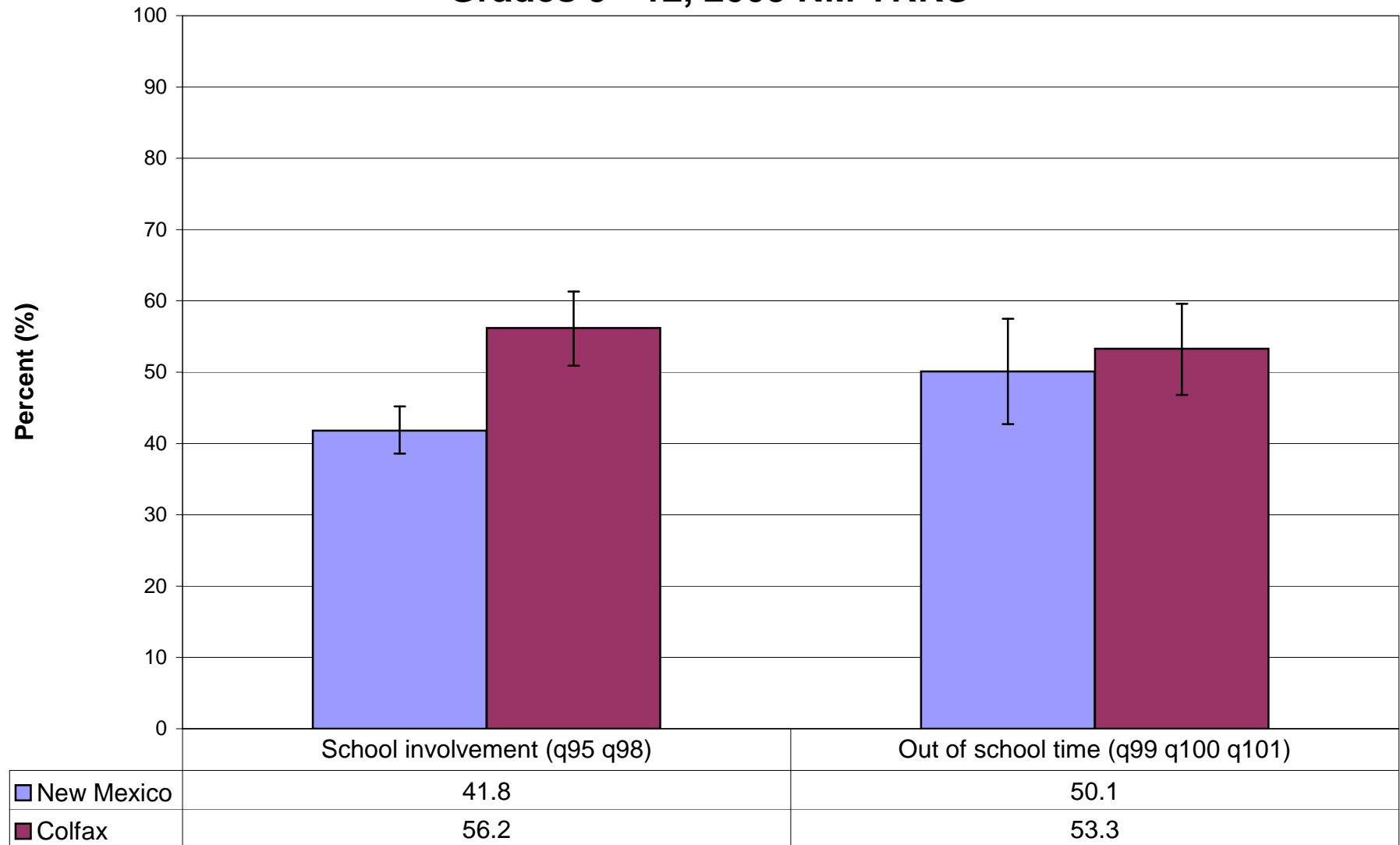
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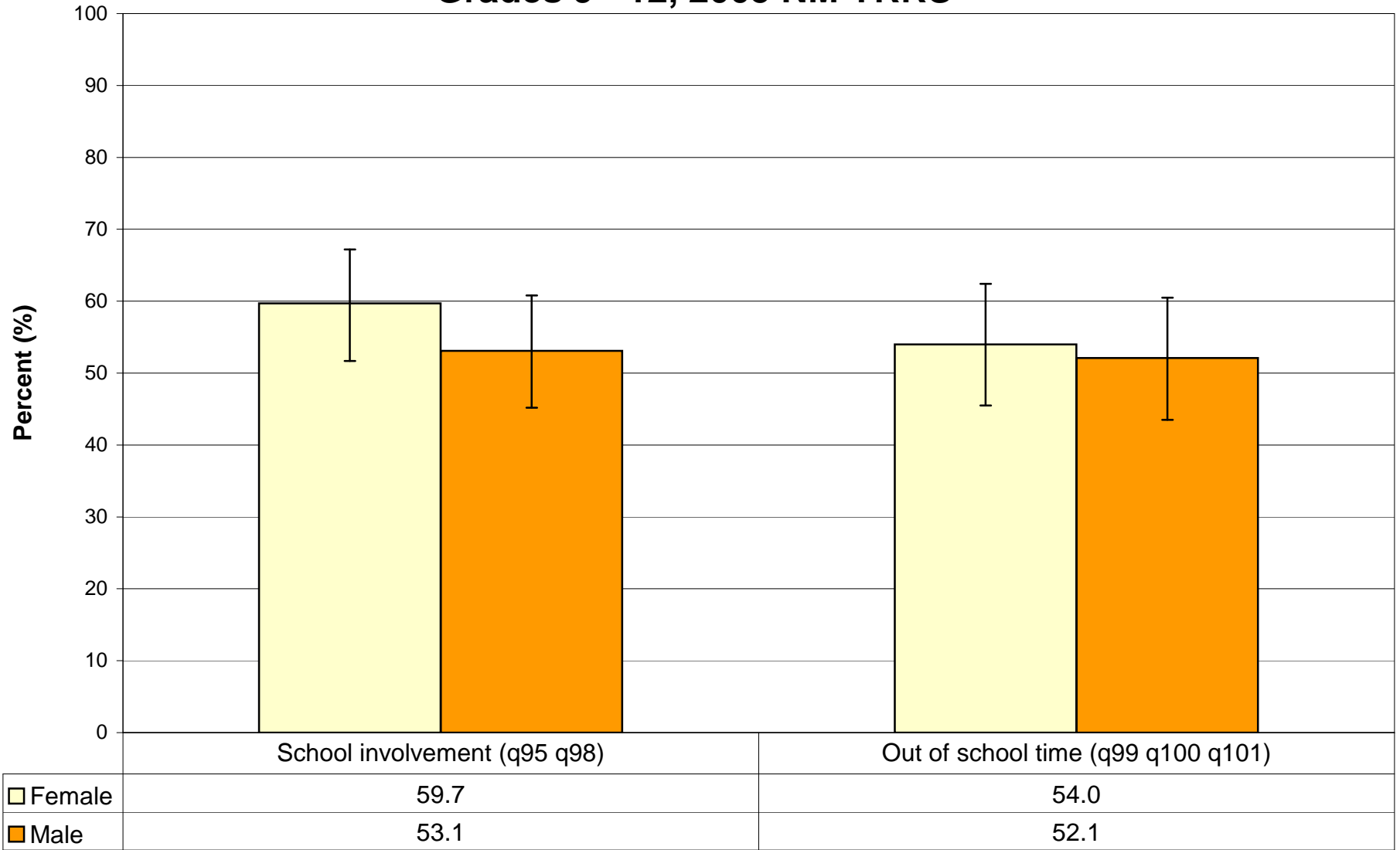
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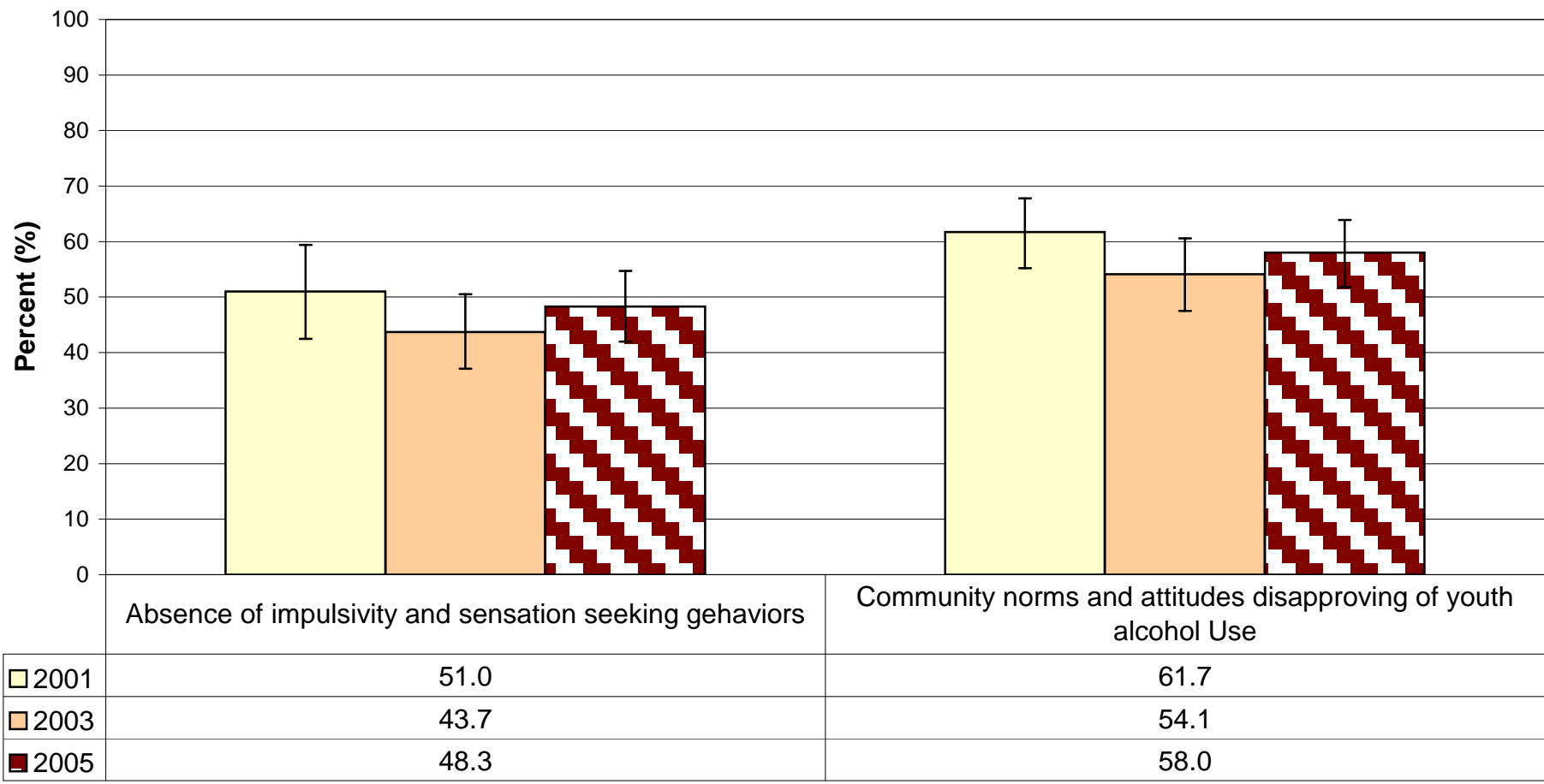
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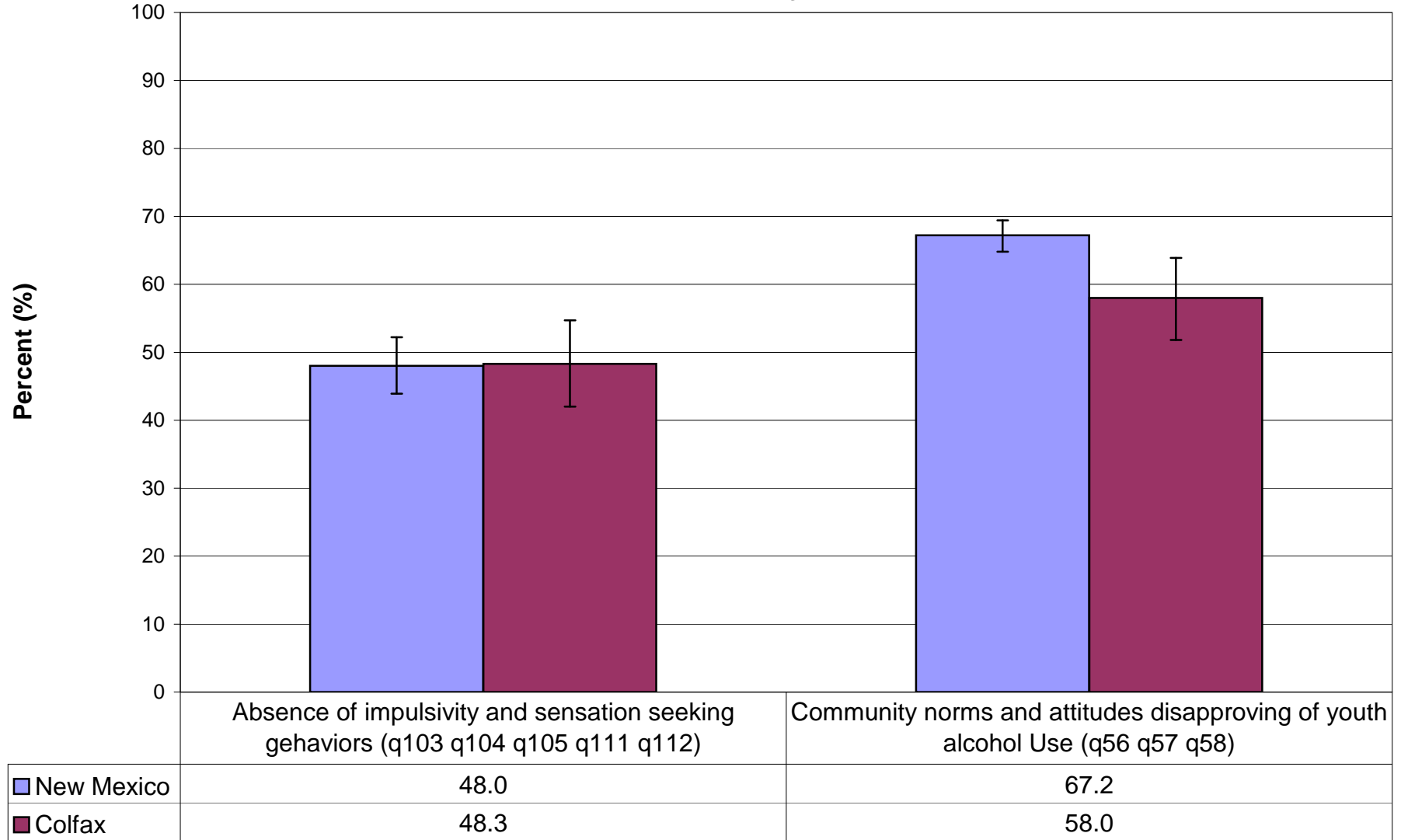
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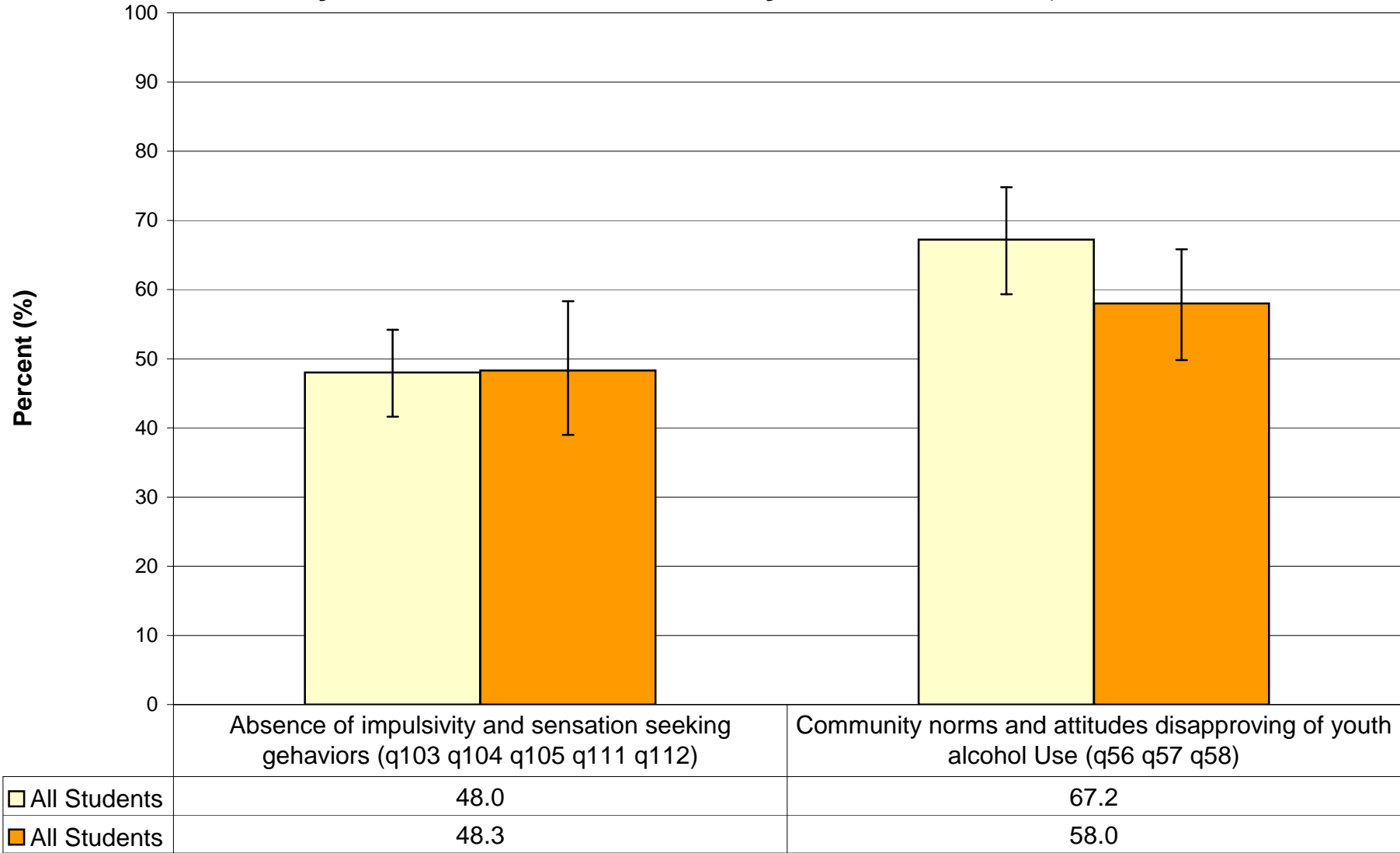
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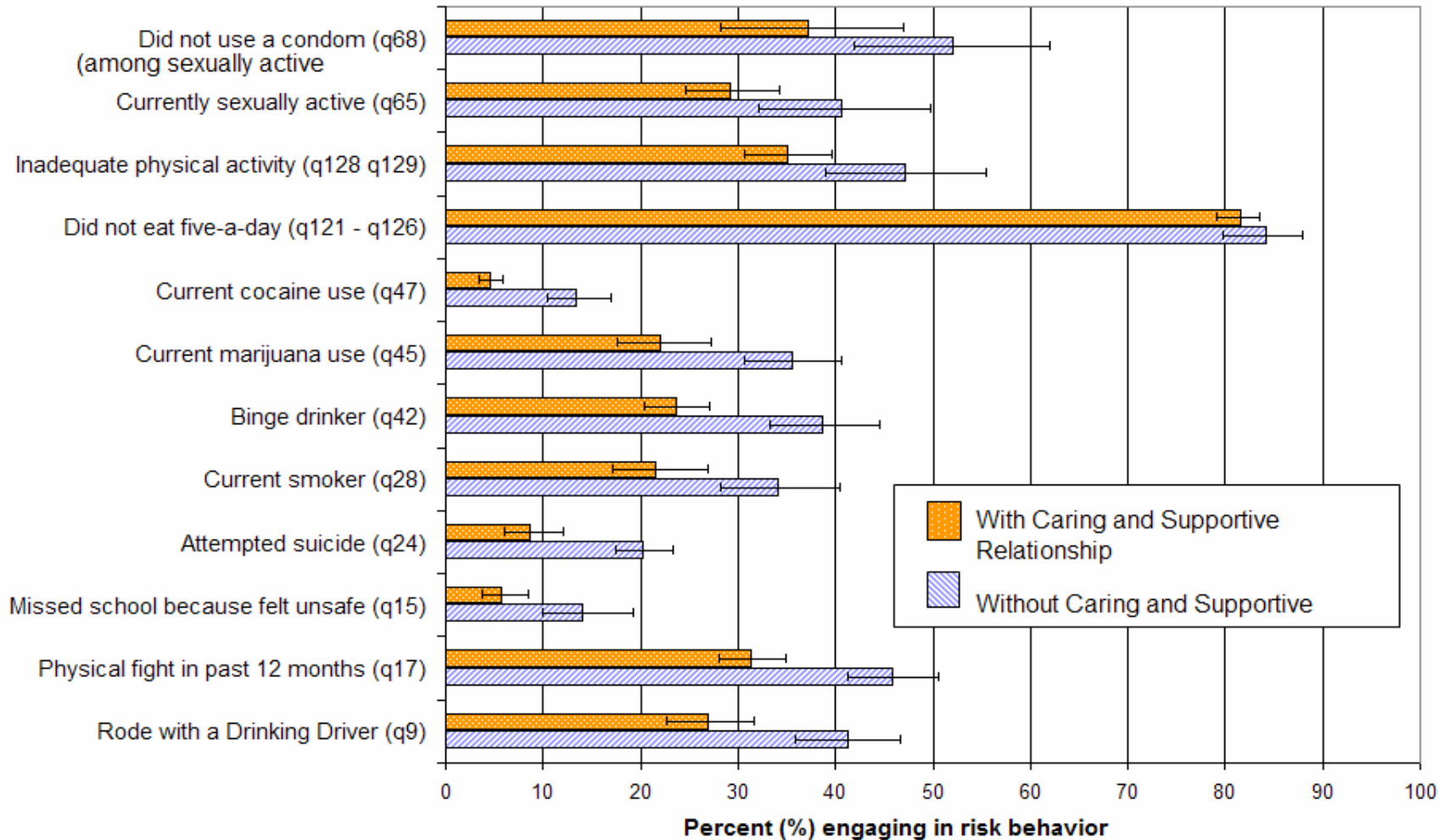
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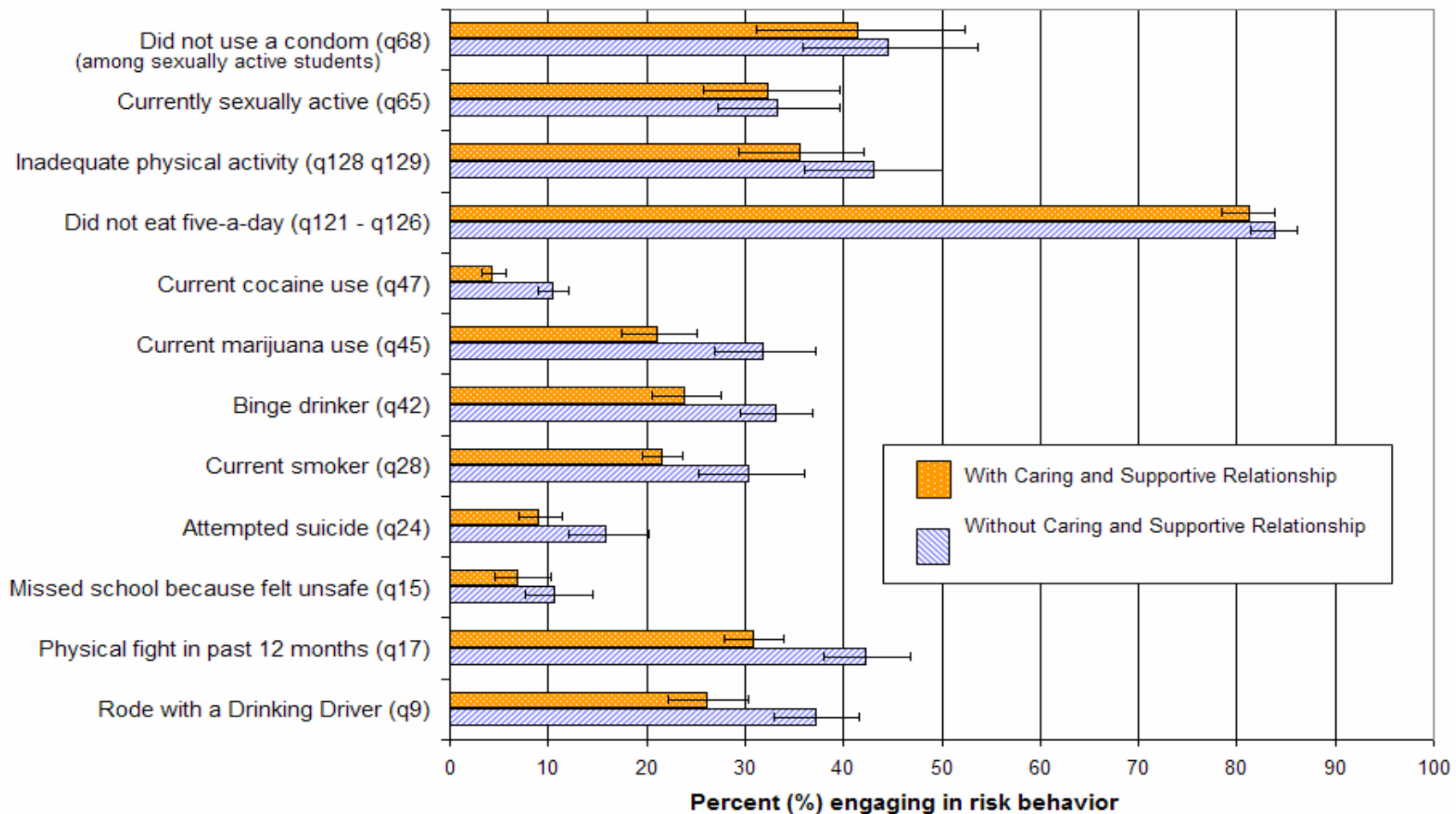


Relationships Between Protective Factors and Risk Behaviors

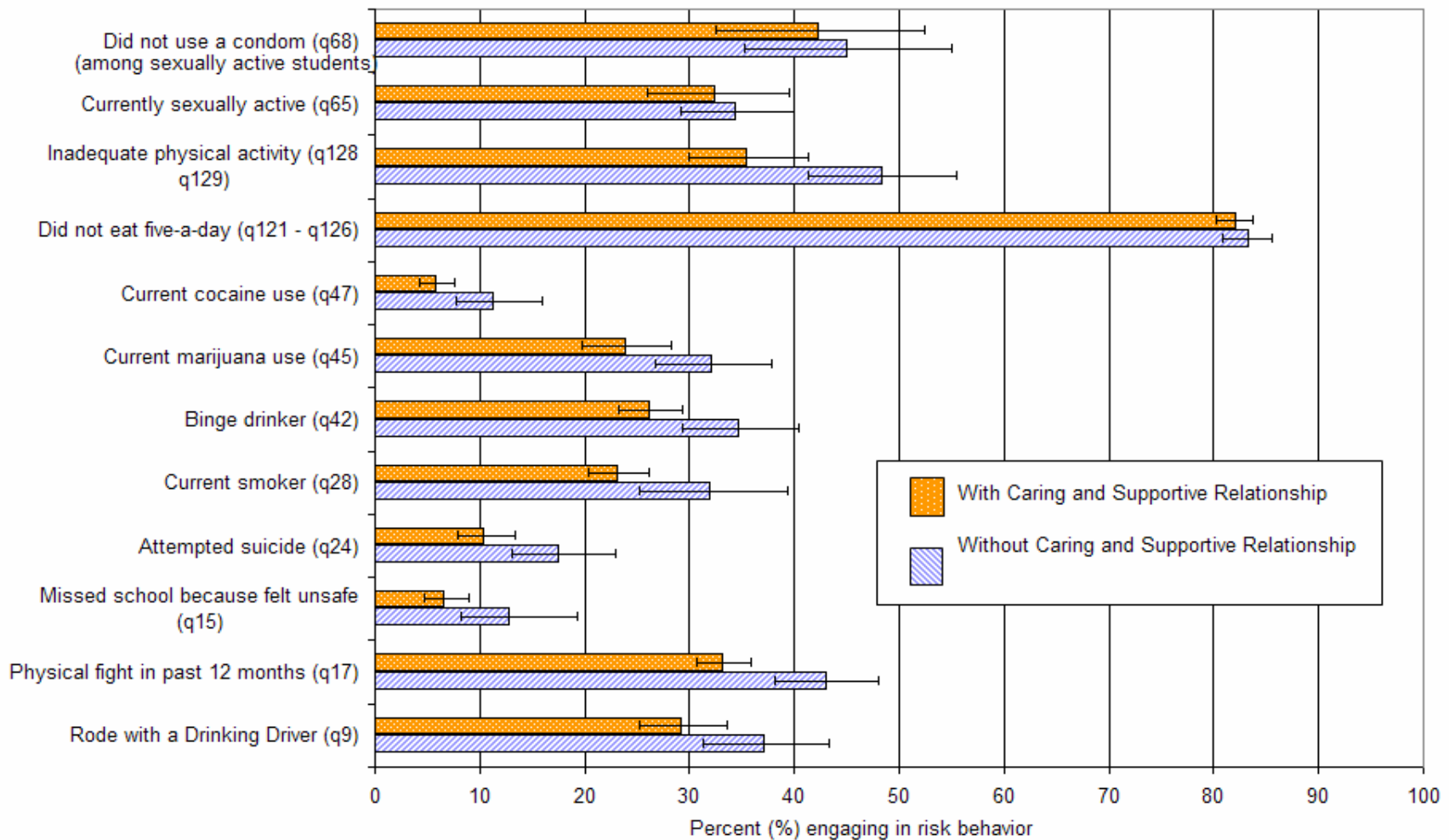
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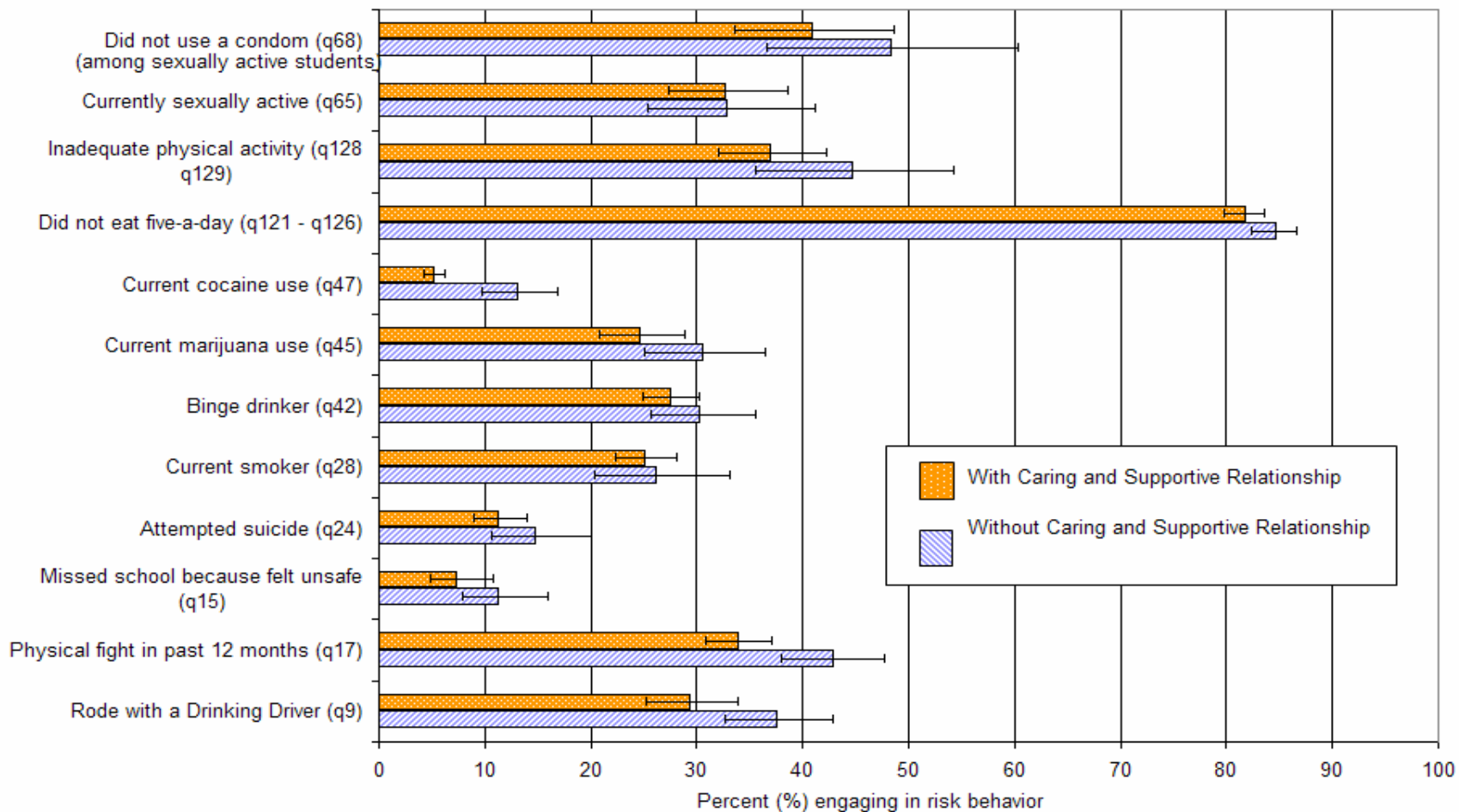
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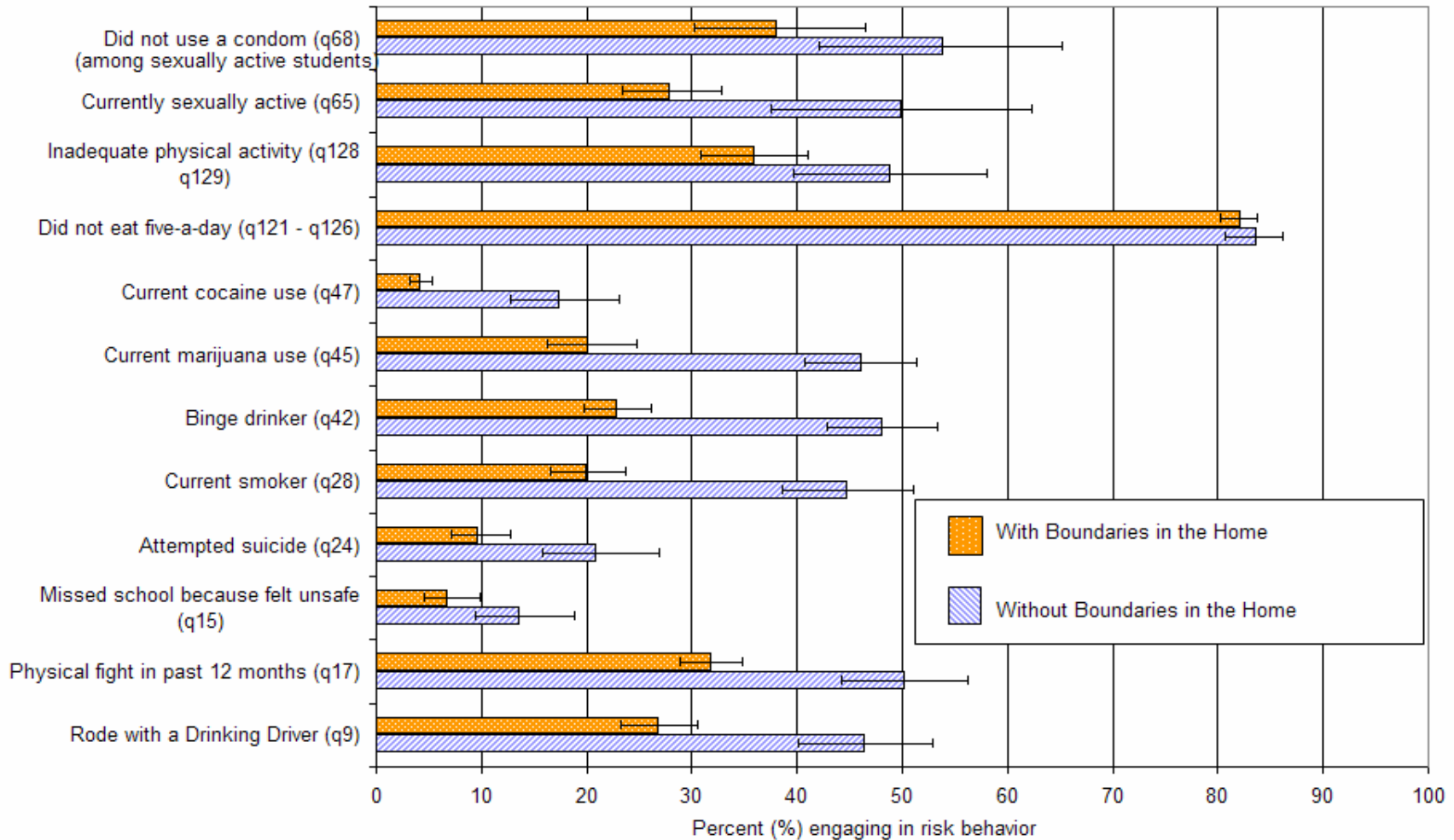


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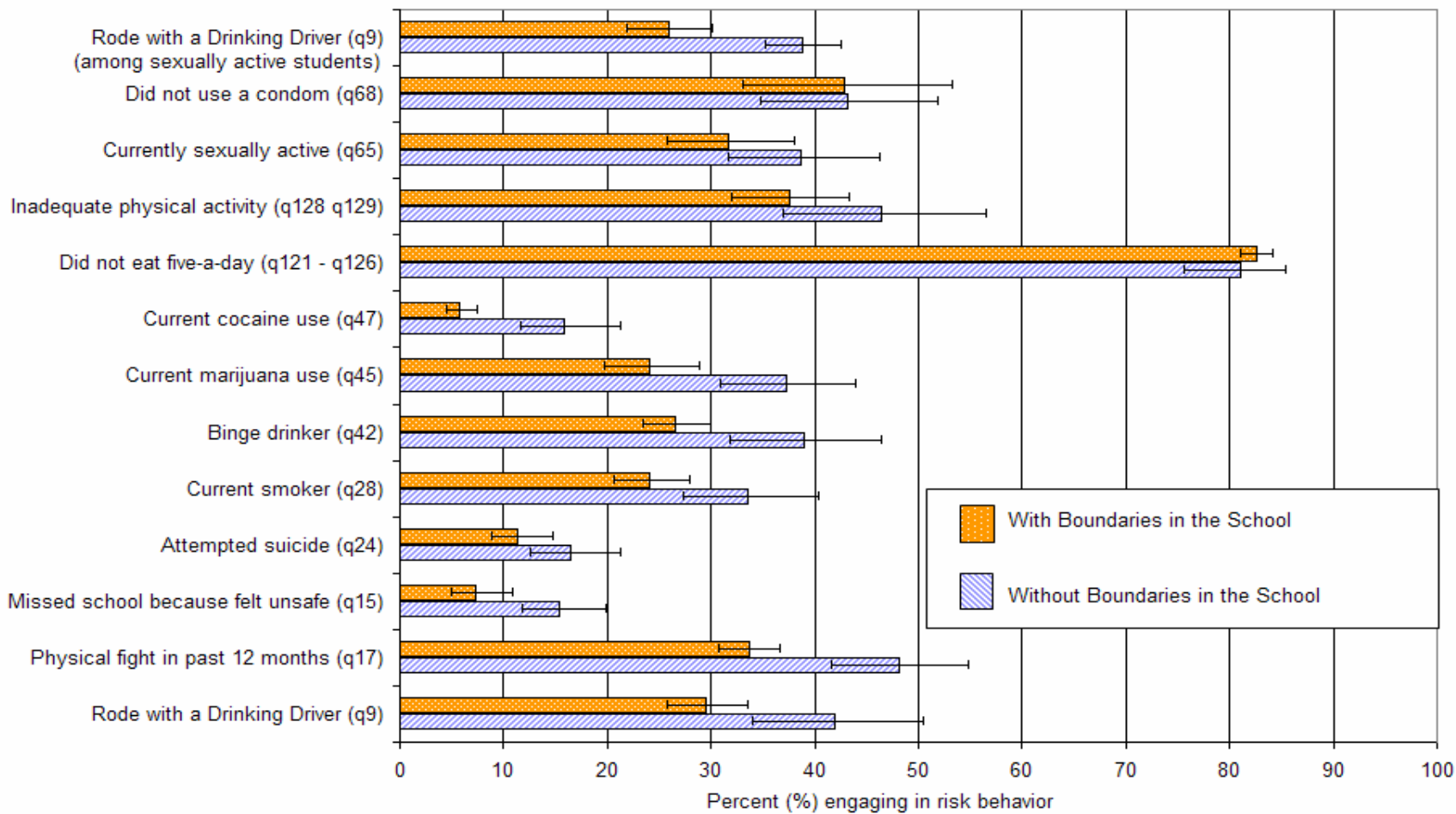
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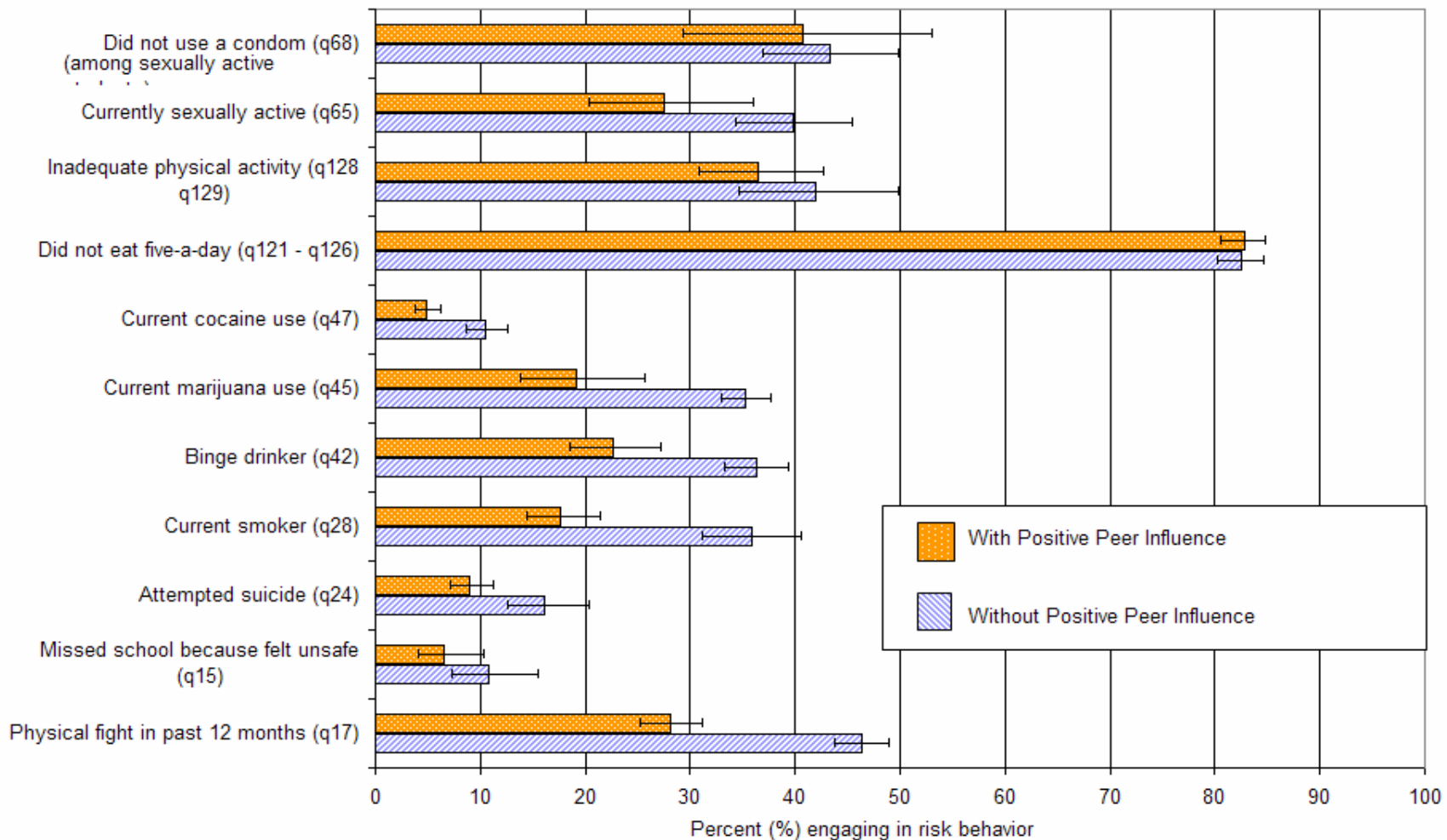
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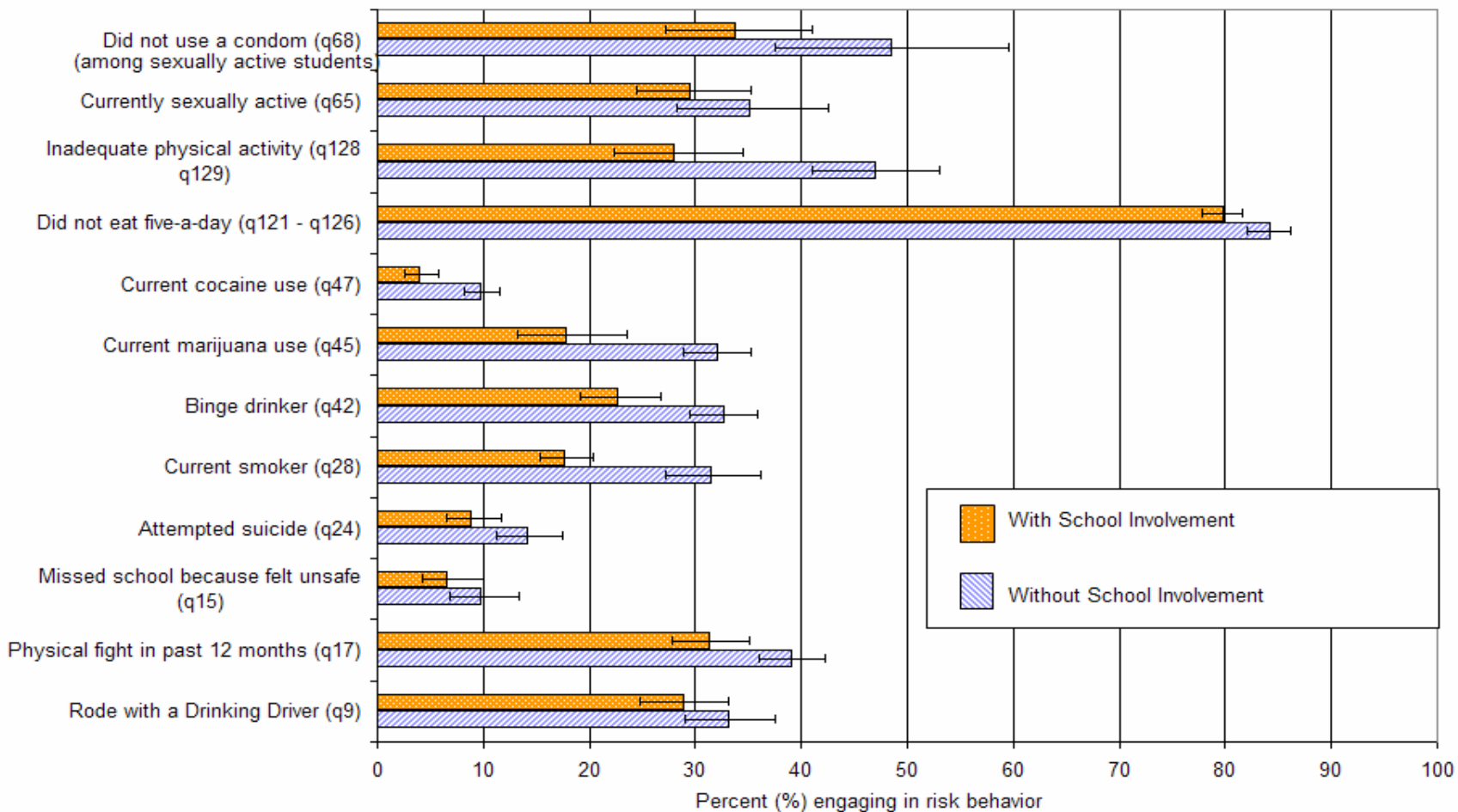


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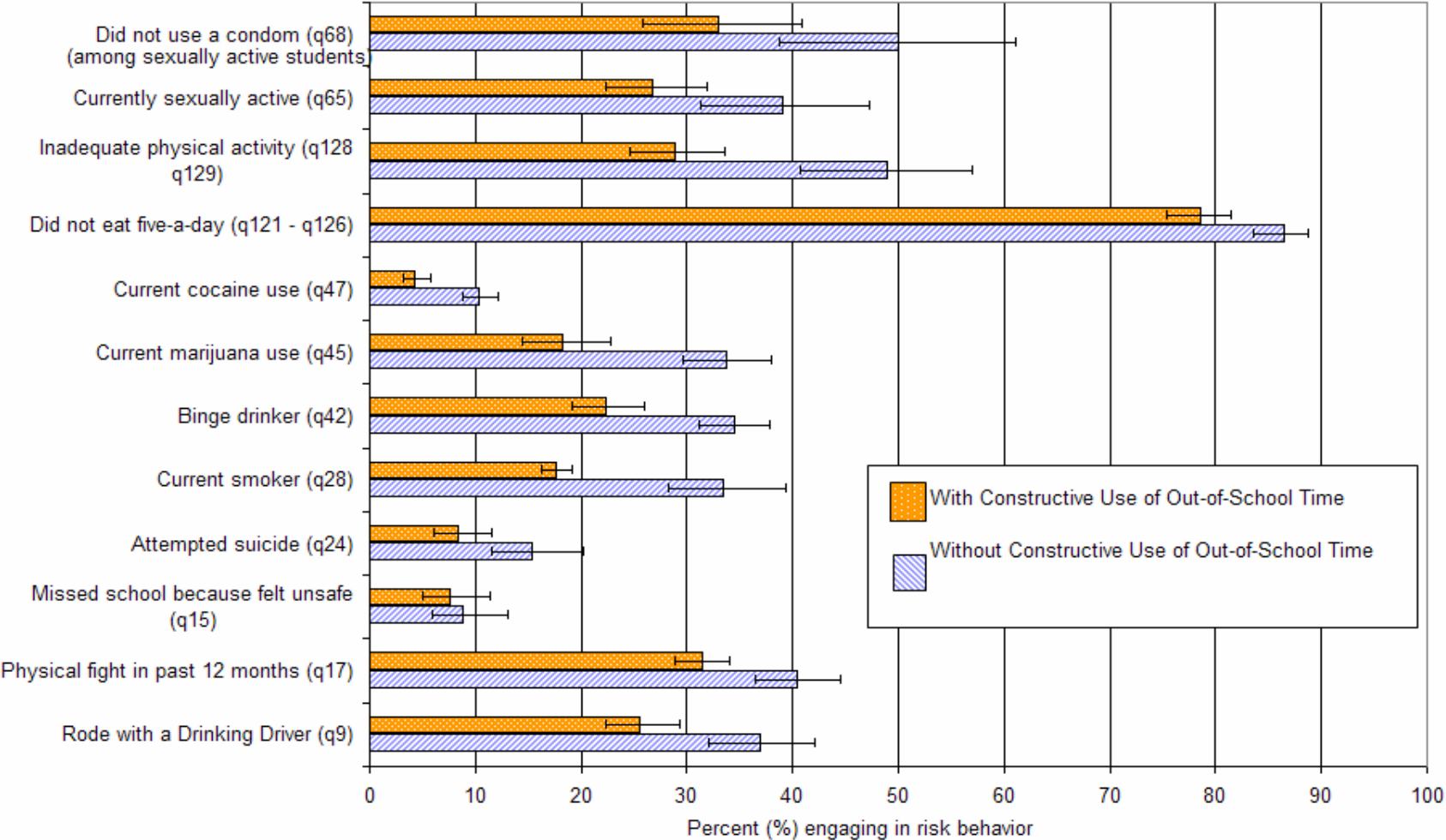


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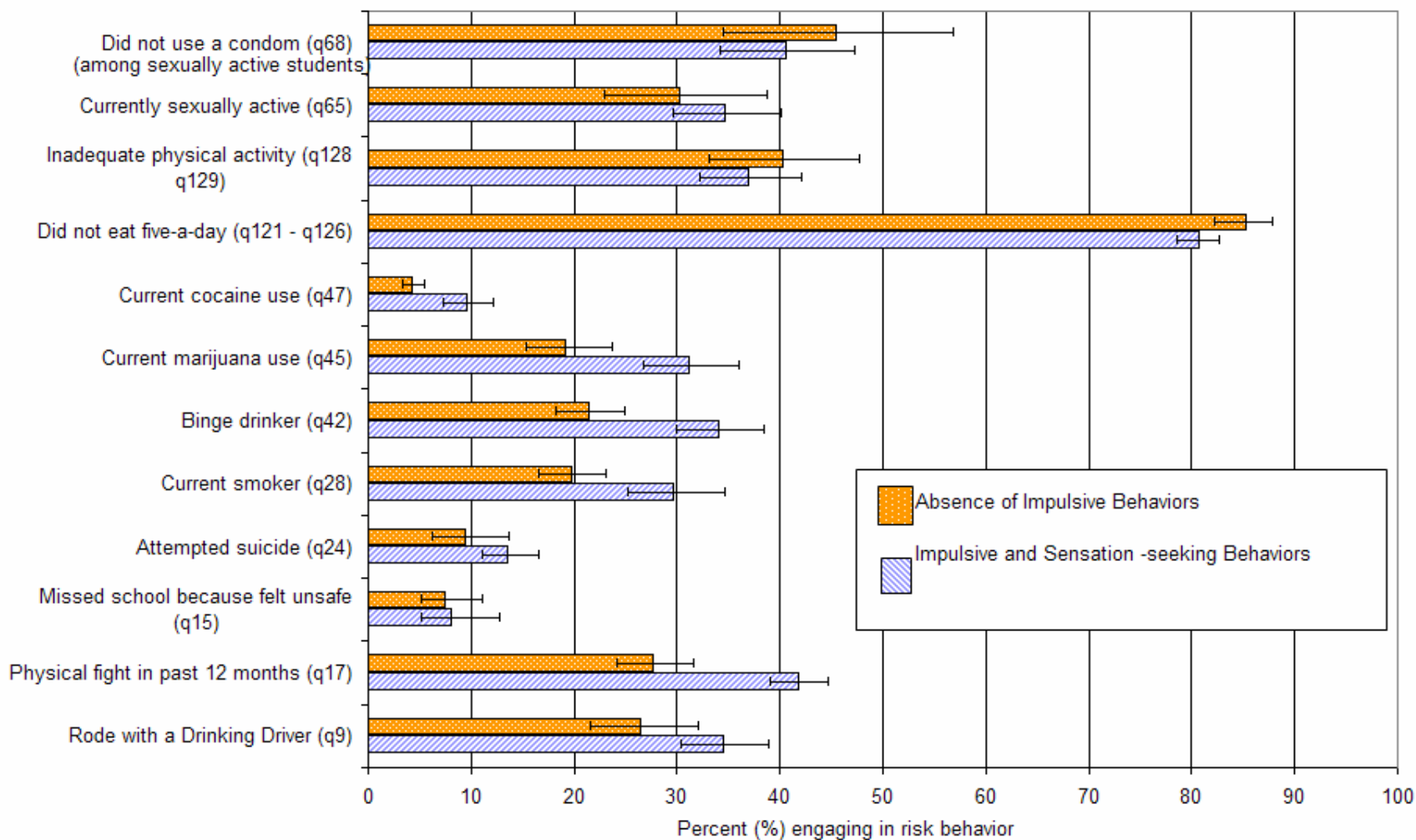


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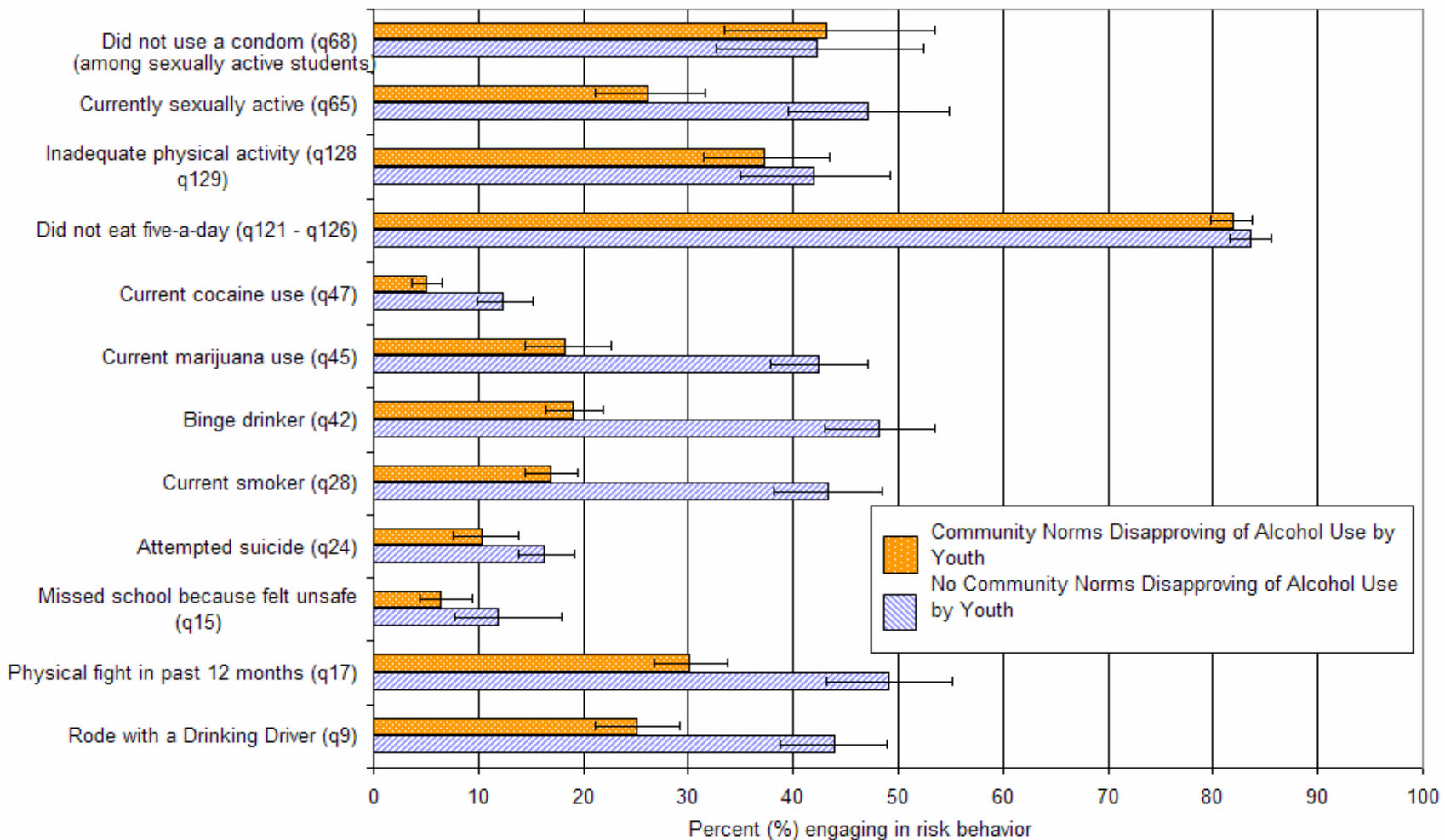
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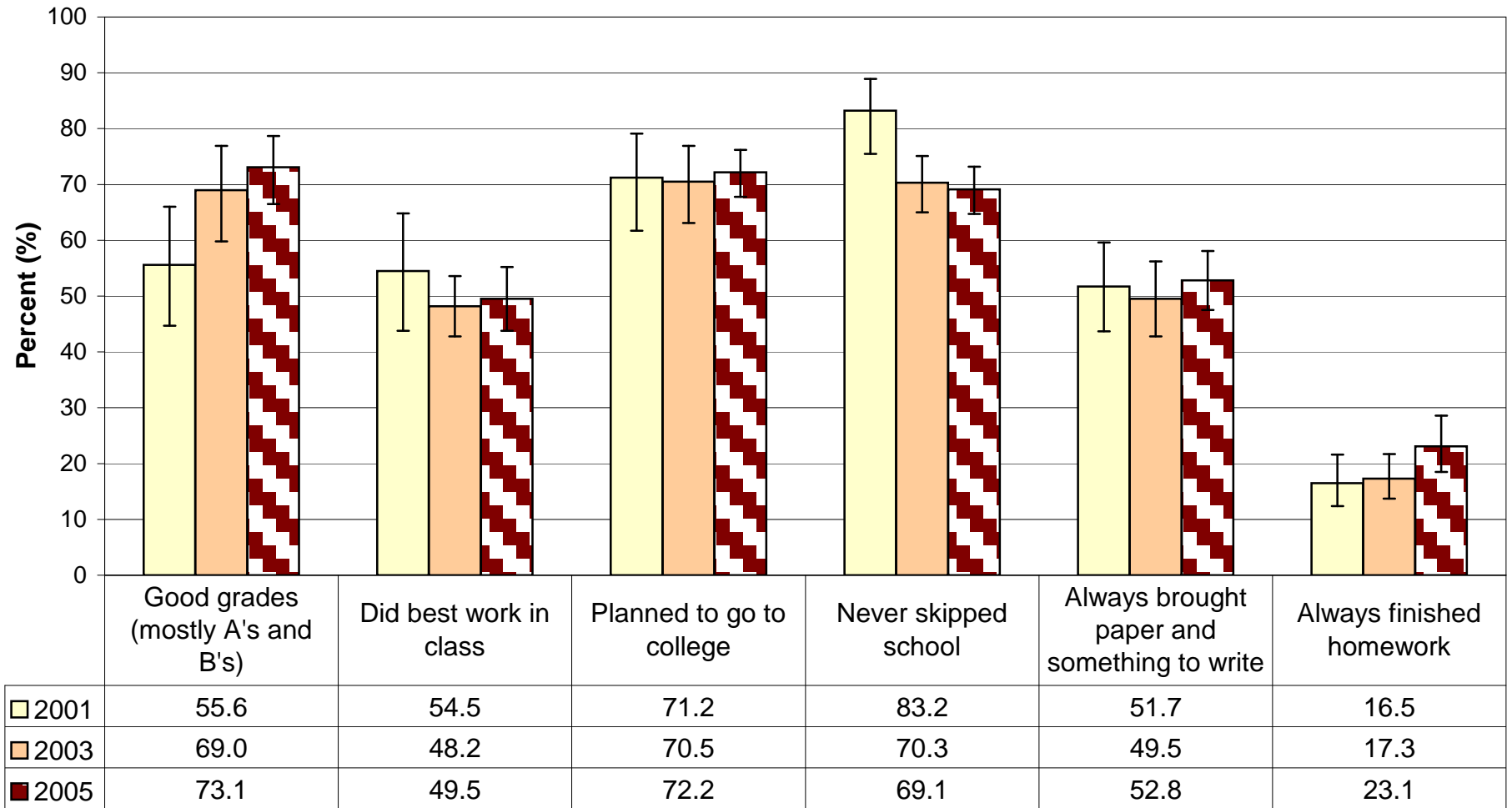
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Academic Performance and Motivation

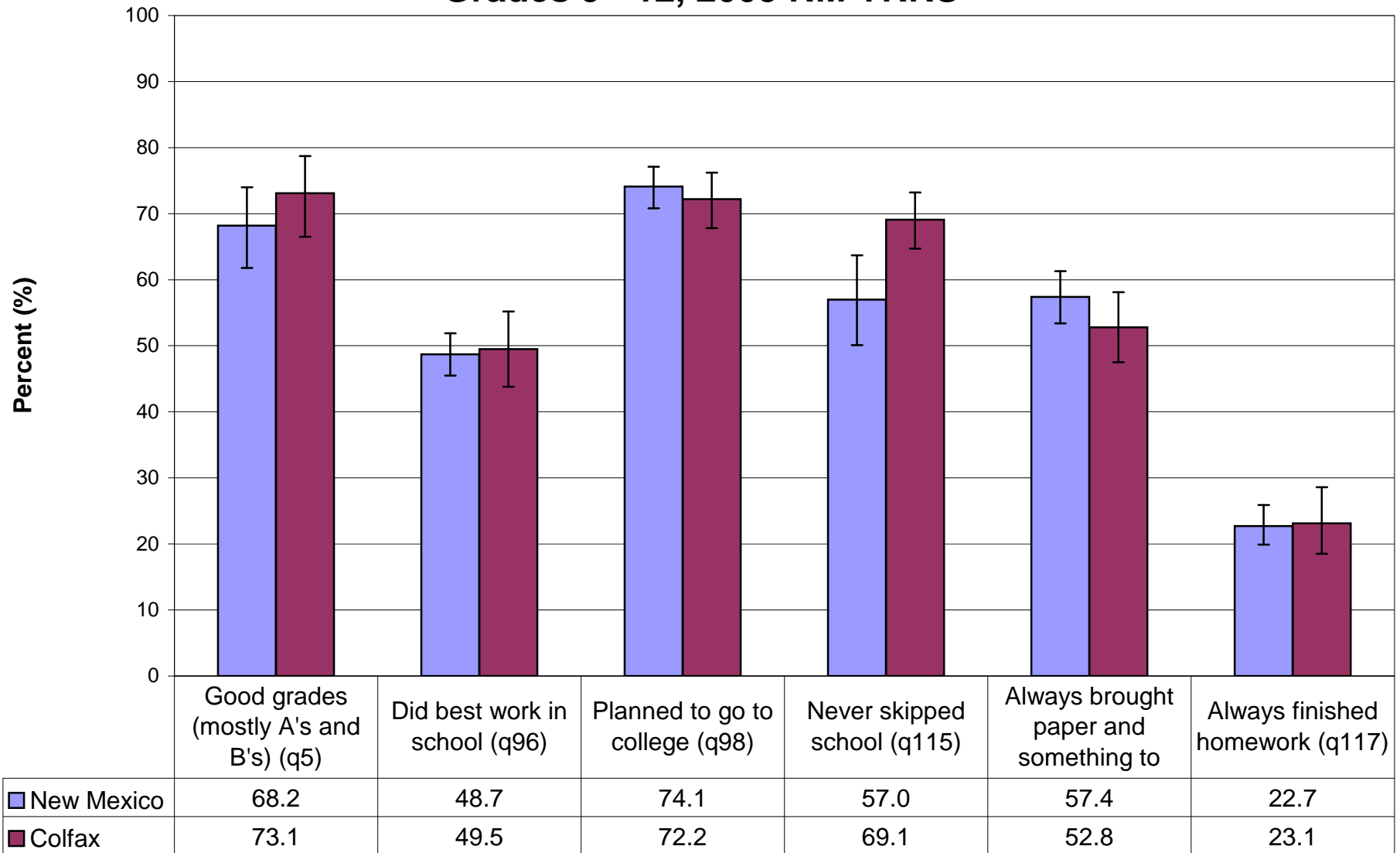
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Academic Motivation and Performance Colfax County; 2001, 2003, and 2005 Grades 9 - 12, NM YRRS



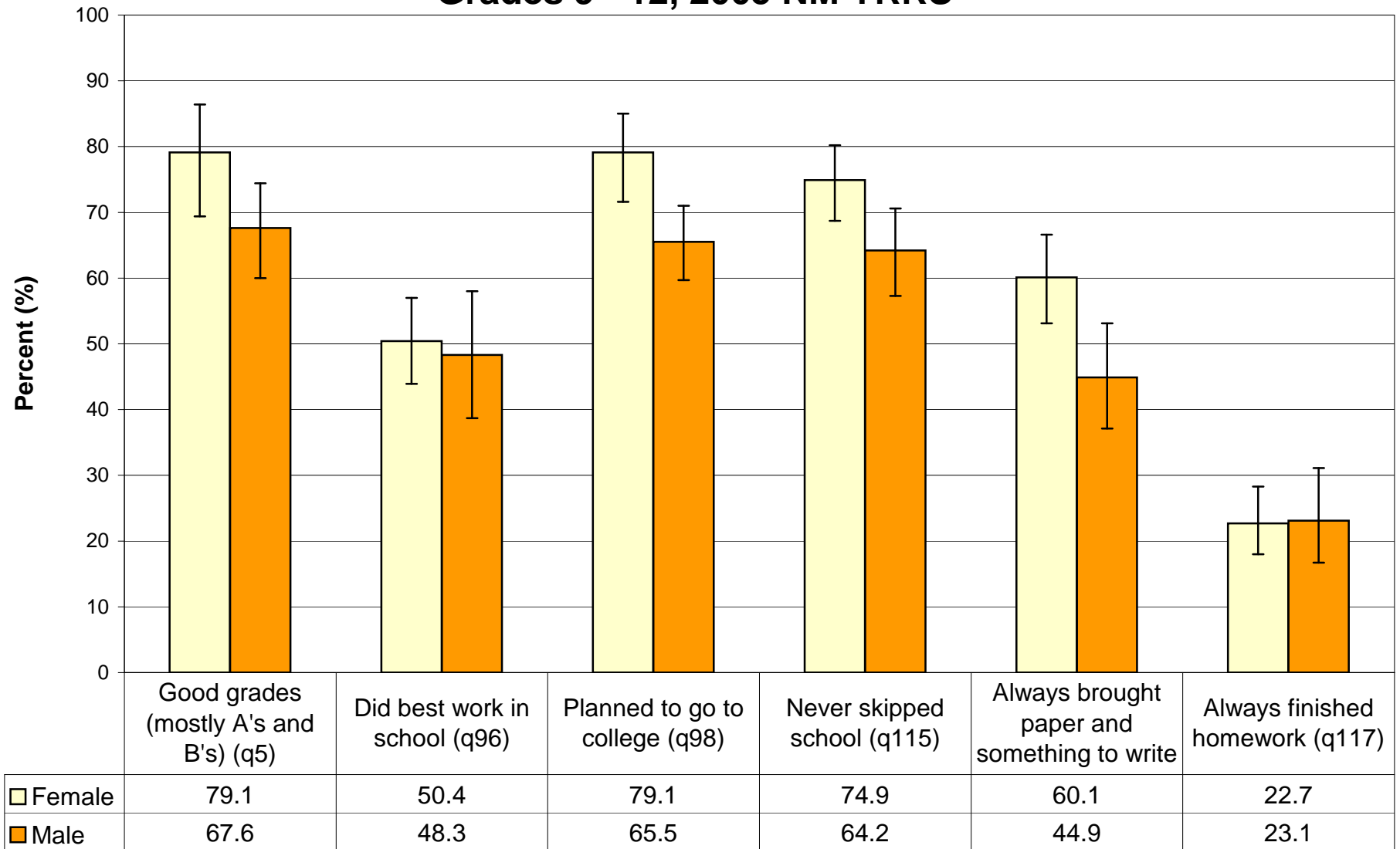
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Academic Motivation and Performance New Mexico and Colfax County Grades 9 - 12, 2005 NM YRRS



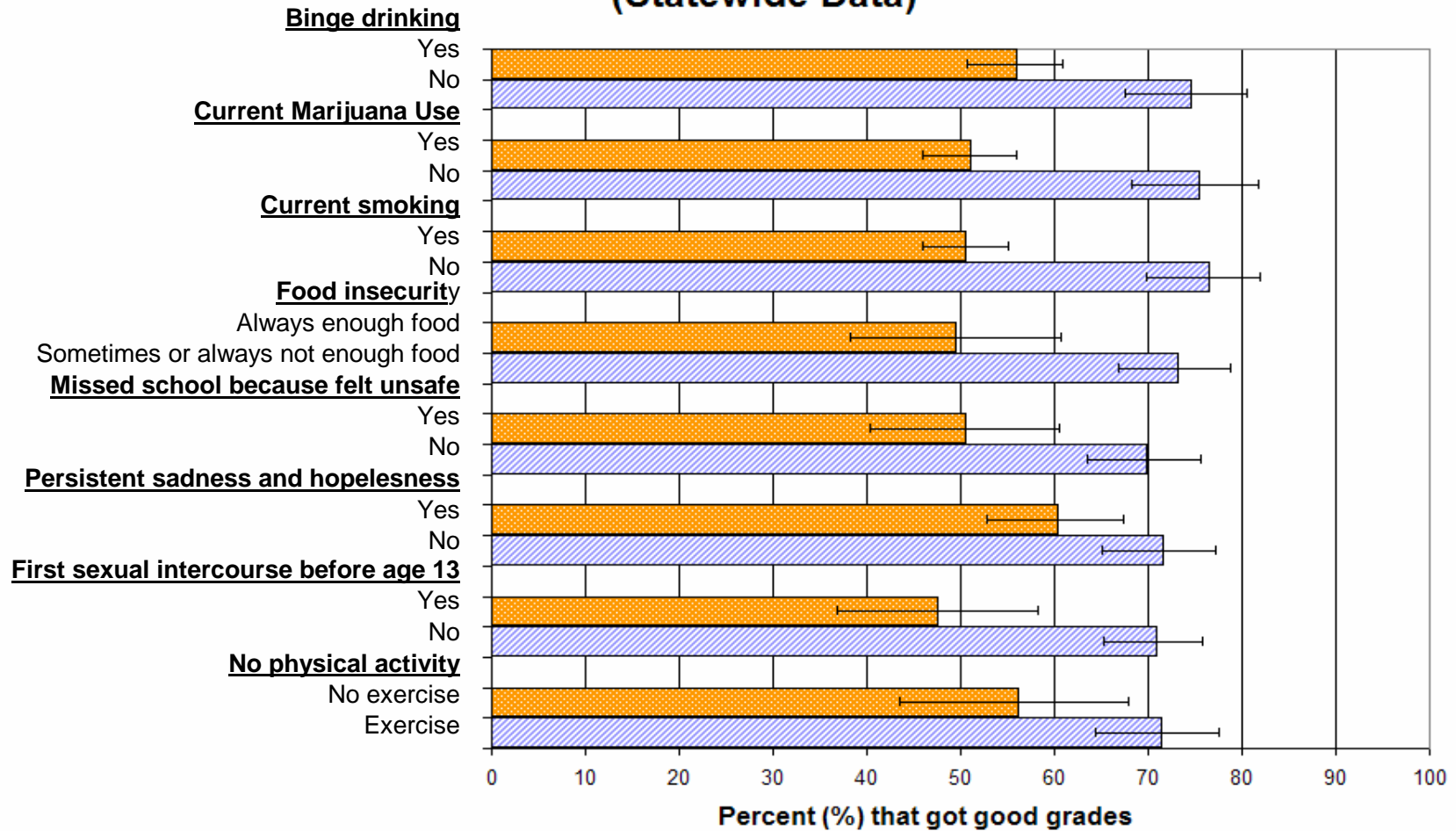
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Academic Motivation and Performance by Gender in Colfax County Grades 9 - 12, 2005 NM YRRS

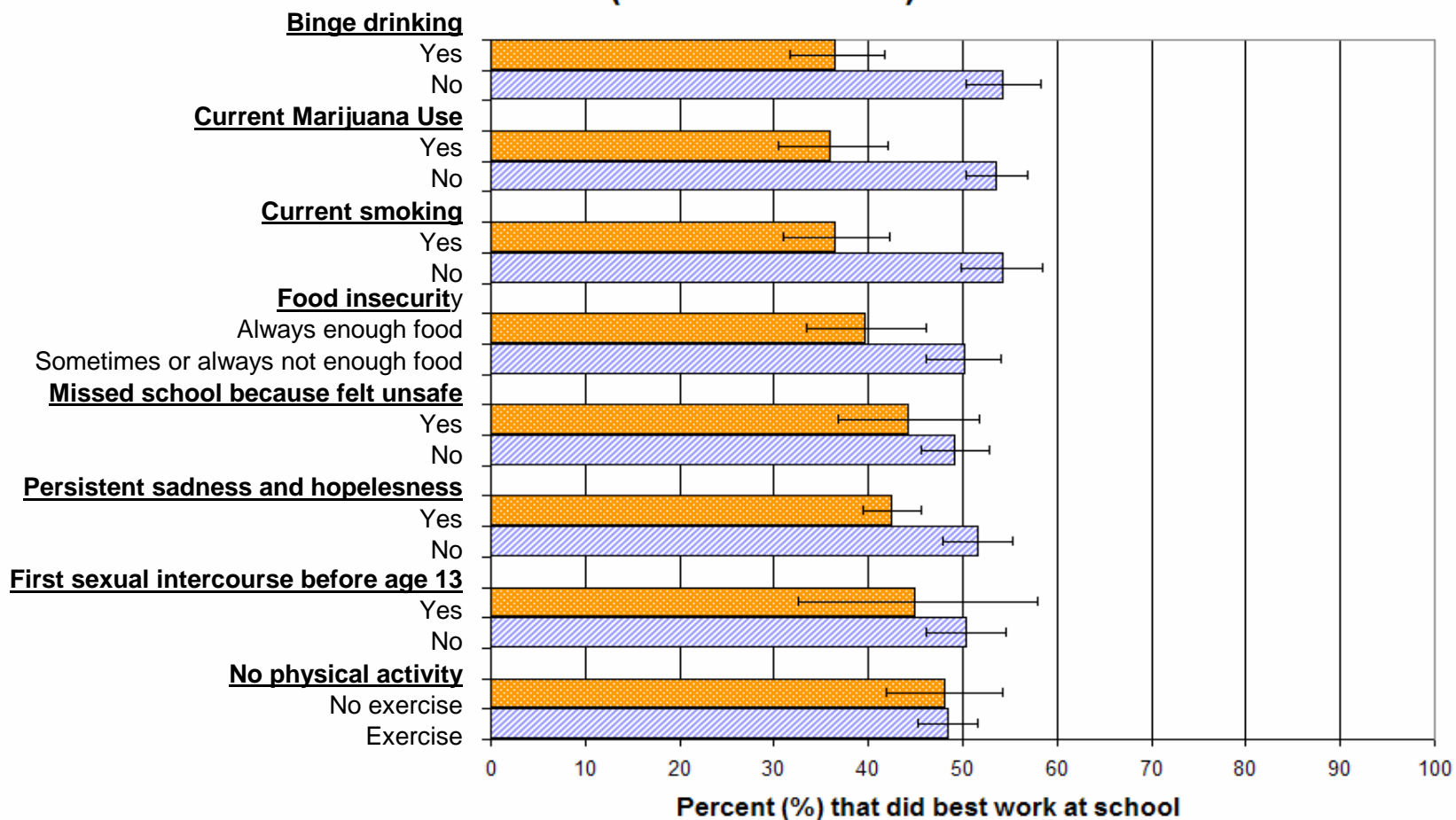


Relationships Between Academic Motivation and Performance and Risk Behaviors

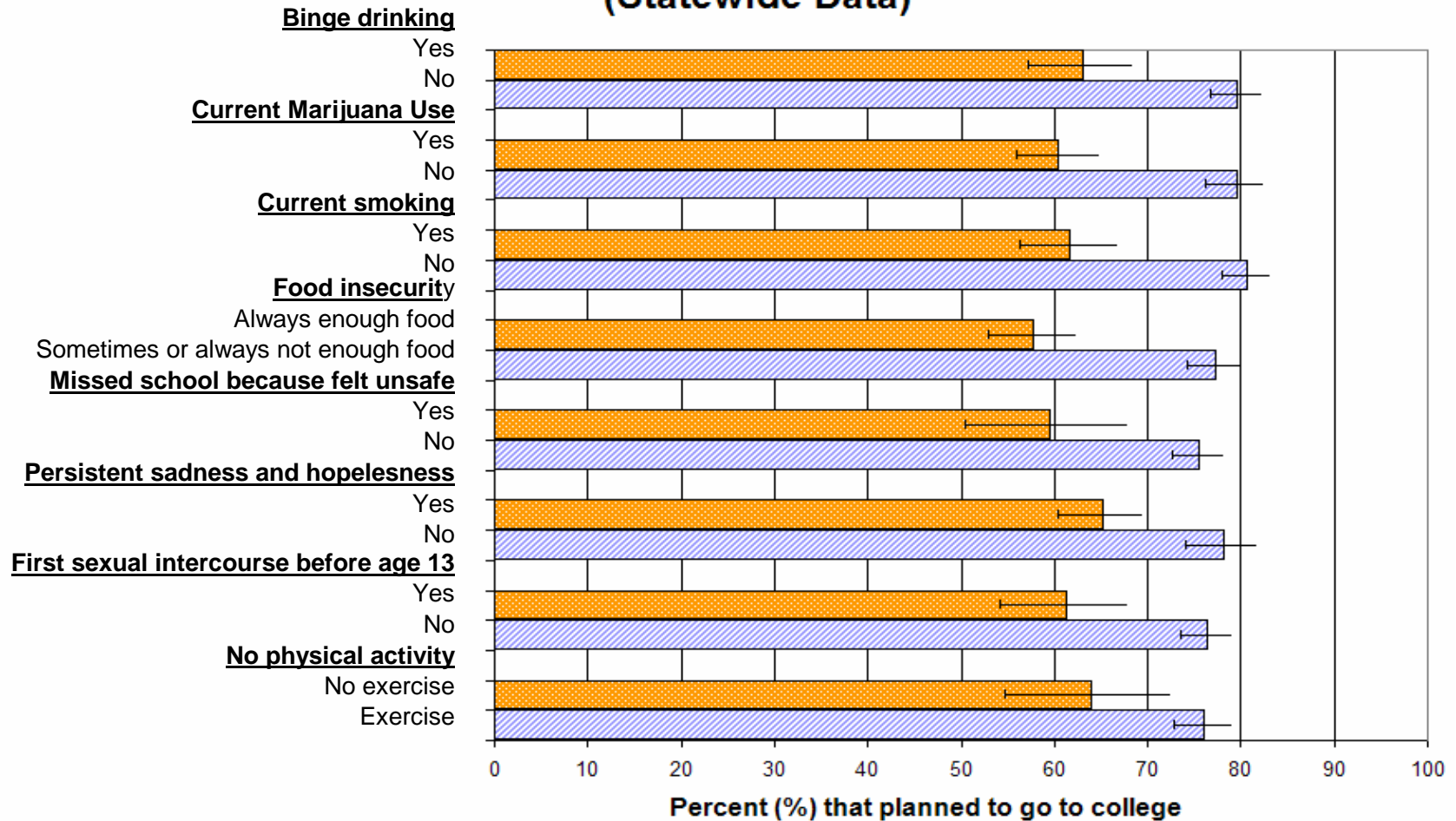
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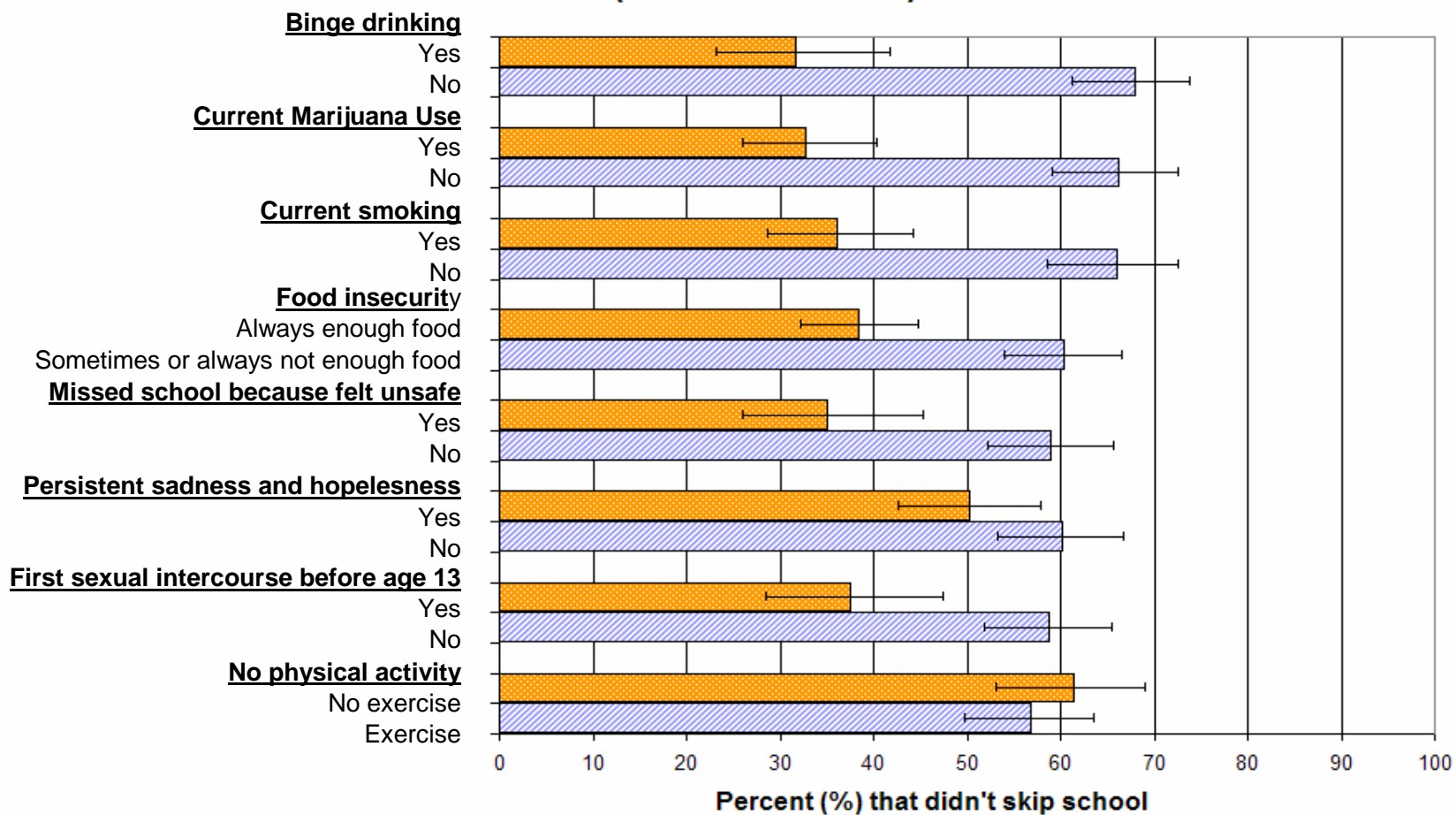
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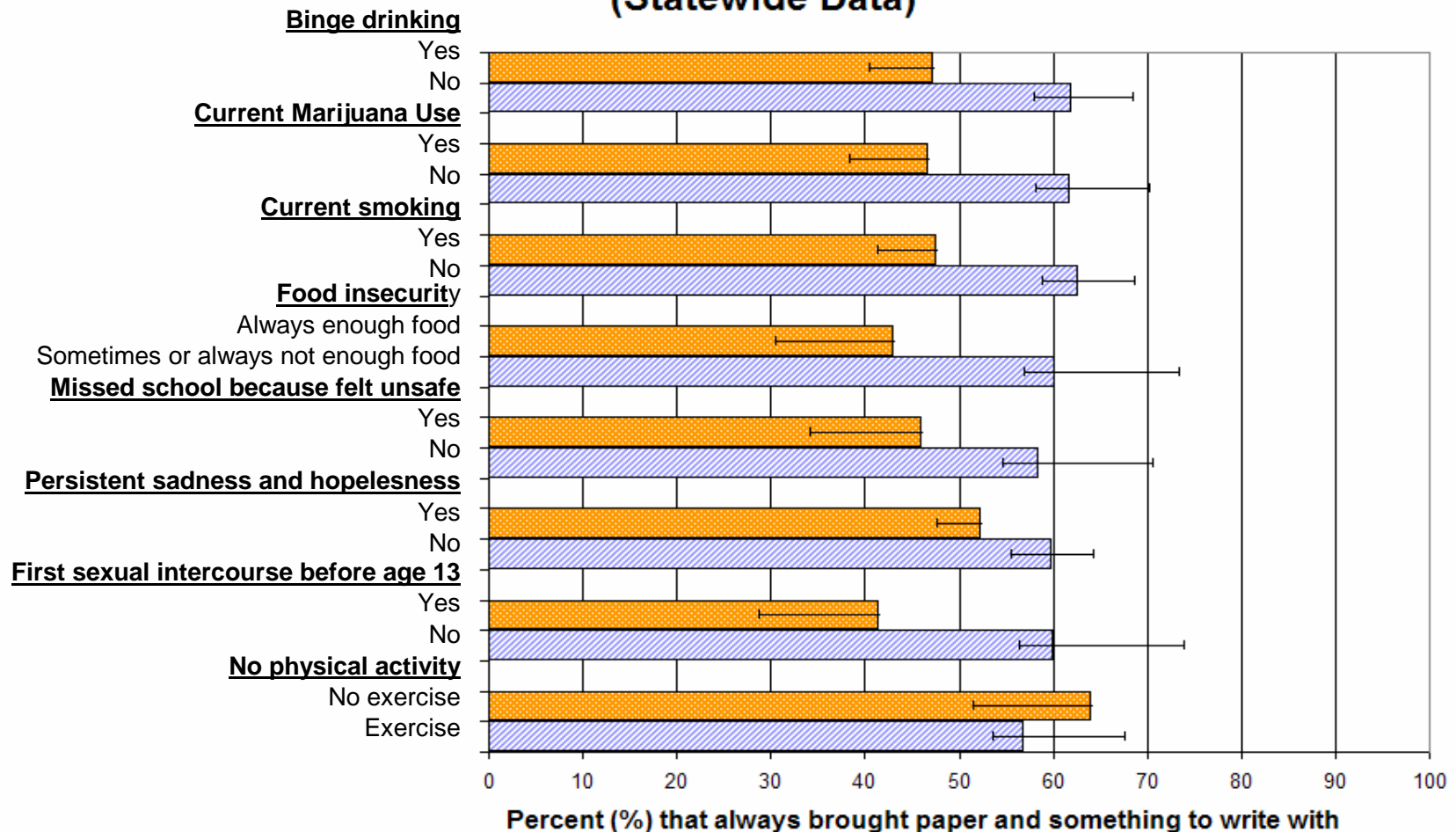
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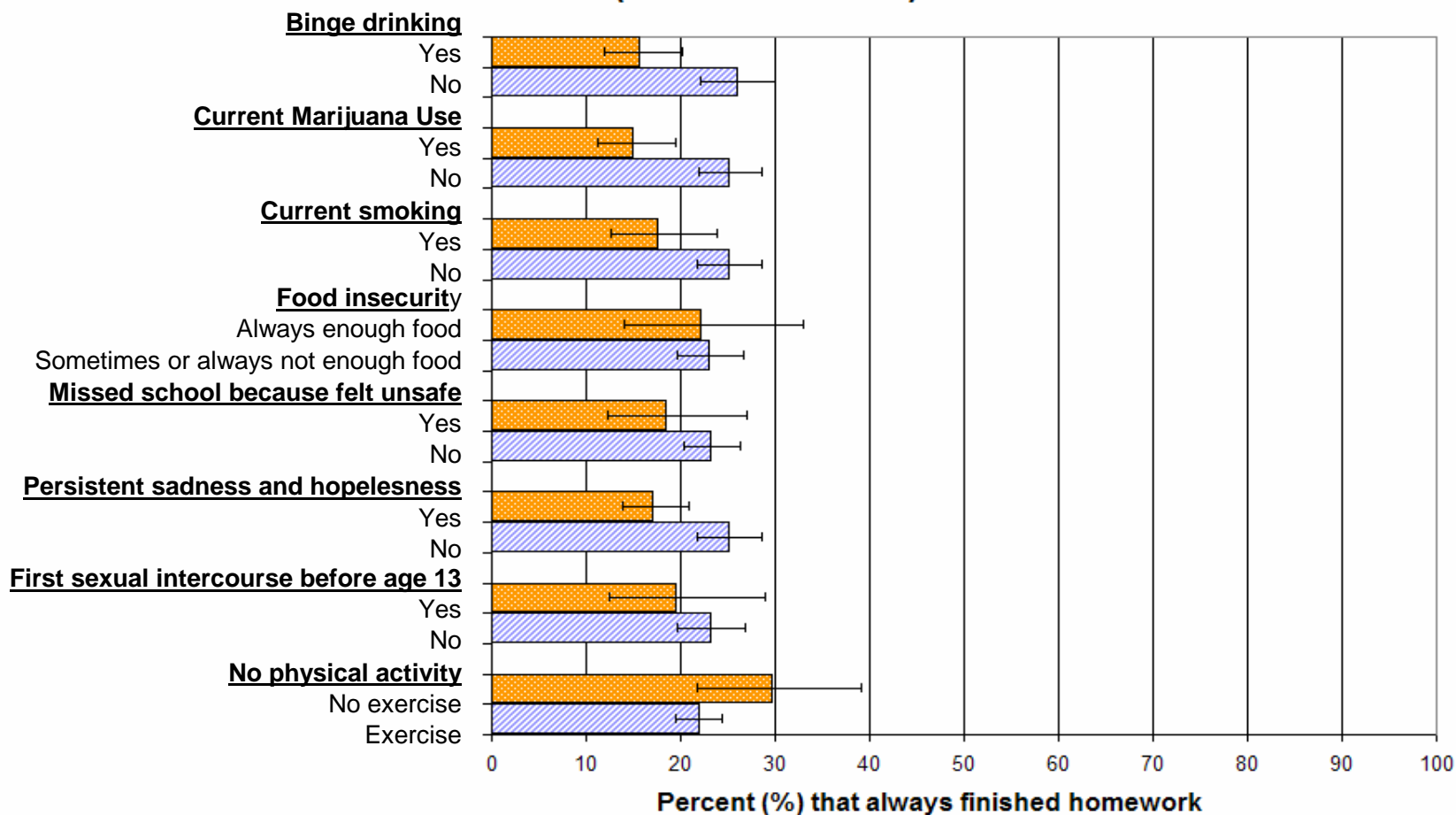
Didn't Skip School by Selected Risk Behaviors, Grades 9 - 12, NM YRRS (Statewide Data)



Always Brought Paper and Something to Write With by Selected Risk Behaviors, Grades 9 - 12, NM YRRS (Statewide Data)



Always Finished Homework by Selected Risk Behaviors, Grades 9 - 12, NM YRRS (Statewide Data)



Appendices

2005 Youth Risk & Resiliency Survey Results

Colfax County

	<u>Number</u>	<u>(%)</u>
1. How old are you?		
A. 12 years old or younger	4	(1.0%)
B. 13 years old	3	(0.7%)
C. 14 years old	100	(24.2%)
D. 15 years old	104	(25.2%)
E. 16 years old	80	(19.4%)
F. 17 years old	92	(22.3%)
G. 18 years old or older	30	(7.3%)
2. What is your sex?		
A. Female	205	(50.2%)
B. Male	203	(49.8%)
3. In what grade are you?		
A. 9th grade	154	(37.3%)
B. 10th grade	97	(23.5%)
C. 11th grade	69	(16.7%)
D. 12th grade	90	(21.8%)
E. Ungraded or other grade	3	(0.7%)
4. How do you describe yourself?		
A. Hispanic	221	(53.8%)
B. White	153	(37.2%)
C. American Indian	14	(3.4%)
D. Black or African American	12	(2.9%)
E. Asian or Pacific Islander	11	(2.7%)
5. During the past 12 months, how would you describe your grades in school?	<u>Percent</u>	<u>[95% CI]</u>
A. Mostly A's	32.1	[26.7 - 37.9]
B. Mostly B's	34.5	[30.1 - 39.2]
C. Mostly C's	18.0	[14.7 - 21.8]
D. Mostly D's	4.1	[2.3 - 7.3]
E. Mostly F's	2.5	[0.9 - 6.5]
F. None of these grades	0.8	[0.3 - 2.4]
G. Not sure	8.1	[5.6 - 11.6]
6. How tall are you without your shoes on?		
Mean height in meters	1.7	
Mean height in feet and inches	5' 6"	
7. How much do you weigh without your shoes on?		
Mean weight in kilograms	62.2	
Mean weight in pounds	137	

The next 3 questions ask about personal safety.

	Percent	[95% CI]
8. How often do you wear a seat belt when riding in a car driven by someone else?		
A. Never	4.0	[2.5 - 6.3]
B. Rarely	8.2	[5.9 - 11.4]
C. Sometimes	16.9	[13.6 - 20.7]
D. Most of the time	33.7	[29.3 - 38.4]
E. Always	37.2	[31.9 - 42.9]
9. During the past 30 days, how many times did you ride in a car or other vehicle driven by someone who had been drinking alcohol ?		
A. 0 times	67.0	[62.3 - 71.3]
B. 1 time	13.3	[10.9 - 16.2]
C. 2 or 3 times	12.3	[9.5 - 15.8]
D. 4 or 5 times	4.0	[2.5 - 6.3]
E. 6 or more times	3.4	[1.9 - 5.9]
10. During the past 30 days, how many times did you drive a car or other vehicle when you had been drinking alcohol ?		
A. 0 times	81.7	[75.4 - 86.7]
B. 1 time	10.1	[7.1 - 14.1]
C. 2 or 3 times	4.6	[2.3 - 8.9]
D. 4 or 5 times	2.1	[1.1 - 3.9]
E. 6 or more times	1.5	[0.6 - 3.2]

The next 10 questions ask about violence-related behaviors.

11. Is there a gun in your home?		
A. Yes	53.1	[46.8 - 59.2]
B. No	39.5	[33.8 - 45.4]
C. Not sure	7.5	[5.2 - 10.6]
12. During the past 30 days, on how many days did you carry a weapon such as a gun, knife, or club?		
A. 0 days	72.3	[68.1 - 76.2]
B. 1 day	7.4	[5.2 - 10.4]
C. 2 or 3 days	6.2	[4.3 - 8.8]
D. 4 or 5 days	2.5	[1.3 - 4.9]
E. 6 or more days	11.6	[9.1 - 14.6]
13. During the past 30 days, on how many days did you carry a gun ?		
A. 0 days	93.4	[90.6 - 95.3]
B. 1 day	2.5	[1.4 - 4.5]
C. 2 or 3 days	2.3	[1.2 - 4.2]
D. 4 or 5 days	0.2	[0.0 - 1.6]
E. 6 or more days	1.7	[0.8 - 3.3]
14. During the past 30 days, on how many days did you carry a weapon such as a gun, knife, or club on school property ?		
A. 0 days	89.8	[86.5 - 92.4]
B. 1 day	3.8	[2.1 - 6.6]
C. 2 or 3 days	2.5	[1.4 - 4.4]
D. 4 or 5 days	1.1	[0.4 - 2.6]
E. 6 or more days	2.9	[1.6 - 5.0]

	Percent	[95% CI]
15. During the past 30 days, on how many days did you not go to school because you felt you would be unsafe at school or on your way to or from school?		
A. 0 days	94.3	[91.1 - 96.4]
B. 1 day	2.2	[1.0 - 4.6]
C. 2 or 3 days	1.1	[0.5 - 2.6]
D. 4 or 5 days	1.5	[0.7 - 3.2]
E. 6 or more days	0.9	[0.4 - 2.0]
16. During the past 12 months, how many times has someone threatened or injured you with a weapon such as a gun, knife, or club on school property ?		
A. 0 times	90.9	[88.5 - 92.9]
B. 1 time	3.6	[2.3 - 5.5]
C. 2 or 3 times	1.6	[0.7 - 3.7]
D. 4 or 5 times	1.0	[0.4 - 2.7]
E. 6 or 7 times	1.4	[0.6 - 3.5]
F. 8 or 9 times	0.3	[0.0 - 2.1]
G. 10 or 11 times	0.0	
H. 12 or more times	1.2	[0.5 - 2.7]
17. During the past 12 months, how many times were you in a physical fight?		
A. 0 times	60.8	[56.6 - 64.9]
B. 1 time	21.8	[18.3 - 25.9]
C. 2 or 3 times	7.3	[4.7 - 11.0]
D. 4 or 5 times	2.8	[1.5 - 5.0]
E. 6 or 7 times	1.7	[0.7 - 4.4]
F. 8 or 9 times	1.3	[0.6 - 2.9]
G. 10 or 11 times	1.4	[0.7 - 2.8]
H. 12 or more times	2.9	[1.6 - 5.0]
18. During the past 12 months, how many times were you in a physical fight on school property ?		
A. 0 times	82.0	[76.8 - 86.3]
B. 1 time	13.6	[9.8 - 18.4]
C. 2 or 3 times	2.7	[1.5 - 4.9]
D. 4 or 5 times	0.8	[0.3 - 2.3]
E. 6 or 7 times	0.2	[0.0 - 1.6]
F. 8 or 9 times	0.0	
G. 10 or 11 times	0.2	[0.0 - 1.6]
H. 12 or more times	0.5	[0.1 - 1.9]
19. During the past 12 months, did your boyfriend or girlfriend ever hit, slap, or physically hurt you on purpose?		
A. Yes	12.8	[10.6 - 15.4]
B. No	87.2	[84.6 - 89.4]
20. Have you ever been physically forced to have sexual intercourse when you did not want to?		
A. Yes	9.4	[6.8 - 12.9]
B. No	90.6	[87.1 - 93.2]

The next 5 questions ask about sad feelings and attempted suicide. Sometimes people feel so depressed about the future that they may consider attempting suicide; that is, taking some action to end their own life.

	Percent	[95% CI]
21. During the past 12 months, did you ever feel so sad or hopeless almost every day for two weeks or more in a row that you stopped doing some usual activities?		
A. Yes	32.6	[28.4 - 37.2]
B. No	67.4	[62.8 - 71.6]
22. During the past 12 months, did you ever seriously consider attempting suicide?		
A. Yes	21.6	[17.2 - 26.7]
B. No	78.4	[73.3 - 82.8]
23. During the past 12 months, did you make a plan about how you would attempt suicide?		
A. Yes	17.0	[14.1 - 20.2]
B. No	83.0	[79.8 - 85.9]
24. During the past 12 months, how many times did you actually attempt suicide?		
A. 0 times	88.2	[84.2 - 91.2]
B. 1 time	5.9	[3.8 - 9.0]
C. 2 or 3 times	4.2	[2.7 - 6.5]
D. 4 or 5 times	1.2	[0.5 - 2.9]
E. 6 or more times	0.6	[0.1 - 2.5]
25. If you attempted suicide during the past 12 months, did any attempt result in an injury, poisoning, or overdose that had to be treated by a doctor or nurse?		
A. I did not attempt suicide during the past 12 months	88.4	[84.8 - 91.3]
B. Yes	5.4	[3.4 - 8.7]
C. No	6.1	[4.3 - 8.7]

The next 10 questions ask about tobacco use.

26. Have you ever tried cigarette smoking, even one or two puffs?		
A. Yes	68.8	[64.3 - 72.9]
B. No	31.2	[27.1 - 35.7]
27. How old were you when you smoked a whole cigarette for the first time?		
A. I have never smoked a whole cigarette	45.9	[40.7 - 51.3]
B. 8 years old or younger	7.2	[5.2 - 9.8]
C. 9 or 10 years old	7.1	[4.8 - 10.2]
D. 11 or 12 years old	13.5	[10.2 - 17.6]
E. 13 or 14 years old	16.6	[13.2 - 20.7]
F. 15 or 16 years old	7.2	[5.0 - 10.3]
G. 17 years old or older	2.5	[1.2 - 5.2]
28. During the past 30 days, on how many days did you smoke cigarettes?		
A. 0 days	70.4	[63.9 - 76.1]
B. 1 or 2 days	8.5	[6.3 - 11.4]
C. 3 to 5 days	3.2	[1.7 - 6.0]
D. 6 to 9 days	2.7	[1.5 - 4.8]
E. 10 to 19 days	3.7	[2.0 - 6.9]
F. 20 to 29 days	1.9	[0.9 - 4.1]
G. All 30 days	9.5	[6.9 - 13.0]

	Percent	[95% CI]
29. During the past 30 days, on the days you smoked, how many cigarettes did you smoke per day?		
A. I did not smoke cigarettes during the past 30 days	70.6	[64.0 - 76.3]
B. Less than 1 cigarette per day	6.7	[4.7 - 9.3]
C. 1 cigarette per day	4.6	[2.7 - 8.0]
D. 2 to 5 cigarettes per day	14.3	[10.8 - 18.7]
E. 6 to 10 cigarettes per day	2.3	[1.2 - 4.4]
F. 11 to 20 cigarettes per day	1.1	[0.3 - 3.6]
G. More than 20 cigarettes per day	0.5	[0.1 - 1.7]
30. During the past 30 days, on how many days did you smoke cigarettes on school property?		
A. 0 days	84.8	[80.3 - 88.5]
B. 1 or 2 days	7.0	[4.2 - 11.5]
C. 3 to 5 days	2.0	[0.9 - 4.1]
D. 6 to 9 days	1.6	[0.8 - 3.3]
E. 10 to 19 days	0.9	[0.3 - 2.5]
F. 20 to 29 days	1.1	[0.4 - 2.8]
G. All 30 days	2.6	[1.6 - 4.2]
31. During the past 12 months, did you ever try to quit smoking cigarettes?		
A. I did not smoke during the past 12 months	63.9	[57.8 - 69.5]
B. Yes	19.8	[16.4 - 23.8]
C. No	16.3	[12.5 - 21.0]
32. During the past 30 days, how did you usually get your own cigarettes? (Select only one response.)		
A. I did not smoke cigarettes during the past 30 days	70.1	[63.7 - 75.8]
B. I bought them in a store such as a convenience store, supermarket, discount store, or gas station	4.0	[2.5 - 6.5]
C. I bought them from a vending machine	1.2	[0.5 - 2.7]
D. I gave someone else money to buy them for me	9.6	[6.6 - 13.9]
E. I borrowed (or bummed) them from someone else	10.0	[7.2 - 13.7]
F. A person 18 years old or older gave them to me	2.6	[1.3 - 5.0]
G. I took them from a store or family member	0.3	[0.0 - 2.3]
H. I got them some other way	2.2	[0.8 - 6.0]
33. During the past 30 days, on how many days did you smoke cigars, cigarillos, or little cigars?		
A. 0 days	81.6	[77.8 - 84.9]
B. 1 or 2 days	10.2	[7.5 - 13.6]
C. 3 to 5 days	3.7	[2.1 - 6.5]
D. 6 to 9 days	1.1	[0.5 - 2.7]
E. 10 to 19 days	1.7	[0.8 - 3.6]
F. 20 to 29 days	0.7	[0.2 - 2.1]
G. All 30 days	0.9	[0.4 - 2.3]

34. During the past 30 days, on how many days did you use chewing tobacco, snuff, or dip , such as Redman, Levi Garrett, Beechnut, Skoal, Skoal Bandits, or Copenhagen?	Percent	[95% CI]
A. 0 days	89.9	[86.3 - 92.6]
B. 1 or 2 days	4.7	[3.1 - 7.3]
C. 3 to 5 days	2.2	[1.2 - 3.8]
D. 6 to 9 days	1.5	[0.7 - 3.1]
E. 10 to 19 days	0.4	[0.1 - 1.5]
F. 20 to 29 days	0.6	[0.1 - 2.2]
G. All 30 days	0.7	[0.2 - 2.0]

35. During the past 7 days, on how many days were you in the same room with someone who was smoking cigarettes?		
A. 0 days	34.8	[30.3 - 39.5]
B. 1 or 2 days	23.9	[19.7 - 28.6]
C. 3 or 4 days	11.0	[8.2 - 14.5]
D. 5 or 6 days	6.3	[4.6 - 8.7]
E. 7 days	24.1	[19.9 - 28.7]

The next 8 questions ask about drinking alcohol. This includes drinking beer, wine, wine coolers, and liquor such as rum, gin, vodka, or whiskey. For these questions, drinking alcohol does not include drinking a few sips of wine for religious purposes.

36. How old were you when you had your first drink of alcohol other than a few sips?		
A. I have never had a drink of alcohol other than a few sips	22.0	[16.7 - 28.4]
B. 8 years old or younger	13.5	[10.7 - 16.9]
C. 9 or 10 years old	9.1	[6.4 - 12.7]
D. 11 or 12 years old	19.5	[15.2 - 24.8]
E. 13 or 14 years old	23.7	[19.5 - 28.5]
F. 15 or 16 years old	10.5	[6.9 - 15.8]
G. 17 years old or older	1.7	[0.8 - 3.6]

37. During the past 30 days, on how many days did you have at least one drink of alcohol?		
A. 0 days	46.0	[39.9 - 52.3]
B. 1 or 2 days	25.4	[21.3 - 30.0]
C. 3 to 5 days	12.9	[9.1 - 17.8]
D. 6 to 9 days	8.4	[5.9 - 12.0]
E. 10 to 19 days	5.0	[3.5 - 7.0]
F. 20 to 29 days	1.1	[0.4 - 2.6]
G. All 30 days	1.2	[0.6 - 2.8]

38. During the past 30 days, what brand of beer did you usually drink? (Select only one response)		
A. I did not drink beer during the past 30 days	50.6	[44.7 - 56.5]
B. I do not have a usual brand	5.3	[3.6 - 7.7]
C. Bud Light	17.4	[12.9 - 23.2]
D. Budweiser	10.7	[8.2 - 13.9]
E. Coors Light	0.0	
F. Miller Light	0.5	[0.1 - 2.2]
G. Natural Light	1.8	[0.9 - 3.7]
H. Some other brand	13.7	[10.3 - 17.9]

	Percent	[95% CI]
39. During the past 30 days, what type of alcohol did you usually drink? (Select only one response)		
A. I did not drink alcohol during the past 30 days	43.4	[37.4 - 49.6]
B. I do not have a usual type	7.7	[5.4 - 10.8]
C. Beer	15.0	[10.8 - 20.4]
D. Malt beverages, such as Smirnoff Ice, Bacardi Silver, and Hard Lemonade	8.2	[6.0 - 11.2]
E. Wine coolers, such as Bartles and James or Seagrams	2.0	[1.1 - 3.6]
F. Wine	0.7	[0.2 - 1.9]
G. Liquor, such as vodka, rum, scotch, bourbon, or whiskey	20.8	[17.3 - 24.9]
H. Some other type	2.2	[1.0 - 4.7]
40. During the past 30 days, how did you usually get your alcohol? (Select only one response)		
A. I did not drink alcohol during the past 30 days	44.1	[38.1 - 50.4]
B. I bought it in a store such as a liquor store, convenience store, supermarket, discount store, or gas station	1.6	[0.6 - 3.9]
C. I bought it at a restaurant, bar or club	0.2	[0.0 - 1.6]
D. I bought it at a public event such as a concert or sporting event	0.7	[0.2 - 2.1]
E. I gave someone else money to buy it for me	21.7	[16.8 - 27.6]
F. A person 18 years old or older gave it to me	11.1	[8.4 - 14.6]
G. I took it from a store or family member	4.3	[2.6 - 7.0]
H. I got it some other way	16.2	[11.3 - 22.9]
41. During the past 30 days, where did you usually drink alcohol? (Select only one response)		
A. I did not drink alcohol during the past 30 days	43.6	[37.4 - 50.0]
B. At my home	12.2	[9.5 - 15.4]
C. At another person's home	32.2	[26.5 - 38.5]
D. At a restaurant, bar or club	0.7	[0.2 - 2.1]
E. At a public place such as a park, beach, or parking lot	2.9	[1.4 - 6.1]
F. At a public event such as a concert or sporting event	0.5	[0.1 - 2.1]
G. On school property	0.5	[0.1 - 1.9]
H. Some other location	7.4	[5.2 - 10.5]
42. During the past 30 days, on how many days did you have 5 or more drinks of alcohol in a row, that is, within a couple of hours?		
A. 0 days	63.1	[57.3 - 68.6]
B. 1 day	15.1	[12.3 - 18.4]
C. 2 days	7.6	[5.4 - 10.7]
D. 3 to 5 days	6.9	[4.3 - 10.7]
E. 6 to 9 days	4.5	[2.8 - 7.0]
F. 10 to 19 days	2.4	[1.3 - 4.6]
G. 20 or more days	0.4	[0.1 - 1.6]
43. During the past 30 days, on how many days did you have at least one drink of alcohol on school property?		
A. 0 days	94.0	[91.4 - 95.9]
B. 1 or 2 days	4.3	[2.7 - 6.6]
C. 3 to 5 days	0.6	[0.2 - 1.9]
D. 6 to 9 days	0.7	[0.2 - 1.9]
E. 10 to 19 days	0.0	
F. 20 to 29 days	0.2	[0.0 - 1.5]
G. All 30 days	0.2	[0.0 - 1.5]

The next 3 questions ask about marijuana use. Marijuana also is called grass or pot.		Percent	[95% CI]
44. How old were you when you tried marijuana for the first time?			
A. I have never tried marijuana		40.4	[34.8 - 46.3]
B. 8 years old or younger		6.0	[3.5 - 9.9]
C. 9 or 10 years old		5.7	[4.3 - 7.7]
D. 11 or 12 years old		15.6	[11.9 - 20.2]
E. 13 or 14 years old		19.5	[15.2 - 24.7]
F. 15 or 16 years old		10.4	[6.8 - 15.8]
G. 17 years old or older		2.3	[1.0 - 5.1]
45. During the past 30 days, how many times did you use marijuana?			
A. 0 times		65.0	[58.8 - 70.7]
B. 1 or 2 times		11.4	[8.3 - 15.4]
C. 3 to 9 times		8.3	[5.8 - 11.7]
D. 10 to 19 times		5.4	[3.6 - 8.1]
E. 20 to 39 times		4.0	[2.4 - 6.8]
F. 40 or more times		5.9	[4.1 - 8.4]
46. During the past 30 days, how many times did you use marijuana on school property ?			
A. 0 times		88.2	[84.3 - 91.2]
B. 1 or 2 times		6.2	[3.8 - 10.1]
C. 3 to 9 times		2.8	[1.4 - 5.7]
D. 10 to 19 times		1.4	[0.6 - 3.1]
E. 20 to 39 times		0.7	[0.2 - 2.0]
F. 40 or more times		0.7	[0.2 - 2.2]
The next 9 questions ask about other drugs.			
47. During the past 30 days, how many times did you use any form of cocaine, including powder, crack, or freebase?			
A. 0 times		92.2	[88.5 - 94.8]
B. 1 or 2 times		3.5	[2.0 - 6.2]
C. 3 to 9 times		0.5	[0.1 - 2.0]
D. 10 to 19 times		1.3	[0.6 - 2.8]
E. 20 to 39 times		1.4	[0.7 - 2.9]
F. 40 or more times		1.0	[0.4 - 2.5]
48. During the past 30 days, how many times have you sniffed glue, breathed the contents of aerosol spray cans, or inhaled any paints or sprays to get high?			
A. 0 times		90.9	[87.6 - 93.4]
B. 1 or 2 times		5.0	[3.3 - 7.6]
C. 3 to 9 times		2.4	[1.3 - 4.3]
D. 10 to 19 times		1.0	[0.3 - 3.3]
E. 20 to 39 times		0.5	[0.1 - 2.0]
F. 40 or more times		0.2	[0.0 - 1.5]

	Percent	[95% CI]
49. During the past 30 days , how many times have you used heroin (also called smack, junk, or China White)?		
A. 0 times	96.2	[93.4 - 97.8]
B. 1 or 2 times	1.8	[0.8 - 4.0]
C. 3 to 9 times	0.9	[0.3 - 2.2]
D. 10 to 19 times	0.3	[0.0 - 1.9]
E. 20 to 39 times	0.6	[0.1 - 2.5]
F. 40 or more times	0.2	[0.0 - 1.6]
50. During the past 12 months , how many times have you used heroin (also called smack, junk, or China White)?		
A. 0 times	94.0	[90.0 - 96.4]
B. 1 or 2 times	2.9	[1.5 - 5.5]
C. 3 to 9 times	1.0	[0.4 - 2.5]
D. 10 to 19 times	0.7	[0.2 - 2.2]
E. 20 to 39 times	1.4	[0.7 - 3.0]
F. 40 or more times	0.0	
51. During the past 30 days , how many times have you used methamphetamines (also called speed, crystal, crank, or ice)?		
A. 0 times	94.4	[91.2 - 96.5]
B. 1 or 2 times	2.5	[1.5 - 4.2]
C. 3 to 9 times	1.0	[0.4 - 2.6]
D. 10 to 19 times	0.4	[0.1 - 1.8]
E. 20 to 39 times	1.0	[0.4 - 2.5]
F. 40 or more times	0.6	[0.2 - 2.1]
52. During the past 12 months , how many times have you used methamphetamines (also called speed, crystal, crank, or ice)?		
A. 0 times	92.2	[88.8 - 94.6]
B. 1 or 2 times	3.8	[2.0 - 7.1]
C. 3 to 9 times	1.8	[0.9 - 3.5]
D. 10 to 19 times	0.5	[0.1 - 2.0]
E. 20 to 39 times	1.0	[0.4 - 2.5]
F. 40 or more times	0.7	[0.2 - 2.2]
53. During the past 12 months , how many times have you used ecstasy?		
A. 0 times	92.5	[87.8 - 95.4]
B. 1 or 2 times	4.4	[2.4 - 8.1]
C. 3 to 9 times	1.3	[0.5 - 3.5]
D. 10 to 19 times	0.6	[0.1 - 2.3]
E. 20 to 39 times	0.4	[0.1 - 1.8]
F. 40 or more times	0.8	[0.3 - 2.5]
54. During your life, how many times have you used a needle to inject any illegal drug into your body?		
A. 0 times	96.8	[94.6 - 98.2]
B. 1 time	1.2	[0.5 - 2.8]
C. 2 or more times	2.0	[0.9 - 4.4]
55. During the past 12 months, has anyone offered, sold, or given you an illegal drug on school property ?		
A. Yes	31.2	[26.7 - 36.1]
B. No	68.8	[63.9 - 73.3]

The next 3 questions ask about what people think about kids your age drinking alcohol.

Percent [95% CI]

56. How wrong would **most adults** in your community think it was for kids your age to drink alcohol (beer, wine, or hard liquor) regularly?

A. Very wrong	32.0	[26.0 - 38.7]
B. Wrong	37.7	[32.4 - 43.3]
C. A little bit wrong	26.8	[21.9 - 32.3]
D. Not wrong at all	3.5	[2.0 - 6.0]

57. How wrong do **your parents** feel it would be for you to drink alcohol (beer, wine, or hard liquor) regularly?

A. Very wrong	52.9	[47.2 - 58.4]
B. Wrong	24.2	[20.2 - 28.8]
C. A little bit wrong	18.3	[14.3 - 23.2]
D. Not wrong at all	4.6	[2.8 - 7.4]

58. How wrong do **you** think it is for someone your age to drink alcohol (beer, wine, or hard liquor) regularly?

A. Very wrong	26.9	[21.5 - 33.1]
B. Wrong	24.5	[19.8 - 30.0]
C. A little bit wrong	30.8	[25.9 - 36.2]
D. Not wrong at all	17.8	[14.3 - 21.8]

If you wanted to, how easy would each of the following be to get?

59. Beer, wine, or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey or gin)?

A. Very hard	16.6	[11.5 - 23.5]
B. Sort of hard	12.4	[8.9 - 17.1]
C. Sort of easy	21.3	[18.7 - 24.2]
D. Very easy	49.7	[41.4 - 57.9]

60. Marijuana?

A. Very hard	21.0	[15.3 - 28.1]
B. Sort of hard	10.1	[7.4 - 13.6]
C. Sort of easy	19.5	[16.3 - 23.1]
D. Very easy	49.4	[42.0 - 56.8]

61. Cocaine, LSD, methamphetamines, or other illegal drug?

A. Very hard	46.7	[39.1 - 54.4]
B. Sort of hard	25.0	[19.7 - 31.2]
C. Sort of easy	15.2	[11.3 - 20.2]
D. Very easy	13.1	[10.0 - 16.9]

62. About how many adults have you known personally who, in the past year, have used marijuana, cocaine or other drugs?

A. None	31.6	[25.9 - 38.0]
B. 1 adult	16.4	[13.3 - 20.0]
C. 2 adults	12.5	[9.5 - 16.5]
D. 3 to 4 adults	15.4	[11.7 - 20.0]
E. 5 or more adults	24.0	[19.4 - 29.3]

	Percent	[95% CI]
63. About how many adults have you known personally who, in the past year, have sold or dealt drugs?		
A. None	50.5	[44.4 - 56.6]
B. 1 adult	12.8	[9.7 - 16.5]
C. 2 adults	14.6	[10.9 - 19.3]
D. 3 to 4 adults	11.3	[8.6 - 14.8]
E. 5 or more adults	10.8	[7.3 - 15.6]

The next 6 questions ask about sexual behavior.

64. How old were you when you had sexual intercourse for the first time?		
A. I have never had sexual intercourse	48.3	[40.3 - 56.3]
B. 11 years old or younger	4.8	[2.9 - 8.0]
C. 12 years old	4.8	[3.3 - 6.9]
D. 13 years old	11.7	[8.5 - 16.0]
E. 14 years old	12.6	[9.0 - 17.5]
F. 15 years old	7.7	[5.0 - 11.5]
G. 16 years old	7.3	[5.1 - 10.5]
H. 17 years old or older	2.8	[1.5 - 4.9]
65. During your life, with how many people have you had sexual intercourse?		
A. I have never had sexual intercourse	48.6	[40.4 - 56.8]
B. 1 person	16.5	[13.4 - 20.1]
C. 2 people	12.0	[9.2 - 15.6]
D. 3 people	6.8	[4.3 - 10.5]
E. 4 people	6.2	[4.1 - 9.2]
F. 5 people	2.4	[1.2 - 4.7]
G. 6 or more people	7.6	[4.9 - 11.6]
66. During the past 3 months, with how many people did you have sexual intercourse?		
A. I have never had sexual intercourse	48.1	[40.2 - 56.2]
B. I have had sexual intercourse, but not during the past 3 months	13.5	[10.2 - 17.5]
C. 1 person	26.8	[21.0 - 33.6]
D. 2 people	6.7	[4.5 - 9.9]
E. 3 people	2.7	[1.3 - 5.5]
F. 4 people	0.2	[0.0 - 1.7]
G. 5 people	0.5	[0.1 - 1.7]
H. 6 or more people	1.5	[0.7 - 3.1]
67. Did you drink alcohol or use drugs before you had sexual intercourse the last time ?		
A. I have never had sexual intercourse	48.9	[40.8 - 57.1]
B. Yes	15.9	[11.5 - 21.7]
C. No	35.1	[28.7 - 42.2]
68. The last time you had sexual intercourse, did you or your partner use a condom?		
A. I have never had sexual intercourse	49.7	[41.6 - 57.9]
B. Yes	29.6	[24.3 - 35.4]
C. No	20.7	[15.9 - 26.5]

	Percent	[95% CI]
69. The last time you had sexual intercourse, what one method did you or your partner use to prevent pregnancy ? (Select only one response.)		
A. I have never had sexual intercourse	49.1	[41.1 - 57.0]
B. No method was used to prevent pregnancy	5.4	[3.3 - 8.6]
C. Birth control pills	8.4	[5.5 - 12.6]
D. Condoms	23.4	[18.6 - 28.9]
E. Depo-Provera (injectable birth control)	7.1	[5.1 - 9.8]
F. Withdrawal	3.5	[2.1 - 5.9]
G. Some other method	1.6	[0.8 - 3.1]
H. Not sure	1.6	[0.7 - 3.3]

The following questions ask about your family, your school, other adults, your friends and yourself.

In my home, there is a parent or some other adult ...

70. who is interested in my school work.		
A. Not true at all	7.2	[4.7 - 10.9]
B. A little true	6.0	[4.5 - 7.9]
C. Pretty much true	15.5	[12.4 - 19.1]
D. Very much true	71.3	[67.4 - 74.9]
71. who talks with me about my problems.		
A. Not true at all	10.3	[7.8 - 13.4]
B. A little true	18.3	[15.4 - 21.6]
C. Pretty much true	21.6	[17.4 - 26.4]
D. Very much true	49.9	[45.7 - 54.1]
72. who listens to me when I have something to say.		
A. Not true at all	9.3	[7.0 - 12.1]
B. A little true	17.4	[14.6 - 20.5]
C. Pretty much true	19.8	[16.7 - 23.4]
D. Very much true	53.6	[48.8 - 58.2]
73. who expects me to follow the rules.		
A. Not true at all	6.5	[4.3 - 9.5]
B. A little true	4.8	[2.9 - 8.0]
C. Pretty much true	19.0	[16.4 - 22.0]
D. Very much true	69.7	[65.7 - 73.4]
74. who believes that I will be a success.		
A. Not true at all	6.5	[4.2 - 9.8]
B. A little true	6.7	[4.4 - 10.0]
C. Pretty much true	12.7	[9.7 - 16.4]
D. Very much true	74.2	[69.4 - 78.4]
75. who always wants me to do my best		
A. Not true at all	6.1	[3.7 - 9.7]
B. A little true	5.5	[3.6 - 8.4]
C. Pretty much true	11.8	[9.6 - 14.4]
D. Very much true	76.6	[72.1 - 80.6]

At my school, there is a teacher or some other adult...

	Percent	[95% CI]
76. who really cares about me.		
A. Not true at all	13.8	[11.0 - 17.1]
B. A little true	20.3	[17.1 - 23.9]
C. Pretty much true	25.4	[21.8 - 29.3]
D. Very much true	40.6	[36.1 - 45.2]
77. who notices when I'm not there.		
A. Not true at all	10.4	[7.6 - 14.2]
B. A little true	19.1	[15.9 - 22.7]
C. Pretty much true	26.3	[22.8 - 30.1]
D. Very much true	44.2	[40.1 - 48.5]
78. who listens to me when I have something to say.		
A. Not true at all	11.3	[8.5 - 15.0]
B. A little true	18.5	[14.9 - 22.8]
C. Pretty much true	26.6	[22.5 - 31.2]
D. Very much true	43.6	[38.5 - 48.8]
79. who tells me when I do a good job.		
A. Not true at all	9.4	[6.7 - 13.1]
B. A little true	16.3	[12.8 - 20.6]
C. Pretty much true	26.7	[21.9 - 32.1]
D. Very much true	47.5	[42.2 - 52.9]
80. who always wants me to do my best.		
A. Not true at all	8.3	[5.8 - 11.8]
B. A little true	12.9	[10.4 - 16.0]
C. Pretty much true	25.1	[20.8 - 30.0]
D. Very much true	53.6	[47.7 - 59.4]
81. who believes that I will be a success.		
A. Not true at all	9.8	[7.1 - 13.6]
B. A little true	13.5	[11.0 - 16.6]
C. Pretty much true	25.2	[20.9 - 30.0]
D. Very much true	51.4	[46.7 - 56.2]
Outside of my home and school, there is an adult...		
82. who really cares about me.		
A. Not true at all	8.1	[5.4 - 11.8]
B. A little true	9.8	[6.9 - 13.7]
C. Pretty much true	16.7	[13.5 - 20.3]
D. Very much true	65.4	[60.0 - 70.5]
83. who notices when I am upset about something.		
A. Not true at all	9.7	[7.0 - 13.2]
B. A little true	12.5	[9.0 - 17.1]
C. Pretty much true	19.4	[16.2 - 23.1]
D. Very much true	58.4	[53.9 - 62.7]
84. whom I trust.		
A. Not true at all	8.5	[6.1 - 11.8]
B. A little true	11.6	[7.8 - 17.0]
C. Pretty much true	17.7	[13.7 - 22.4]
D. Very much true	62.2	[57.0 - 67.2]

	Percent	[95% CI]
85. who tells me when I do a good job.		
A. Not true at all	8.8	[6.0 - 12.7]
B. A little true	14.3	[10.5 - 19.1]
C. Pretty much true	19.7	[16.1 - 23.8]
D. Very much true	57.3	[51.5 - 62.8]
86. who always wants me to do my best.		
A. Not true at all	7.5	[4.9 - 11.2]
B. A little true	12.6	[9.4 - 16.9]
C. Pretty much true	19.8	[15.9 - 24.3]
D. Very much true	60.1	[54.8 - 65.3]
87. who believes that I will be a success.		
A. Not true at all	8.2	[5.7 - 11.8]
B. A little true	13.0	[9.7 - 17.1]
C. Pretty much true	16.7	[13.4 - 20.6]
D. Very much true	62.1	[56.4 - 67.5]
I have a friend about my own age...		
88. who really cares about me.		
A. Not true at all	9.1	[6.5 - 12.6]
B. A little true	8.1	[5.6 - 11.4]
C. Pretty much true	19.0	[15.4 - 23.3]
D. Very much true	63.8	[58.5 - 68.8]
89. who talks with me about my problems.		
A. Not true at all	8.1	[5.5 - 11.7]
B. A little true	10.3	[7.4 - 14.1]
C. Pretty much true	20.3	[17.3 - 23.7]
D. Very much true	61.3	[56.6 - 65.7]
90. who helps me when I'm having a hard time.		
A. Not true at all	9.7	[7.1 - 13.2]
B. A little true	8.2	[5.9 - 11.3]
C. Pretty much true	18.3	[14.8 - 22.3]
D. Very much true	63.8	[58.4 - 68.9]
How true do you feel these statements are for you?		
91. When I am not at home, one of my parents/guardians knows where I am and who I am with.		
A. Not true at all	8.0	[5.7 - 11.2]
B. A little true	12.5	[9.3 - 16.7]
C. Pretty much true	25.7	[21.1 - 30.9]
D. Very much true	53.7	[48.3 - 59.1]
92. My family has clear rules about drug and alcohol use.		
A. Not true at all	9.0	[6.4 - 12.5]
B. A little true	11.9	[9.2 - 15.1]
C. Pretty much true	20.6	[16.6 - 25.3]
D. Very much true	58.5	[53.8 - 63.1]
93. My family has clear rules and standards for my behavior.		
A. Not true at all	5.3	[3.4 - 8.4]
B. A little true	12.7	[10.4 - 15.3]
C. Pretty much true	21.8	[17.7 - 26.6]
D. Very much true	60.2	[54.8 - 65.3]

	Percent	[95% CI]
94. In my school, there are clear rules about what students can and cannot do.		
A. Not true at all	8.8	[6.1 - 12.5]
B. A little true	9.6	[6.6 - 13.8]
C. Pretty much true	23.7	[19.7 - 28.4]
D. Very much true	57.9	[53.2 - 62.4]
95. At school, I help decide things like class activities or rules.		
A. Not true at all	22.1	[17.3 - 27.8]
B. A little true	20.8	[17.8 - 24.1]
C. Pretty much true	24.4	[20.7 - 28.5]
D. Very much true	32.8	[27.7 - 38.3]
96. At school, I try hard to do my best work.		
A. Not true at all	5.7	[3.4 - 9.3]
B. A little true	14.8	[11.6 - 18.8]
C. Pretty much true	30.0	[26.0 - 34.2]
D. Very much true	49.5	[43.8 - 55.2]
97. I plan to go to college or some other school after high school.		
A. Not true at all	5.6	[3.5 - 8.6]
B. A little true	5.9	[4.3 - 8.0]
C. Pretty much true	16.4	[12.6 - 20.9]
D. Very much true	72.2	[67.8 - 76.2]
98. At school I am involved in sports, clubs, or other extra-curricular activities (such as band, cheerleading, student council, etc.).		
A. Not true at all	26.5	[21.7 - 31.9]
B. A little true	7.1	[4.9 - 10.2]
C. Pretty much true	13.0	[10.0 - 16.8]
D. Very much true	53.4	[48.2 - 58.5]
99. Outside of my home and school, I am a part of clubs, sports teams, church/ temple, or other group activities.		
A. Not true at all	31.5	[27.1 - 36.3]
B. A little true	10.8	[8.1 - 14.3]
C. Pretty much true	14.9	[12.0 - 18.3]
D. Very much true	42.8	[36.7 - 49.1]
100. Outside of my home and school, I am involved in music, art, literature, sports or a hobby.		
A. Not true at all	21.9	[17.0 - 27.6]
B. A little true	13.0	[10.4 - 16.0]
C. Pretty much true	14.7	[11.7 - 18.4]
D. Very much true	50.4	[44.3 - 56.5]
101. Outside of my home and school, I help other people.		
A. Not true at all	10.4	[7.5 - 14.3]
B. A little true	17.5	[14.2 - 21.4]
C. Pretty much true	30.9	[27.2 - 34.8]
D. Very much true	41.2	[36.2 - 46.4]
102. I try to understand what other people feel and think.		
A. Not true at all	7.3	[4.8 - 10.8]
B. A little true	13.6	[10.7 - 17.0]
C. Pretty much true	30.2	[25.4 - 35.4]
D. Very much true	49.0	[43.8 - 54.2]

	Percent	[95% CI]
103. It is important to think before you act.		
A. Not true at all	6.0	[3.7 - 9.6]
B. A little true	8.5	[5.9 - 12.2]
C. Pretty much true	20.3	[16.5 - 24.7]
D. Very much true	65.2	[59.4 - 70.5]
104. I have to have everything right away.		
A. Not true at all	25.2	[21.2 - 29.6]
B. A little true	34.4	[29.9 - 39.1]
C. Pretty much true	19.9	[16.9 - 23.2]
D. Very much true	20.6	[16.7 - 25.1]
105. I often do things without thinking about what will happen.		
A. Not true at all	19.1	[15.9 - 22.8]
B. A little true	30.8	[25.5 - 36.6]
C. Pretty much true	19.6	[16.0 - 23.8]
D. Very much true	30.5	[25.4 - 36.1]
106. It's hard for me to stick with one thing even when it's fun.		
A. Not true at all	33.9	[28.3 - 40.0]
B. A little true	24.2	[20.4 - 28.5]
C. Pretty much true	19.1	[15.2 - 23.8]
D. Very much true	22.8	[18.5 - 27.7]
107. My friends get into a lot of trouble.		
A. Not true at all	36.6	[31.8 - 41.6]
B. A little true	30.4	[25.4 - 35.8]
C. Pretty much true	15.5	[11.8 - 20.1]
D. Very much true	17.5	[14.0 - 21.7]
108. My friends do well in school.		
A. Not true at all	8.3	[5.9 - 11.6]
B. A little true	20.4	[16.5 - 25.0]
C. Pretty much true	33.0	[27.6 - 38.9]
D. Very much true	38.3	[34.1 - 42.6]
Among the people you consider to be your closest friends, how many would you say do the following?		
109. Drink alcohol once a week or more?		
A. None	33.2	[26.7 - 40.3]
B. A few	33.1	[28.0 - 38.7]
C. Some	14.7	[11.1 - 19.2]
D. Most	15.6	[12.0 - 20.0]
E. All	3.5	[2.1 - 5.6]
110. Have used drugs such as marijuana or cocaine?		
A. None	34.4	[27.5 - 42.1]
B. A few	28.7	[21.6 - 36.9]
C. Some	14.1	[10.5 - 18.6]
D. Most	18.3	[13.9 - 23.8]
E. All	4.5	[2.9 - 7.0]

The next 7 questions ask about how many times you have done the following things.	Percent	[95% CI]
111. How many times have you done something dangerous because someone dared you to do it?		
A. I've never done this	42.8	[36.9 - 48.9]
B. I've done it but not in the past year	23.4	[19.2 - 28.1]
C. Less than once a month	15.7	[11.6 - 20.9]
D. About once a month	7.6	[5.3 - 10.7]
E. 2 to 3 times a month	4.9	[3.0 - 7.9]
F. Once a week or more	5.6	[3.5 - 8.9]
112. How many times have you done crazy exciting things even if they are a little dangerous?		
A. I've never done this	24.9	[18.3 - 32.9]
B. I've done it but not in the past year	23.6	[19.3 - 28.5]
C. Less than once a month	20.0	[16.0 - 24.9]
D. About once a month	11.8	[9.2 - 15.0]
E. 2 to 3 times a month	10.1	[7.2 - 14.0]
F. Once a week or more	9.6	[6.4 - 14.1]
113. How often do you attend religious or spiritual services?		
A. Every day	10.5	[6.8 - 15.9]
B. 1 to 6 times a week	23.0	[18.5 - 28.1]
C. 1 to 3 times a month	17.8	[13.7 - 22.9]
D. 3 to 11 times a year	12.9	[9.1 - 18.0]
E. Only once or twice a year	13.7	[11.2 - 16.5]
F. Never	22.1	[17.5 - 27.5]
114. During the school year, how many hours a week do you work at a job?		
A. I don't work	54.7	[48.6 - 60.7]
B. 1 to 4 hours per week	13.7	[11.0 - 16.9]
C. 5 to 9 hours per week	12.0	[8.6 - 16.7]
D. 10 to 20 hours per week	11.6	[8.8 - 15.0]
E. Over 20 hours per week	8.0	[4.5 - 13.7]
115. During the last four weeks, how many days of school have you missed because you skipped or ditched?		
A. None	69.1	[64.7 - 73.2]
B. 1 day	12.3	[9.2 - 16.4]
C. 2 days	8.0	[6.0 - 10.7]
D. 3 days	4.4	[2.6 - 7.3]
E. 4 to 5 days	2.3	[1.1 - 4.9]
F. 6 to 10 days	1.9	[0.9 - 4.2]
G. 11 or more days	1.9	[0.8 - 4.5]
116. How often do you come to classes without bringing paper or something to write with?		
A. Never	52.8	[47.5 - 58.1]
B. Sometimes	35.6	[30.4 - 41.2]
C. Usually	11.6	[8.4 - 15.7]
117. How often do you come to classes without your homework finished?		
A. Never	23.1	[18.5 - 28.6]
B. Sometimes	63.7	[58.0 - 69.1]
C. Usually	13.2	[10.6 - 16.2]

The next 3 questions ask about body weight.

Percent [95% CI]

118. During the past 30 days, did you **exercise** to lose weight or to keep from gaining weight?

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| A. Yes | 64.1 | [57.6 - 70.1] |
| B. No | 35.9 | [29.9 - 42.4] |

119. During the past 30 days, did you **eat less food, fewer calories, or foods low in fat** to lose weight or to keep from gaining weight?

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| A. Yes | 40.2 | [35.8 - 44.8] |
| B. No | 59.8 | [55.2 - 64.2] |

120. During the past 30 days, did you **vomit or take laxatives** to lose weight or to keep from gaining weight?

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| A. Yes | 7.7 | [4.5 - 12.8] |
| B. No | 92.3 | [87.2 - 95.5] |

The next 7 questions ask about food you ate or drank during the past 7 days. Think about all the meals and snacks you had from the time you got up until you went to bed. Be sure to include food you ate at home, at school, at restaurants, or anywhere else

121. During the past 7 days, how many times did you drink **100% fruit juices** such as orange juice, apple juice, or grape juice? (Do **not** count punch, Kool-Aid, sports drinks, or other fruit-flavored drinks.)

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| A. I did not drink 100% fruit juice during the past 7 days | 24.3 | [20.4 - 28.7] |
| B. 1 to 3 times during the past 7 days | 41.0 | [37.1 - 45.0] |
| C. 4 to 6 times during the past 7 days | 14.6 | [12.4 - 17.1] |
| D. 1 time per day | 7.2 | [5.1 - 10.1] |
| E. 2 times per day | 5.6 | [3.9 - 7.9] |
| F. 3 times per day | 2.3 | [1.2 - 4.5] |
| G. 4 or more times per day | 4.9 | [3.3 - 7.4] |

122. During the past 7 days, how many times did you eat **fruit**? (Do **not** count fruit juice.)

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| A. I did not eat fruit during the past 7 days | 20.4 | [16.6 - 24.9] |
| B. 1 to 3 times during the past 7 days | 37.6 | [33.5 - 41.8] |
| C. 4 to 6 times during the past 7 days | 17.4 | [14.3 - 20.9] |
| D. 1 time per day | 11.3 | [8.5 - 14.9] |
| E. 2 times per day | 7.6 | [5.5 - 10.5] |
| F. 3 times per day | 1.5 | [0.7 - 3.0] |
| G. 4 or more times per day | 4.2 | [2.8 - 6.2] |

123. During the past 7 days, how many times did you eat **green salad**?

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| A. I did not eat green salad during the past 7 days | 29.6 | [24.5 - 35.1] |
| B. 1 to 3 times during the past 7 days | 38.4 | [33.2 - 43.8] |
| C. 4 to 6 times during the past 7 days | 15.8 | [12.5 - 19.7] |
| D. 1 time per day | 11.3 | [7.8 - 16.1] |
| E. 2 times per day | 2.1 | [1.1 - 4.2] |
| F. 3 times per day | 0.5 | [0.1 - 1.8] |
| G. 4 or more times per day | 2.5 | [1.4 - 4.3] |

124. During the past 7 days, how many times did you eat **potatoes**? (Do **not** count french fries, fried potatoes, or potato chips.)

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| A. I did not eat potatoes during the past 7 days | 25.3 | [21.2 - 29.8] |
| B. 1 to 3 times during the past 7 days | 43.9 | [39.1 - 48.8] |
| C. 4 to 6 times during the past 7 days | 17.9 | [14.3 - 22.2] |
| D. 1 time per day | 6.4 | [4.2 - 9.6] |
| E. 2 times per day | 2.6 | [1.6 - 4.2] |
| F. 3 times per day | 1.2 | [0.5 - 2.9] |
| G. 4 or more times per day | 2.6 | [1.3 - 5.0] |

	Percent	[95% CI]
125. During the past 7 days, how many times did you eat carrots ?		
A. I did not eat carrots during the past 7 days	47.9	[43.6 - 52.2]
B. 1 to 3 times during the past 7 days	35.0	[30.0 - 40.2]
C. 4 to 6 times during the past 7 days	7.2	[4.8 - 10.6]
D. 1 time per day	5.3	[3.3 - 8.5]
E. 2 times per day	3.0	[1.6 - 5.7]
F. 3 times per day	0.0	
G. 4 or more times per day	1.6	[0.6 - 3.8]

126. During the past 7 days, how many times did you eat other vegetables ? (Do not count green salad, potatoes, or carrots.)		
A. I did not eat other vegetables during the past 7 days	19.2	[15.9 - 23.1]
B. 1 to 3 times during the past 7 days	40.2	[35.2 - 45.4]
C. 4 to 6 times during the past 7 days	22.4	[17.8 - 27.6]
D. 1 time per day	11.2	[8.7 - 14.3]
E. 2 times per day	3.6	[1.9 - 6.6]
F. 3 times per day	1.3	[0.5 - 2.9]
G. 4 or more times per day	2.2	[1.2 - 3.9]

127. During the past 7 days, how many glasses of milk did you drink? (Include the milk you drank in a glass or cup, from a carton, or with cereal. Count the half pint of milk served at school as equal to one glass.)		
A. I did not drink milk during the past 7 days	18.8	[15.7 - 22.3]
B. 1 to 3 glasses during the past 7 days	30.3	[25.3 - 35.8]
C. 4 to 6 glasses during the past 7 days	17.5	[13.8 - 22.0]
D. 1 glass per day	13.2	[10.7 - 16.2]
E. 2 glasses per day	7.7	[5.2 - 11.2]
F. 3 glasses per day	8.8	[6.7 - 11.6]
G. 4 or more glasses per day	3.7	[2.1 - 6.3]

The next 7 questions ask about physical activity, personal care and health habits.

128. On how many of the past 7 days did you exercise or participate in physical activity for at least 20 minutes that made you sweat and breathe hard , such as basketball, soccer, running, swimming laps, fast bicycling, fast dancing, or similar aerobic act		
A. 0 days	21.2	[16.1 - 27.4]
B. 1 day	11.4	[8.1 - 15.7]
C. 2 days	11.9	[9.8 - 14.2]
D. 3 days	11.5	[8.4 - 15.4]
E. 4 days	6.8	[4.8 - 9.5]
F. 5 days	11.3	[8.8 - 14.5]
G. 6 days	7.9	[5.5 - 11.2]
H. 7 days	18.0	[13.6 - 23.5]

129. On how many of the past 7 days did you participate in physical activity for at least 30 minutes that did not make you sweat or breathe hard, such as fast walking, slow bicycling, skating, pushing a lawn mower, or mopping floors?		
A. 0 days	29.0	[24.9 - 33.5]
B. 1 day	14.1	[11.4 - 17.4]
C. 2 days	15.7	[11.8 - 20.5]
D. 3 days	11.2	[8.0 - 15.6]
E. 4 days	6.6	[4.5 - 9.5]
F. 5 days	4.6	[2.9 - 7.3]
G. 6 days	4.6	[2.7 - 7.7]
H. 7 days	14.2	[11.4 - 17.6]

	Percent	[95% CI]
130. On an average school day, how many hours do you watch TV?		
A. I do not watch TV on an average school day	14.8	[11.9 - 18.2]
B. Less than 1 hour per day	19.0	[15.0 - 23.8]
C. 1 hour per day	21.5	[16.7 - 27.2]
D. 2 hours per day	19.5	[16.1 - 23.5]
E. 3 hours per day	12.2	[8.7 - 16.8]
F. 4 hours per day	8.5	[6.1 - 11.7]
G. 5 or more hours per day	4.5	[2.8 - 7.2]
131. In an average week when you are in school, on how many days do you go to physical education (PE) classes?		
A. 0 days	47.5	[39.5 - 55.6]
B. 1 day	8.7	[4.6 - 15.8]
C. 2 days	2.6	[1.4 - 4.6]
D. 3 days	13.2	[8.4 - 20.1]
E. 4 days	8.7	[5.7 - 13.0]
F. 5 days	19.3	[15.1 - 24.4]
132. If your school has a school-based health center, how many times did you use it for services this year?		
A. My school does not have a school-based health center	36.8	[30.7 - 43.4]
B. 0 times	32.3	[26.2 - 39.1]
C. 1 time	12.6	[9.4 - 16.6]
D. 2 times	9.4	[7.0 - 12.4]
E. 3 or more times	8.9	[6.2 - 12.8]
133. Has a doctor or nurse ever told you that you have asthma?		
A. Yes	27.6	[23.2 - 32.5]
B. No	64.5	[59.4 - 69.2]
C. Not sure	7.9	[5.3 - 11.6]
134. During the past 12 months, have you had an episode of asthma or an asthma attack?		
A. I do not have asthma	67.8	[64.1 - 71.2]
B. No, I have asthma, but I have not had an episode of asthma or an asthma attack during the past 12 months	15.2	[12.0 - 19.2]
C. Yes, I have had an episode of asthma or an asthma attack during the past 12 months	10.4	[8.1 - 13.3]
D. Not sure	6.6	[4.6 - 9.3]
These last 3 questions ask for some information about you and your family.		
135. How often do you speak a language other than English at home?		
A. Never	56.8	[51.9 - 61.6]
B. Less than half the time	28.9	[24.6 - 33.6]
C. About half the time	6.6	[4.5 - 9.5]
D. More than half the time but not all of the time	4.0	[2.5 - 6.5]
E. All of the time	3.7	[2.3 - 5.8]
136. Were you born in the USA?		
A. Yes	88.6	[83.1 - 92.5]
B. No	11.4	[7.5 - 16.9]
137. During the past 12 months, which of the following statements best describes the food eaten by you and your family?		
A. Enough food to eat	86.7	[81.9 - 90.3]
B. Sometimes not enough food to eat	10.0	[7.2 - 13.8]
C. Often not enough food to eat	3.3	[1.8 - 6.0]

Appendix B: Definitions of Risk Behaviors

Vehicle Safety

Rarely or Never Wears Seatbelt

Answered 'Rarely' or 'Never' to the question, *How often do you wear a seat belt when riding in a car driven by someone else?*

Rode with drinking driver in past 30 days

Answered *one or more times* to the question, *During the past 30 days, how many times did you ride in a car or other vehicle driven by someone who had been drinking alcohol?*

Drink and drive in past 30 days

Answered *one or more times* to the question, *During the past 30 days, how many times did you drive a car or other vehicle when you had been drinking alcohol?*

Violence-Related Behaviors

Carried weapon

Answered *one or more days* to the question, *During the past 30 days, on how many days did you carry a weapon such as a gun, knife, or club?*

Carried a gun

Answered *one or more days* to the question, *During the past 30 days, on how many days did you carry a gun?*

Carried a weapon at school

Answered *one or more days* to the question, *During the past 30 days, on how many days did you carry a weapon such as a gun, knife, or club on school property?*

In a physical fight

Answered *one or more times* to the question, *During the past 12 months, how many times were you in a physical fight?*

In a physical fight at school

Answered *one or more times* to the question, *During the past 12 months, how many times were you in a physical fight on school property?*

Violence-Related Behaviors: Victimization

Skipped school because felt unsafe

Answered *one or more days* to the question, *During the past 30 days, on how many days did you not go to school because you felt you would be unsafe at school or on your way to or from school?*

Threatened or injured with a weapon at school

Answered *one or more times* to the question, *During the past 12 months, how many times has someone threatened or injured you with a weapon such as a gun, knife, or club on school property?*

Physically hurt by boy/girlfriend

Answered 'Yes' to the question, *During the past 12 months, did your boyfriend or girlfriend ever hit, slap, or physically hurt you on purpose?*

Ever physically forced to have sexual intercourse

Answered 'Yes' to the question, *Have you ever been physically forced to have sexual intercourse when you did not want to?*

Depression and Suicidal Ideation

Persistent feelings of sadness or hopelessness

Answered 'Yes' to the question, *During the past 12 months, did you ever feel so sad or hopeless almost every day for two weeks or more in a row that you stopped doing some usual activities?*

Seriously considered suicide

Answered 'Yes' to the question, *During the past 12 months, did you ever seriously consider attempting suicide?*

Made a suicide plan

Answered 'Yes' to the question, *During the past 12 months, did you make a plan about how you would attempt suicide?*

Attempted suicide

Answered *one or more time* to the question, *During the past 12 months, how many times did you actually attempt suicide?*

Injured as result of suicide attempt

Answered 'Yes' to the question, *If you attempted suicide during the past 12 months, did any attempt result in an injury, poisoning, or overdose that had to be treated by a doctor or nurse?*

Cigarette Smoking

Ever tried cigarettes, even a puff

Answered 'Yes' to the question, *Have you ever tried cigarette smoking, even one or two puffs?*

First smoked a cigarette before age 13

Answered *12 years old or younger* to the question, *How old were you when you smoked a whole cigarette for the first time?*

Current Smoker (Smoked at least one cigarette in past 30 days)

Answered *one or more days* to the question, *During the past 30 days, on how many days did you smoke cigarettes?*

Frequent Smoker (Smoked cigarettes on 20 of past 30 days)

Answered *20 or more days* to the question, *During the past 30 days, on how many days did you smoke cigarettes?*

Smoked at school

Answered *one or more days* to the question, *During the past 30 days, on how many days did you smoke cigarettes on school property?*

Bought cigarettes in a store

Answered *'I bought them in a store such as a convenience store, supermarket, discount store, or gas station'* to the question, *During the past 30 days, how did you usually get your own cigarettes? (Select only one response.)*

Other Tobacco Use

Smoked cigars, cigarillos, or little cigars

Answered *one or more days* to the question, *During the past 30 days, on how many days did you smoke cigars, cigarillos, or little cigars?*

Used smokeless tobacco

Answered *'one or more days'* to the question, *During the past 30 days, on how many days did you use chewing tobacco, snuff, or dip, such as Redman, Levi Garrett, Beechnut, Skoal, Skoal Bandits, or Copenhagen?*

Used any form of tobacco

Respondent reported any form of tobacco use in the previous 30 days (i.e., smoking cigarettes, cigars, cigarillos, or little cigars, or using smokeless tobacco).

In room with someone who was smoking in past week

Answered *one or more days* to the question, *During the past 7 days, on how many days were you in the same room with someone who was smoking cigarettes?*

Alcohol Use

Ever had a drink of alcohol in lifetime

Gave any response other than *'I have never had a drink of alcohol other than a few sips'* to the question, *How old were you when you had your first drink of alcohol other than a few sips?*

Current drinking (Had drink of alcohol in past 30 days)

Answered *one or more days* to the question, *During the past 30 days, on how many days did you have at least one drink of alcohol?*

Binge drinking

Answered *one or more days* to the question, *During the past 30 days, on how many days did you have 5 or more drinks of alcohol in a row, that is, within a couple of hours?*

Drinking at school

Answered *one or more days* to the question, *During the past 30 days, on how many days did you have at least one drink of alcohol on school property?*

First drink of alcohol before age 13

Answered *12 years old or younger* to the question, *How old were you when you had your first drink of alcohol other than a few sips?*

Marijuana Use

Current marijuana use (Used marijuana in past 30 days)

Answered *one or more days* to the question, *During the past 30 days, how many times did you use marijuana?*

Used marijuana at school in past 30 days

Answered *one or more days* to the question, *During the past 30 days, how many times did you use marijuana on school property?*

First used marijuana before age 13

Answered *12 years old or younger* to the question, *How old were you when you tried marijuana for the first time?*

Other Drug Use

Current cocaine use (Used cocaine in past 30 days)

Answered *one or more times* to the question, *During the past 30 days, how many times did you use any form of cocaine, including powder, crack, or freebase?*

Current inhalant use (Used inhalants in past 30 days)

Answered *one or more times* to the question, *During the past 30 days, how many times have you sniffed glue, breathed the contents of aerosol spray cans, or inhaled any paints or sprays to get high?*

Used heroin in past 12 months

Answered *one or more times* to the question, *During the past 12 months, how many times have you used heroin (also called smack, junk, or China White)?*

Used methamphetamines in past 12 months

Answered *one or more times* to the question, *During the past 12 months, how many times have you used methamphetamines (also called speed, crystal, crank, or ice)?*

Used ecstasy in past 12 months

Answered *one or more times* to the question, *During the past 12 months, how many times have you used ecstasy?*

Lifetime injection drug use

Answered *one or more times* to the question, *During your life, how many times have you used a needle to inject any illegal drug into your body?*

Offered illegal drugs at school in past 12 months

Answered *'Yes'* to the question, *During the past 12 months, has anyone offered, sold, or given you an illegal drug on school property?*

Sexual Activity

Ever had sexual intercourse

Gave any response other than *'I have never had sexual intercourse'* to the question, *How old were you when you had sexual intercourse for the first time?*

Currently Sexually Active

Respondent reported having sexual intercourse within the previous 3 months. Answered *one or more people* to the question, *During the past 3 months, with how many people did you have sexual intercourse?*

First sexual intercourse before age 13

Answered *12 years old or younger* to the question, *How old were you when you had sexual intercourse for the first time?*

Used alcohol or drugs before last sexual intercourse

Answered *'Yes'* to the question, *Did you drink alcohol or use drugs before you had sexual intercourse the last time?*

Had sexual intercourse without using condom

Answered *'No'* to the question, *The last time you had sexual intercourse, did you or your partner use a condom?*

Sexually Responsible

Respondent reported either never having had sexual intercourse, not having sexual intercourse within the previous 3 months, or using a condom the last time she/he had sexual intercourse.

Uses BCP as primary pregnancy prevention

Answered *'Birth control pills'* to the question, *The last time you had sexual intercourse, what one method did you or your partner use to prevent pregnancy? (Select only one response.)*

Body Weight and Weight Control

Overweight and At risk of overweight

Body Mass Index (BMI) was calculated from self-reported height and weight. The categories *'Overweight'* and *'At risk of overweight'* were based on age- and sex-specific BMI values. These values were determined from national, multi-year reference data.

At risk of Overweight: Greater than or equal to the 85th national BMI percentile for age and sex, and less than the 95th percentile.

Overweight: Greater than or equal to the 95th national BMI percentile for age and sex.

Exercised for weight control in last 30 days

Answered *'Yes'* to the question, *During the past 30 days, did you exercise to lose weight or to keep from gaining weight?*

Ate less for weight control in last 30 days

Answered *'Yes'* to the question, *During the past 30 days, did you eat less food, fewer calories, or foods low in fat to lose weight or to keep from gaining weight?*

Vomited or used laxatives for weight control in last 30 days

Answered *'Yes'* to the question, *During the past 30 days, did you vomit or take laxatives to lose weight or to keep from gaining weight?*

Physical Activity and Nutrition

Does not eat five fruit or vegetable servings a day

Reported consuming fewer than five daily servings of fruit juice, fruit, green salad, potatoes, carrots, or other vegetables over the previous five days.

Did not do minimum recommended moderate or vigorous physical activity*

Reported less than 20 minutes of vigorous activity on 3 of the last 7 days and less than 30 minutes of moderate activity on 5 of the last 7 days.

Answered *2 days or less* to the question, *On how many of the past 7 days did you exercise or participate in physical activity for at least 20 minutes that made you sweat and breathe hard, such as basketball, soccer, running, swimming laps, fast bicycling, , fast dancing, or similar aerobic activities?*

AND

Answered *4 days or less* to the question, *On how many of the past 7 days did you participate in physical activity for at least 30 minutes that did not make you sweat or breathe hard, such as fast walking, slow bicycling, skating, pushing a lawn mower, or mopping floors?*

No physical activity

Reported no vigorous activity in the last 7 days and no moderate activity in the last 7 days.

Answered *'0 days'* to the question, *On how many of the past 7 days did you exercise or participate in physical activity for at least 20 minutes that made you sweat and breathe hard, such as basketball, soccer, running, swimming laps, fast bicycling, , fast dancing, or similar aerobic activities?*

AND

Answered *'0 days'* to the question, *On how many of the past 7 days did you participate in physical activity for at least 30 minutes that did not make you sweat or breathe hard, such as fast walking, slow bicycling, skating, pushing a lawn mower, or mopping floors?*

Watches TV 3 or more hours a day on a school day

Answered *3 hours per day or more* to the question, *On an average school day, how many hours do you watch TV?*

Does not have daily PE at school

Answered *less than 5 hours per day* to the question, *In an average week when you are in school, on how many days do you go to physical education (PE) classes?*

Speaks a language other than English at home at least half of time

Answered *'All of the time'* or *'Most of the time'* to the question, *How often do you speak a language other than English at home?*

Food insecurity (Sometimes or often not enough food to eat)

Answered *'Sometimes not enough food to eat'* or *'Often not enough food to eat'* to the question, *During the past 12 months, which of the following statements best describes the food eaten by you and your family?*

Appendix C: Definitions of Protective Behaviors

Each protective factor is briefly described below. The measure is constructed from the responses to the survey questions listed below its description.

Caring and Supportive Relationships

Caring and supportive relationships refer to the interactions between youth and parents, peers, and adults in the school and community that convey love, acceptance, and affirmation. These resiliency factors are constructed from responses to the following survey questions.

Parent or other adult in the family

How true do you feel these statements are for you?

In my home, there is a parent or some other adult...

Who is interested in my school work.

Who talks with me about my problems.

Who listens to me when I have something to say.

Teacher or other adult at school

How true do you feel these statements are for you?

At my school, there is a teacher or some other adult...

Who really cares about me.

Who notices when I'm not there.

Who listens to me when I have something to say.

Adult in the Community

How true do you feel these statements are for you?

Outside of my home and school, there is at least one adult...

Who really cares about me.

Who notices when I am upset about something.

Who I trust.

There is at least one adult in my community I could talk to about something important.

Peers

How true do you feel these statements are for you?

I have a friend about my own age...

Who really cares about me.

Who talks with me about my problems.

Who helps me when I'm having a hard time.

Boundaries

Boundaries and expectations refer to interactions with parents, school, and the community that convey

Family

In my home, there is a parent or some other adult...

How true do you feel these statements are for you?

When I am not at home, one of my parents/guardians knows where I am and who I am with.

My family has clear rules about drug and alcohol use.

My family has clear rules and standards for my behavior.

School

How true do you feel these statements are for you?

At my school, there is a teacher or some other adult...

In my school, there are clear rules about what students can and cannot do.

Other Protective Factors

Positive Peer Influence

Youth standards for acceptable behavior are influenced by their peers and close friends.

How true do you feel these statements are for you?

My friends get into a lot of trouble.

My friends do well in school.

Constructive Use of Time (School Involvement and Out of School Time)

These are measures of constructive and structured activities in the school and in the community that are available to youth, and in which youth choose to participate.

How true do you feel these statements are for you?

School Involvement

At school, I help decide things like class activities or rules.

At school I am involved in sports, clubs, or other extra-curricular activities (such as band, cheerleading, student council, etc.).

Out of School Time

Outside of my home and school, I am a part of clubs, sports teams, church/temple, or other group activities.

Outside of my home and school, I am involved in music, art, literature, sports or a hobby.

Outside of my home and school, I help other people.

Lack of Impulsive and Sensation Seeking Behaviors

This reflects the personal decision-making behaviors or processes a young person employs. It is a measure of thoughtfulness, persistence, empathy, and impulsivity involved in making decisions.

How true do you feel these statements are for you?

- It is important to think before you act.

- I have to have everything right away.

- I often do things without thinking about what will happen.

How many times have you done something dangerous because someone dared you to do it?

How many times have you done crazy exciting things even if they are a little dangerous?

Community Norms Related to Alcohol Use by High School Students

This is a measure of the extent to which a young person perceives negative attitudes in the community towards the use of alcohol by high school aged youth.

How wrong would most adults in your community think it was for kids your age to drink alcohol (beer, wine, or hard liquor) regularly?

How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to drink alcohol (beer, wine, or hard liquor) regularly?

How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to drink alcohol (beer, wine, or hard liquor) regularly?

Appendix D: Academic Performance and Motivation

Academic performance and motivation measures included the following:

Good Grades

Answered "Mostly A's" or "Mostly B's" to the question,
During the past 12 months, how would you describe your grades in school?

Did Best Work at School

Answered "Very much true" to the statement,
At school, I try hard to do my best work

Answered "Very much true" to the statement,
Answered "Very much true" to the question,
I plan to go to college or some other school after high school.

Never Skipped School

Answered "None" to the question,
During the last four weeks, how many days of school have you missed because you skipped or ditched?

Always Brought Paper and Something to Write With

Answered "Never" to the question,
How often do you come to classes without bringing paper or something to write with?

Always Finished Homework

Answered "Never" to the question,
How often do you come to classes without your homework finished?

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