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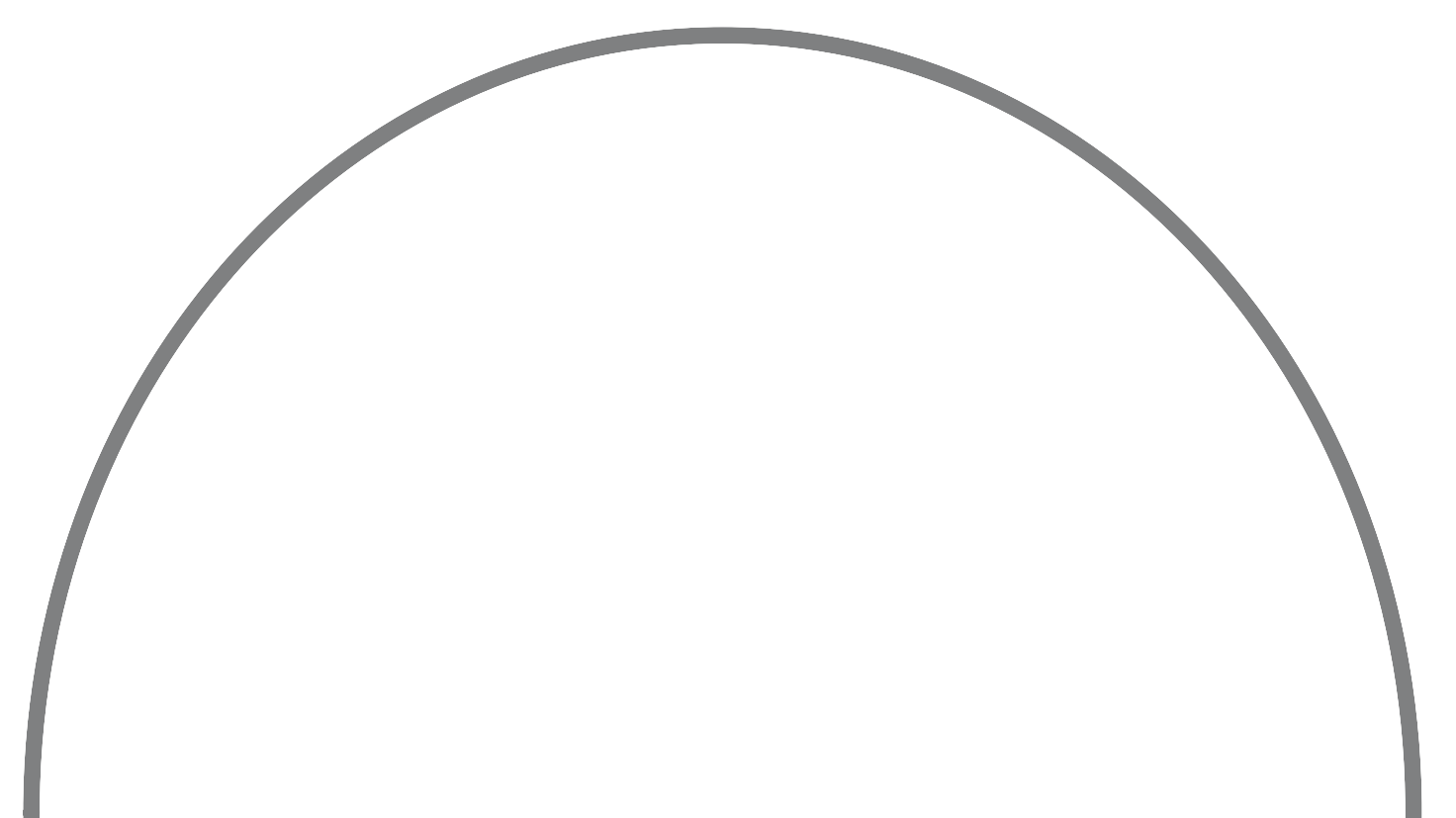
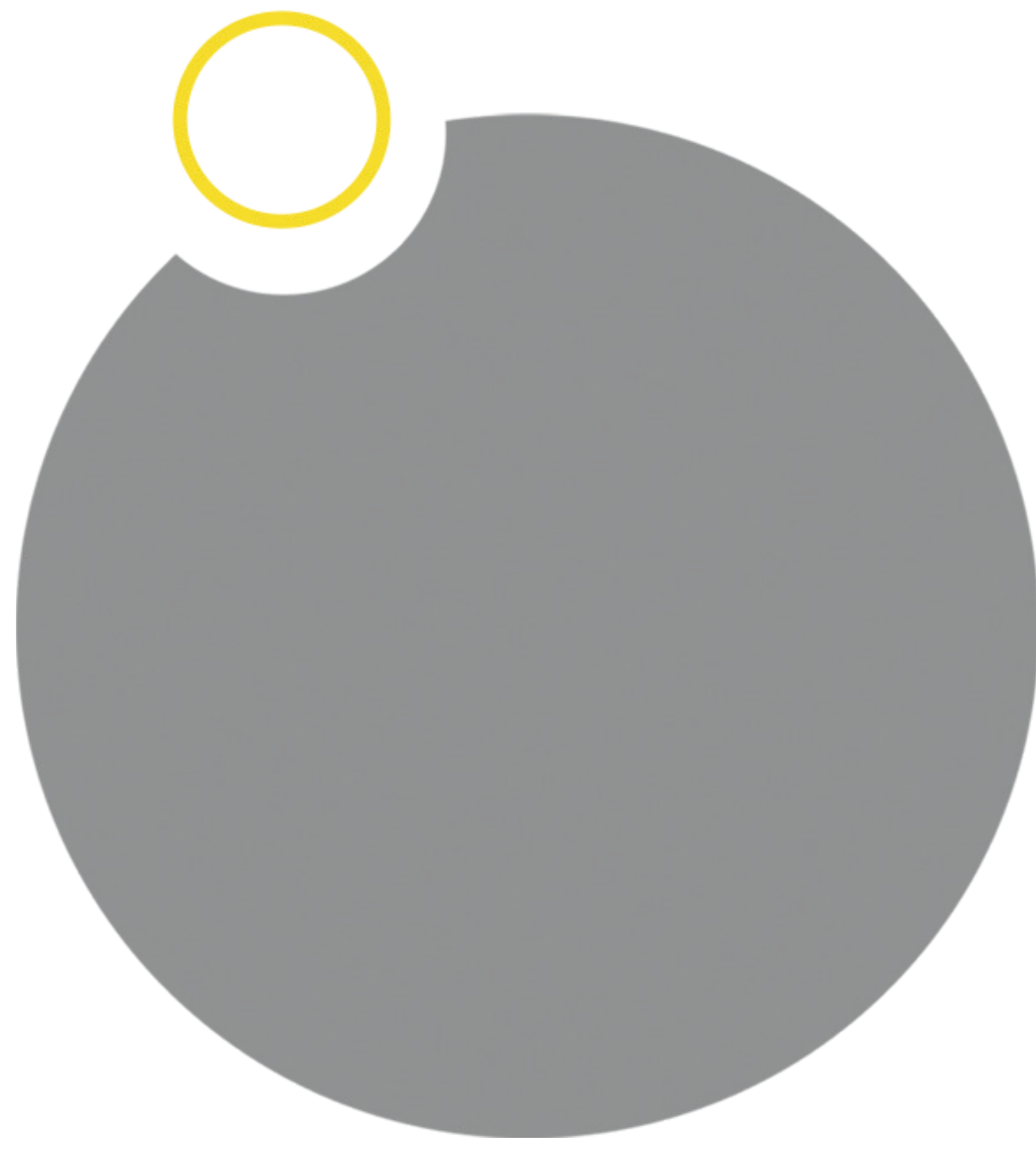
EVERY CHILD IN SCHOOL AND LEARNING WELL

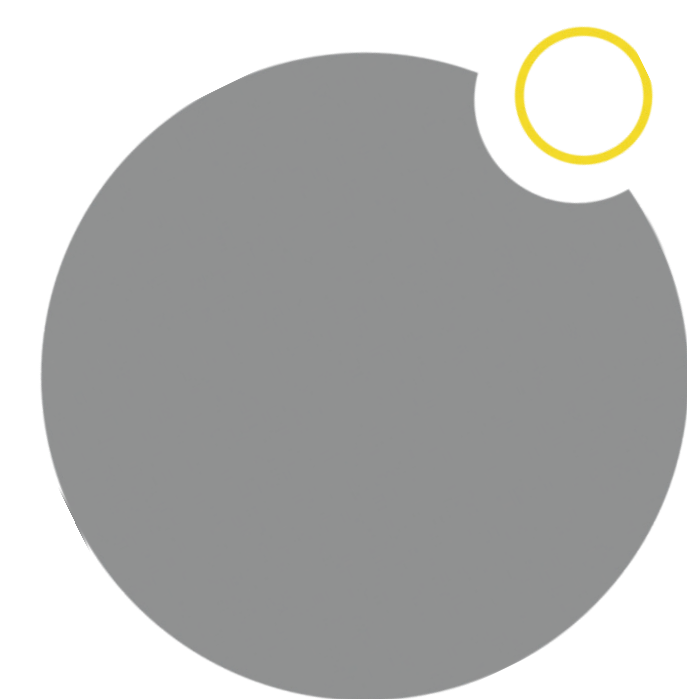


**FINDINGS FROM  
SCHOOL-LEVEL  
MATHS CONTESTS**

**2025–26**

**– MANDYA DISTRICT –  
KARNATAKA**





On November 29, 2025, Akshara Foundation facilitated maths contests for children in grades 4 to 6 across

*586 schools*

in Mandya District of Karnataka.

The initiative engaged around

*13,810 children*

and aimed at understanding the learning levels of children in maths.

# Methodology



- **Thoughtful Question Design:** Question papers designed in collaboration with District Institutes of Education and Training (DIETs).
- **Grade-Appropriate Assessment:** Children from grades 4 to 6 were evaluated based on the competencies of the preceding grade.
- **Expertise:** Answer sheets were collected and sent to a Central Data Entry Centre, where they were meticulously graded using an answer key provided by Akshara Foundation.

# Highlights

## District Engagement

Eight blocks in the district actively participated in the School-level Maths Contests.

## Impressive Attendance

13,810 children participated in the Contests.

No	Blocks	No of Clusters	No of Schools	Grade 4	Grade 5	Grade 6
1	Krishnarajpete	26	93	565	657	681
2	Maddur	21	91	630	828	932
3	Malavally	22	117	806	996	1,012
4	Mandya North	15	52	349	441	536
5	Mandya South	7	40	345	503	472
6	Nagamangala	25	75	355	499	543
7	Pandavapura	14	73	447	569	568
8	Srirangapatna	10	45	290	368	418
	<b>Total</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>586</b>	<b>3,787</b>	<b>4,861</b>	<b>5,162</b>

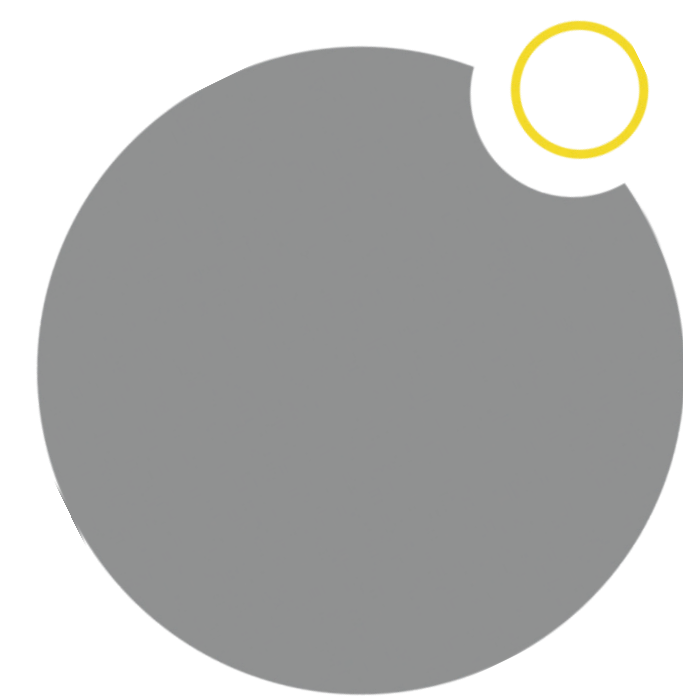
## Pro Bono Service

These maths contests was collectively managed by the Education Department officials, faculty of the School, Team Leaders and Education Volunteers, who generously volunteered their time and expertise.

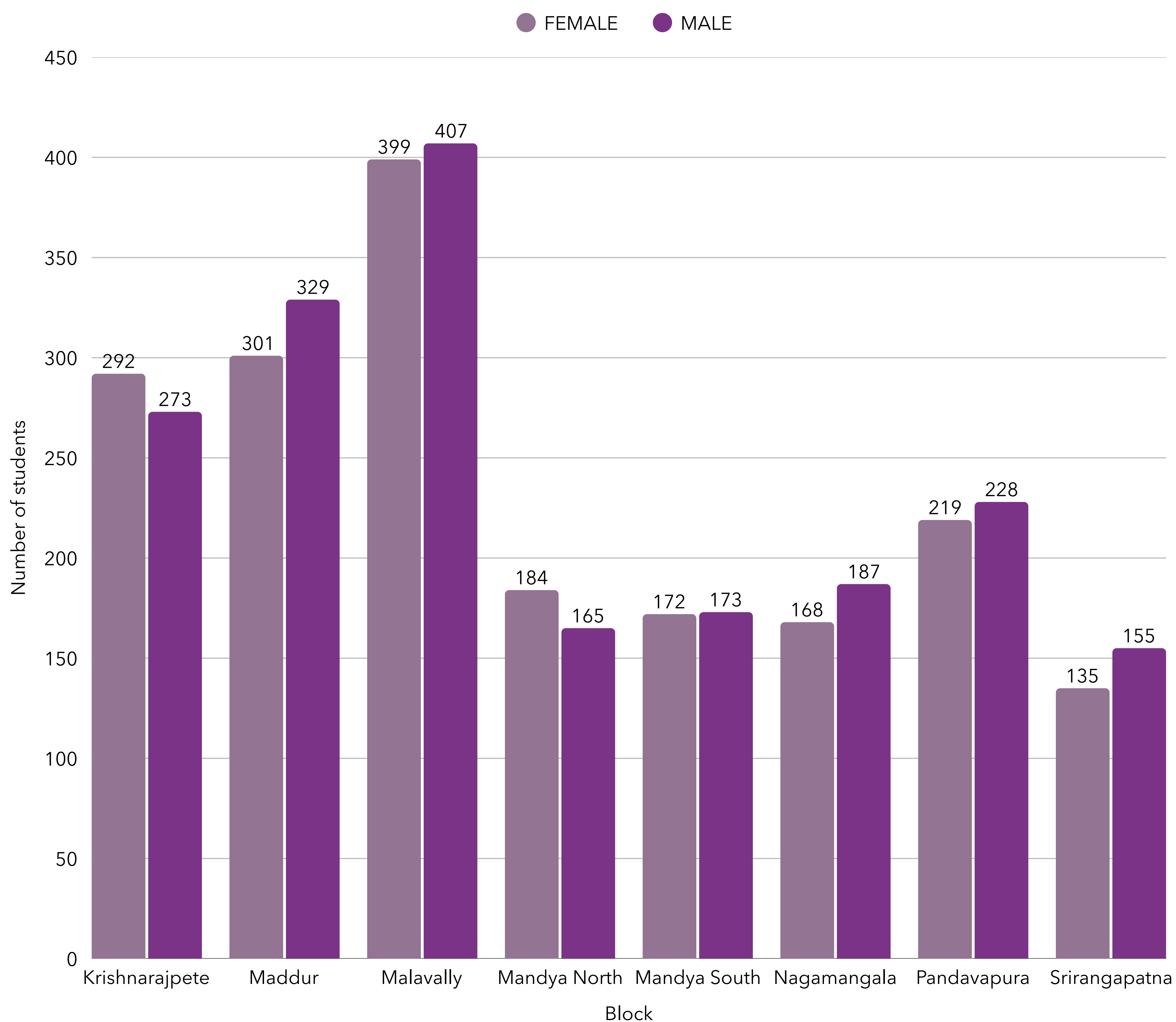
## Participation

586 schools enthusiastically engaged in organising and conducting the contests.

# Grade 4

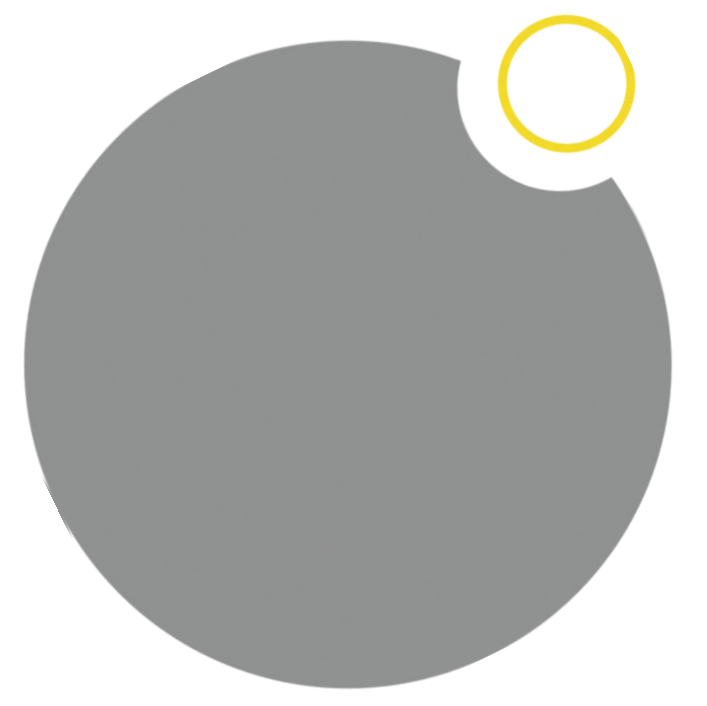


## Participation by **GENDER**

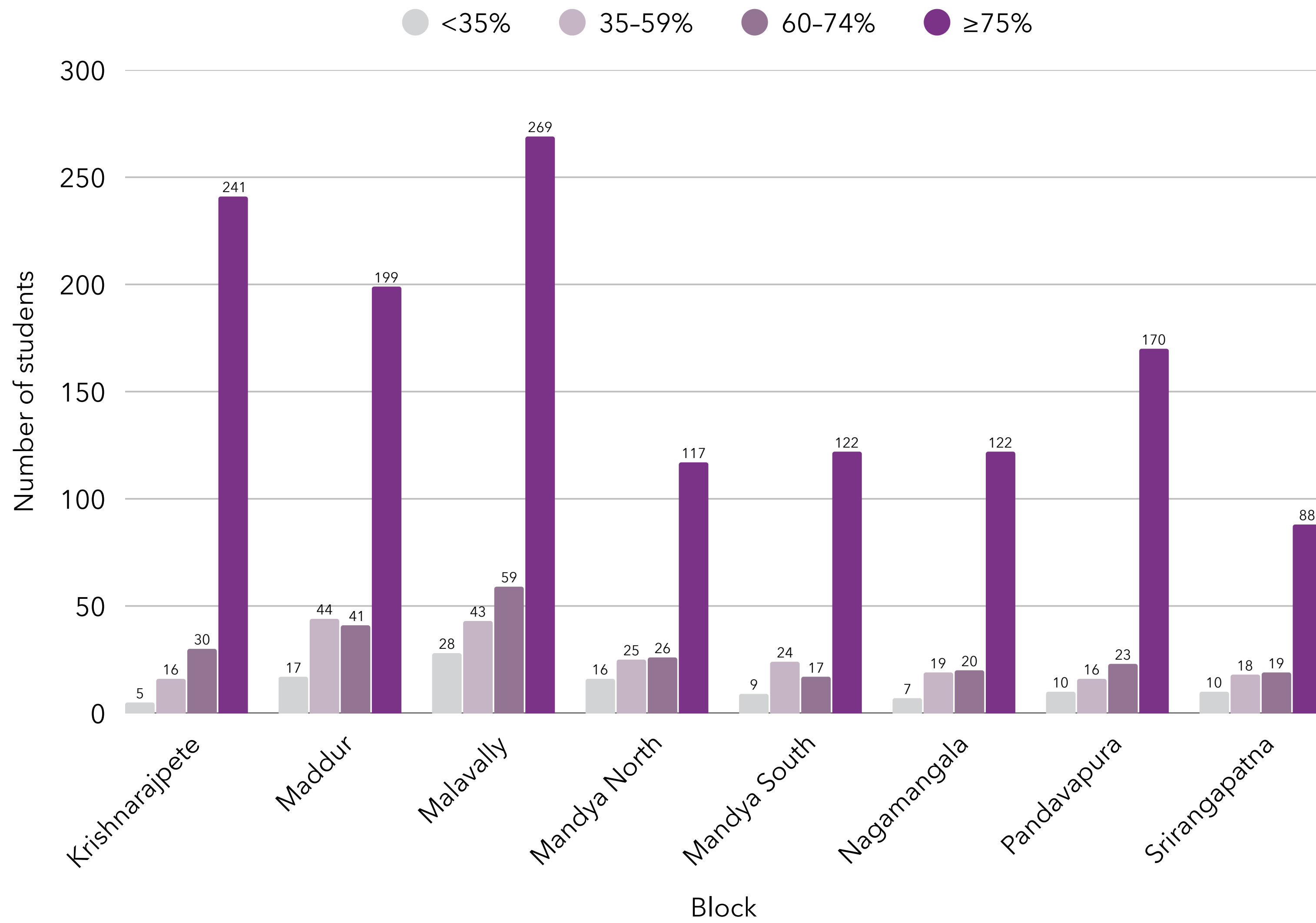


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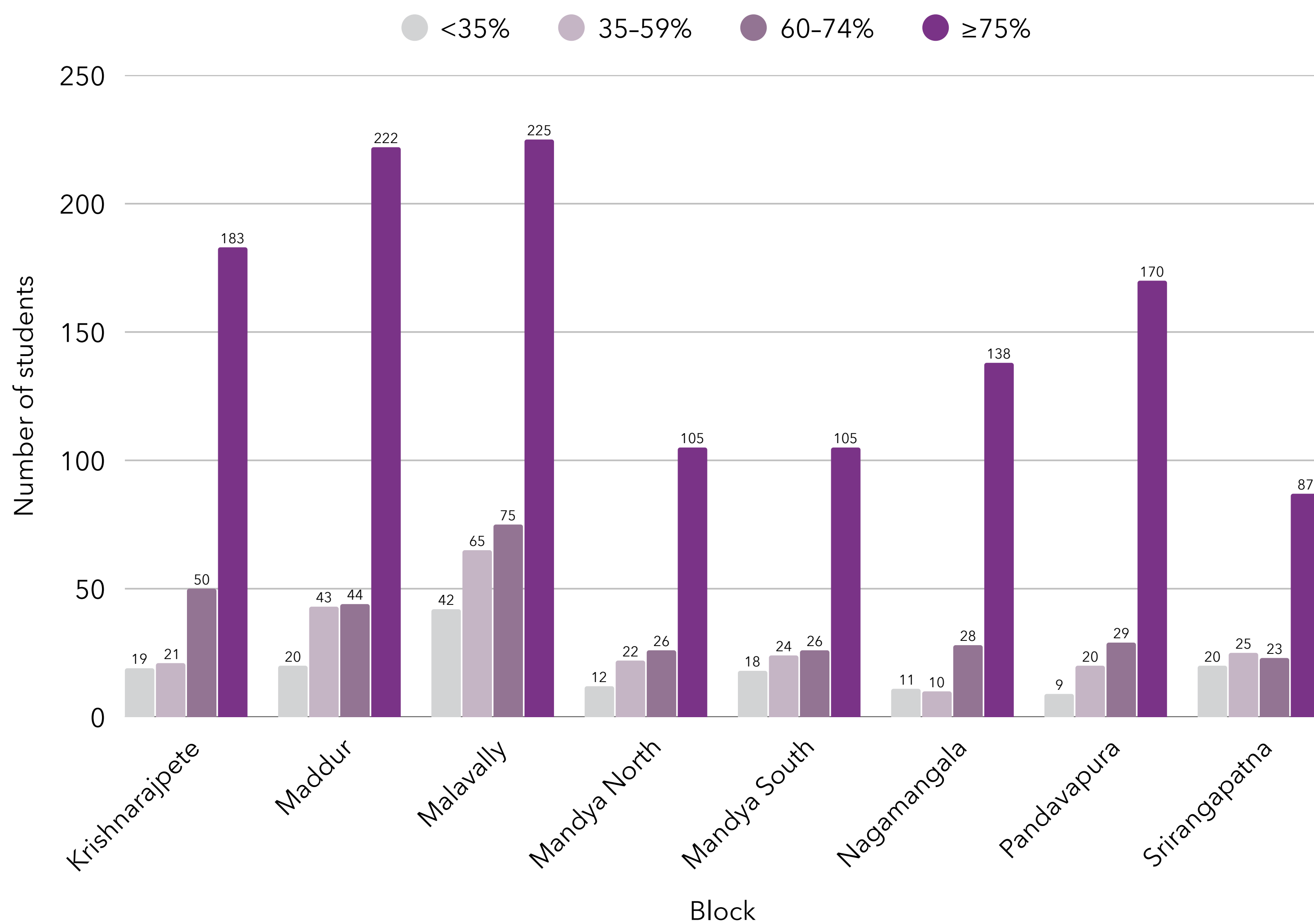
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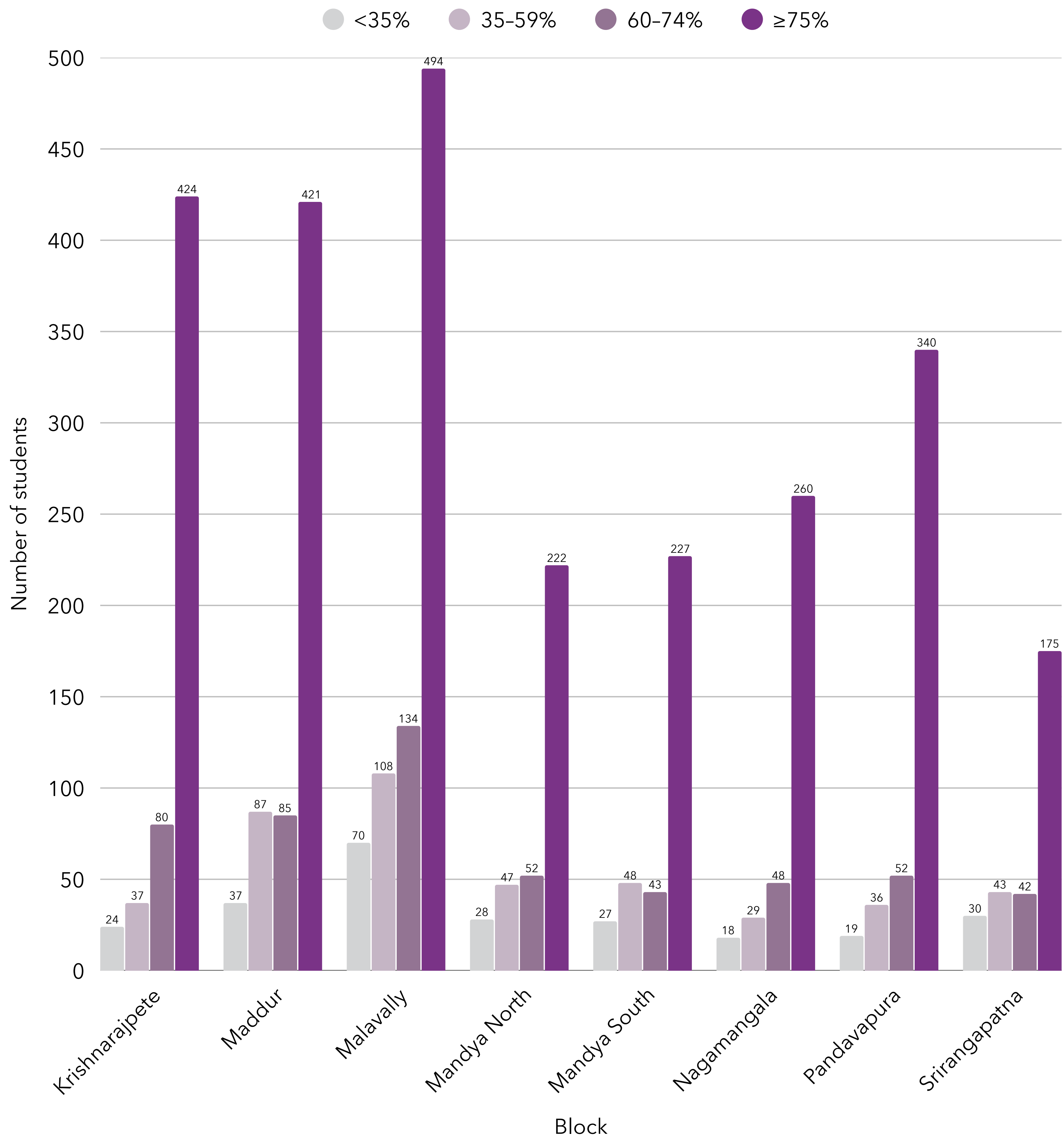


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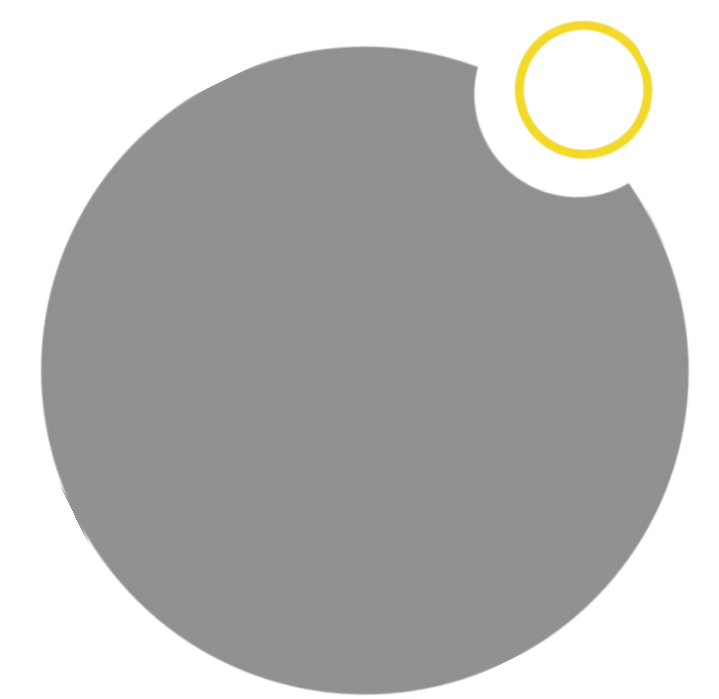


# Grade 4

## PERFORMANCE BY BLOCK



- **≥ 75%** : children who have answered  $\geq 15$  questions correctly out of 20
- **60%-74%** : children who have answered 12-14 questions correctly out of 20
- **36%-59%** : children who have answered 8-11 questions correctly out of 20
- **0-35%** : children have answered  $\leq 7$  questions correctly out of 20



Block	Number of students who scored < 35%	Number of students who scored $\geq$ 35%	Percentage of students who scored $\geq$ 35%
Krishnarajpete	24	541	95.75
Maddur	37	593	94.13
Malavally	70	736	91.32
Mandya North	28	321	91.98
Mandya South	27	318	92.17
Nagamangala	18	337	94.93
Pandavapura	19	428	95.75
Srirangapatna	30	260	89.66

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**TOP PERFORMING**

*blocks*

- Krishnarajpete
- Pandavapura
- Nagamangala
- Maddur

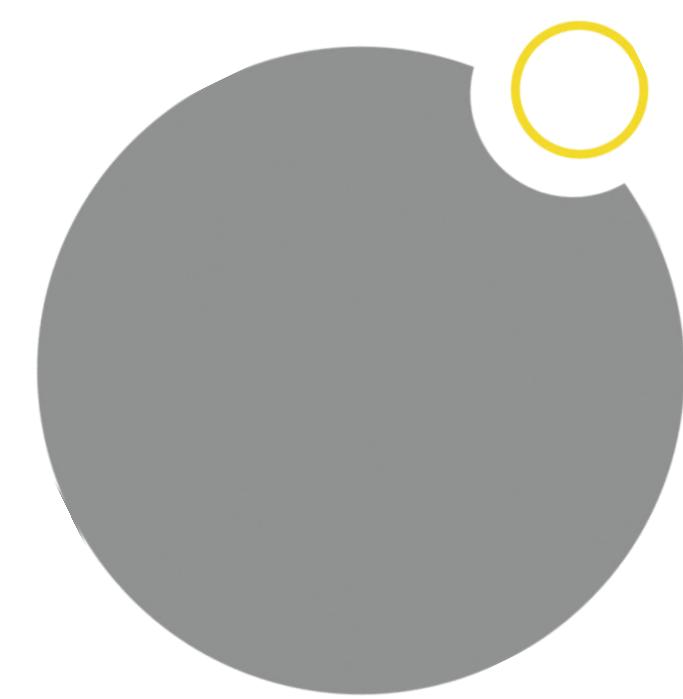
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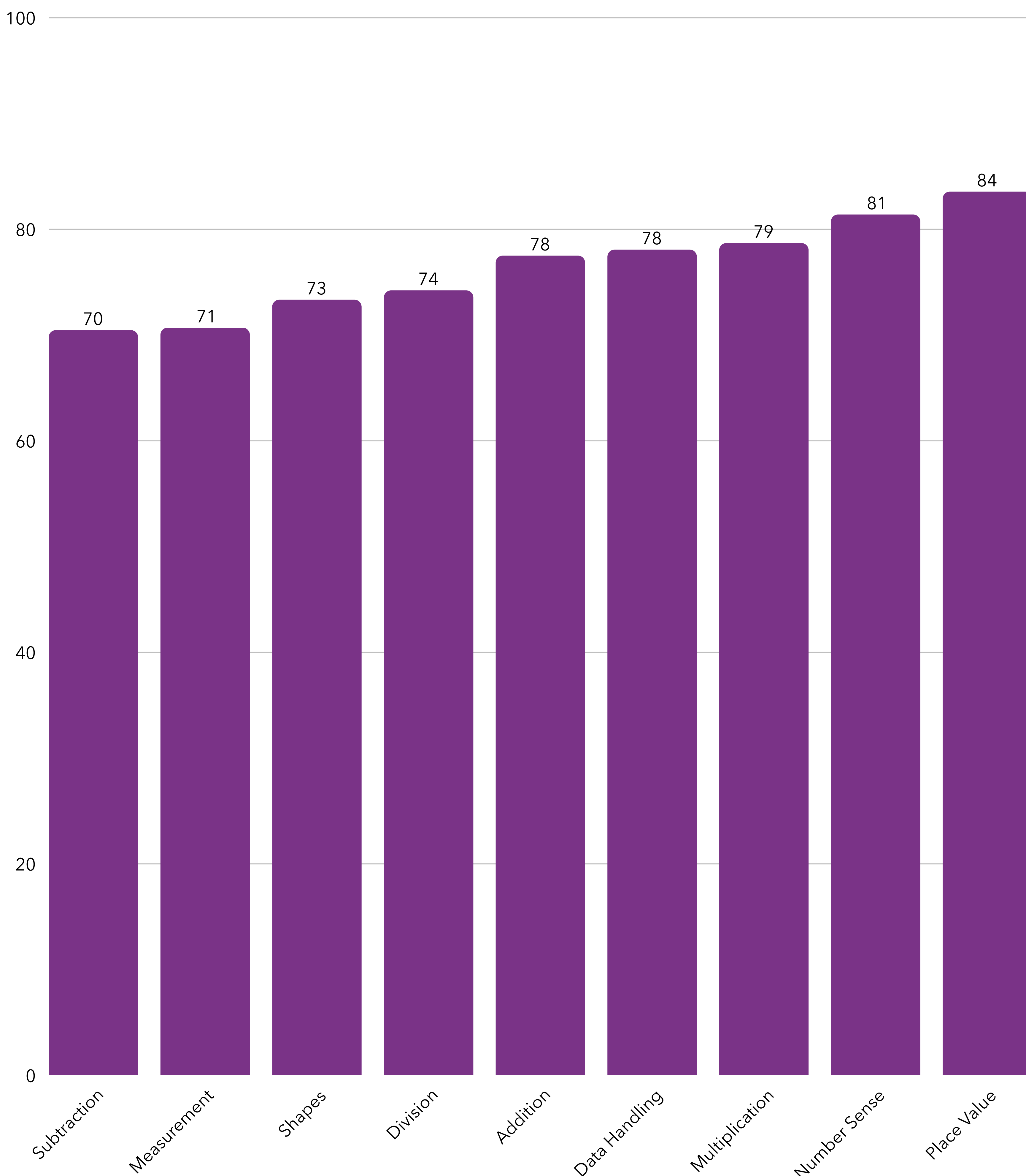
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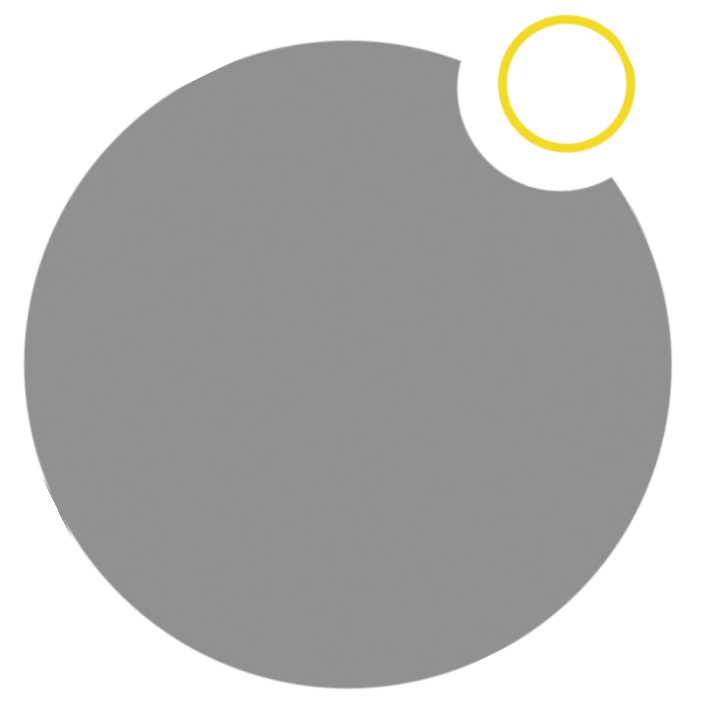
- Srirangapatna ●
- Malavally ●
- Mandya North ●

# Grade 4



Percentage of children who could correctly solve these competencies





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**EASIEST**

*competencies*

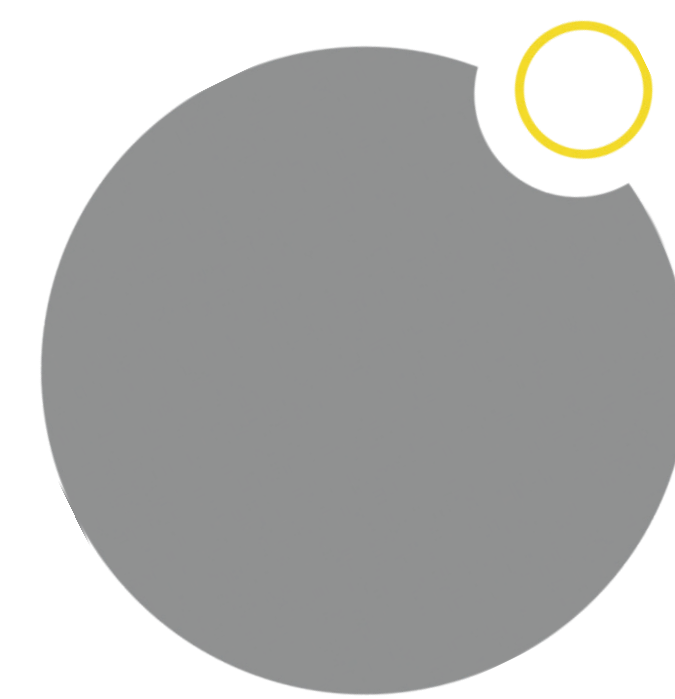
- Place Value
- Number Sense
- Multiplication

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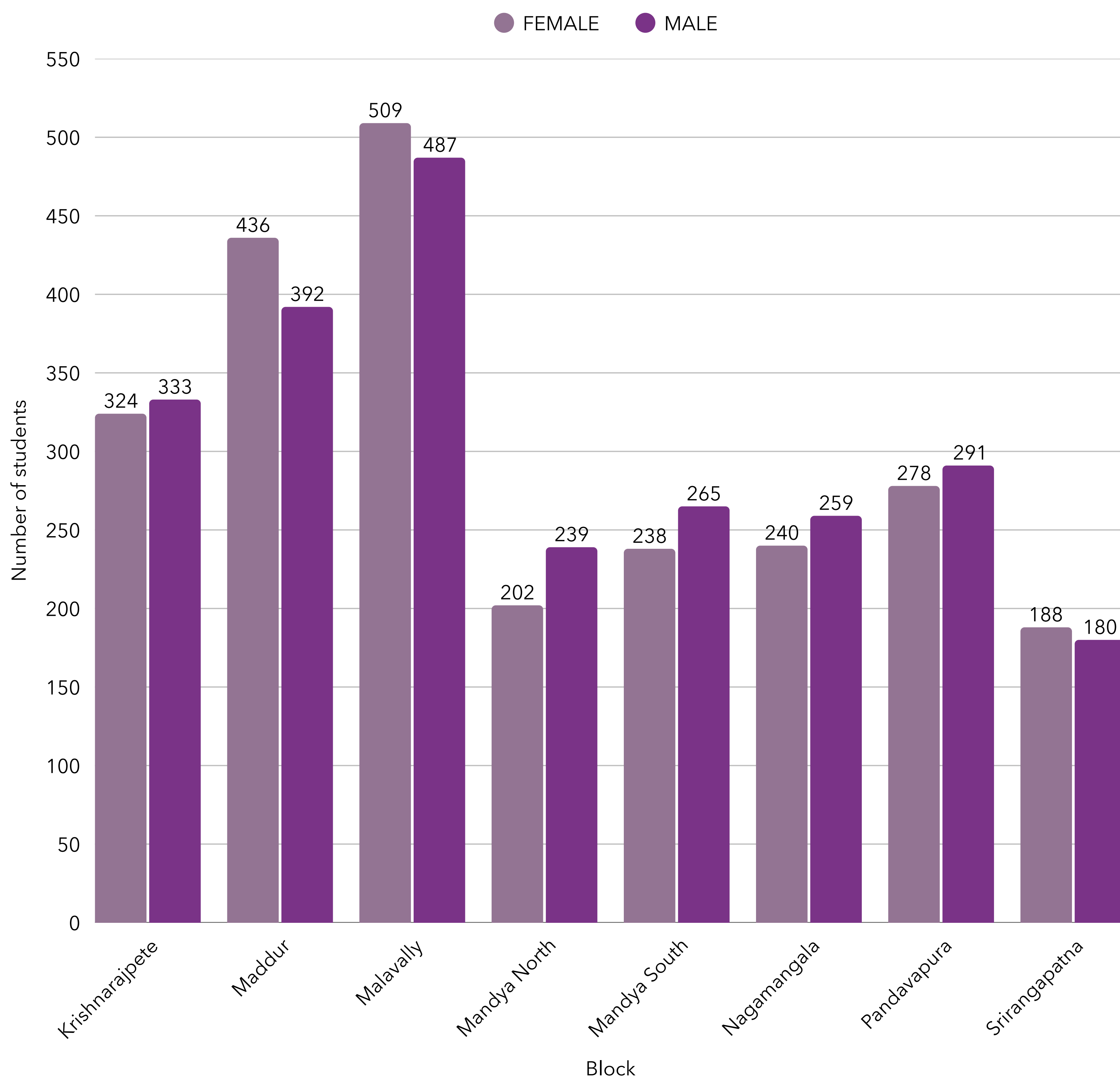
**TOUGHER**

*competencies*

- Subtraction ●
- Measurement ●
- Shapes ●

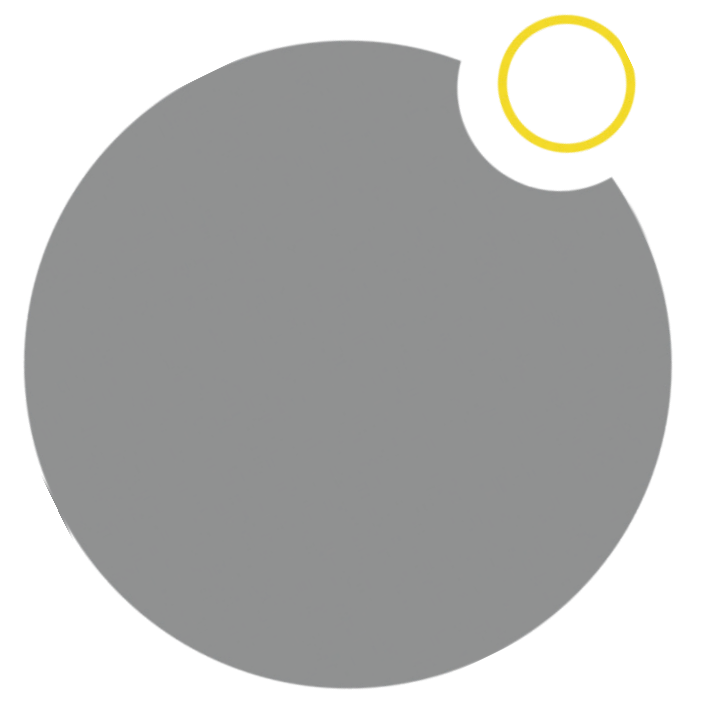


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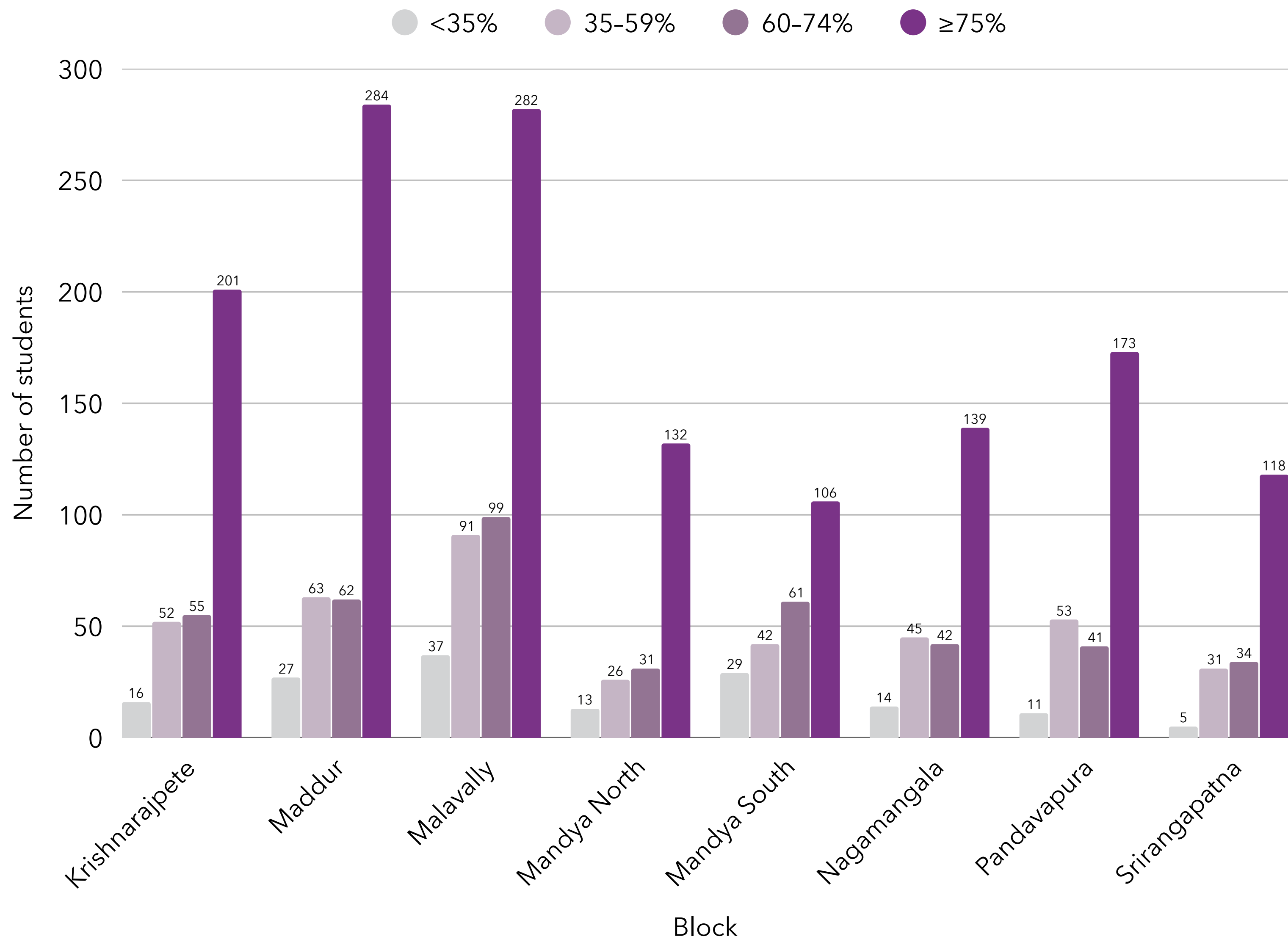


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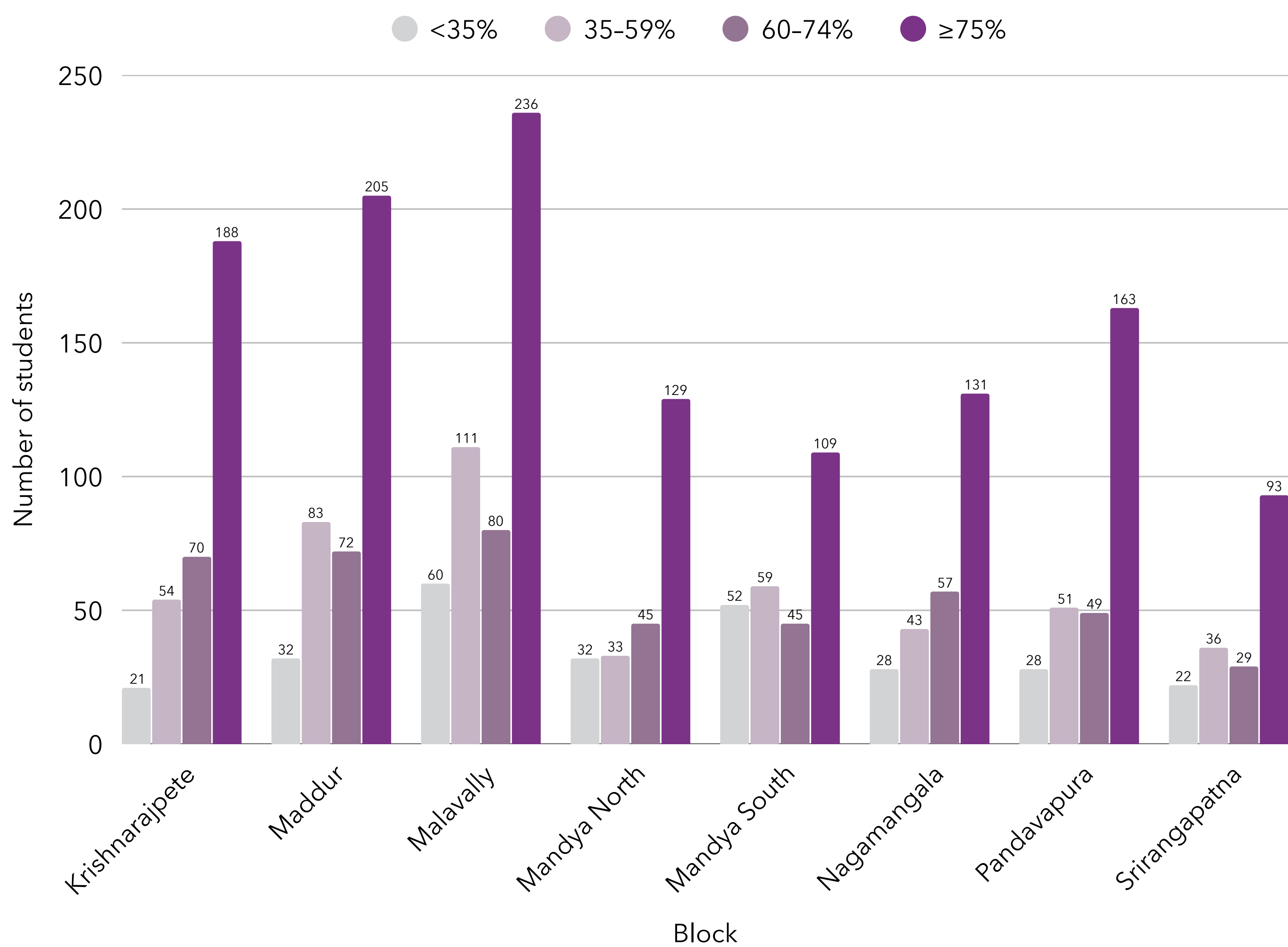
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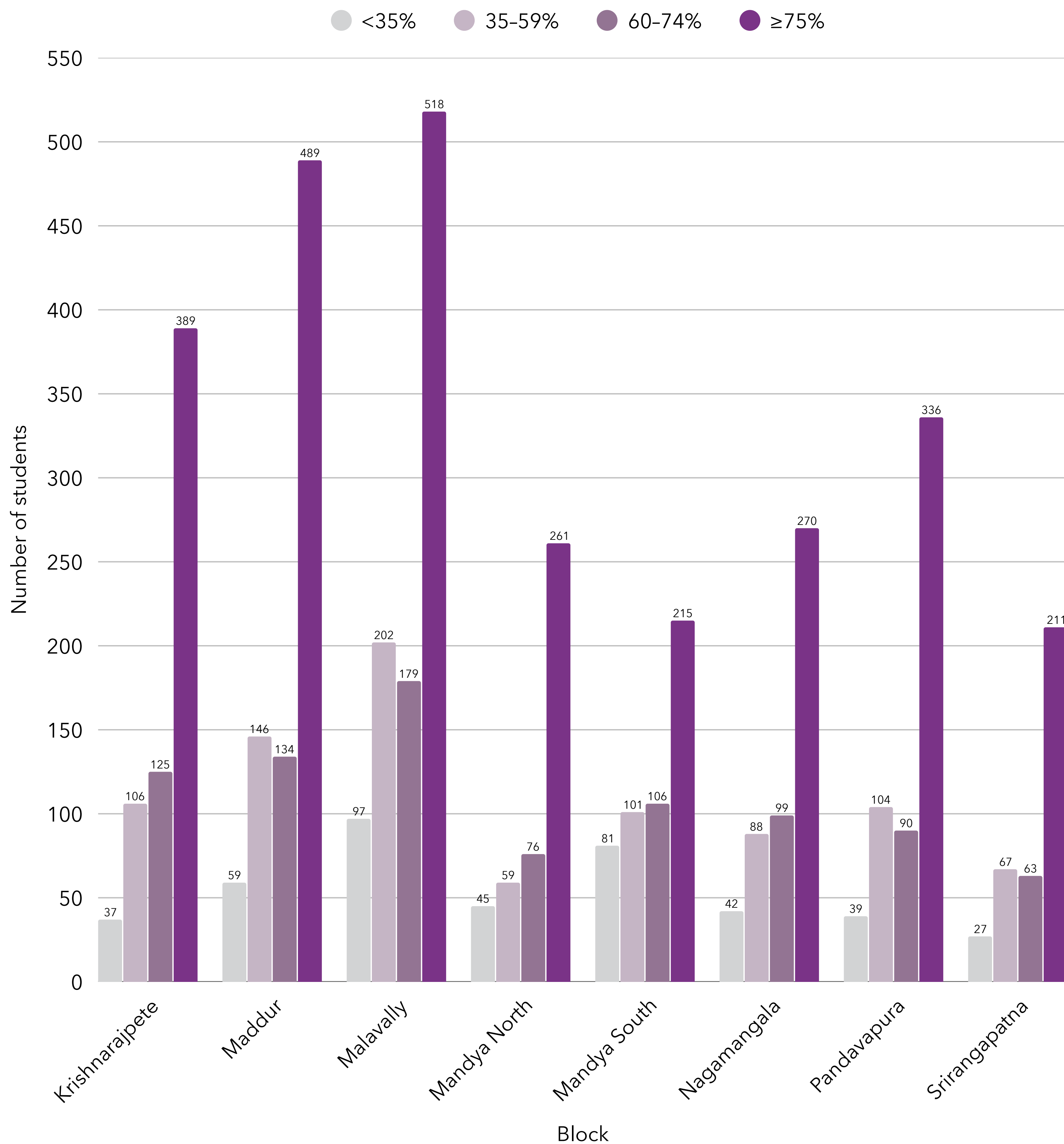
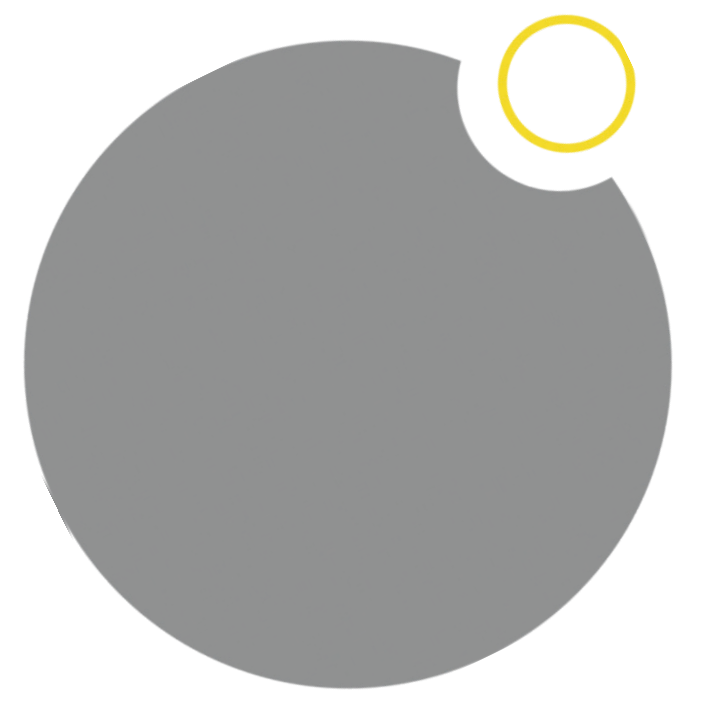


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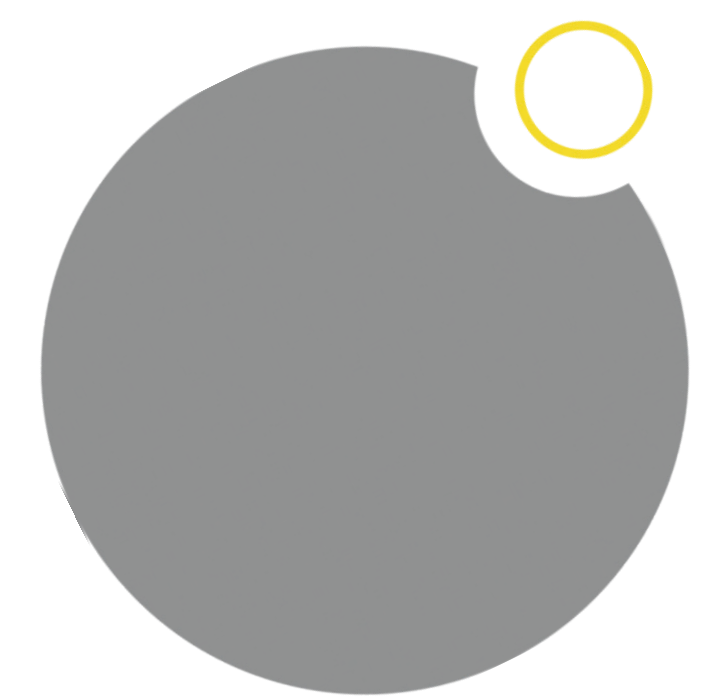


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Krishnarajpete	37	620	94.37
Maddur	59	769	92.87
Malavally	97	899	90.26
Mandya North	45	396	89.8
Mandya South	81	422	83.9
Nagamangala	42	457	91.58
Pandavapura	39	530	93.15
Srirangapatna	27	341	92.66

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**TOP PERFORMING**

*blocks*

- Krishnarajpete
- Pandavapura
- Maddur
- Srirangapatna

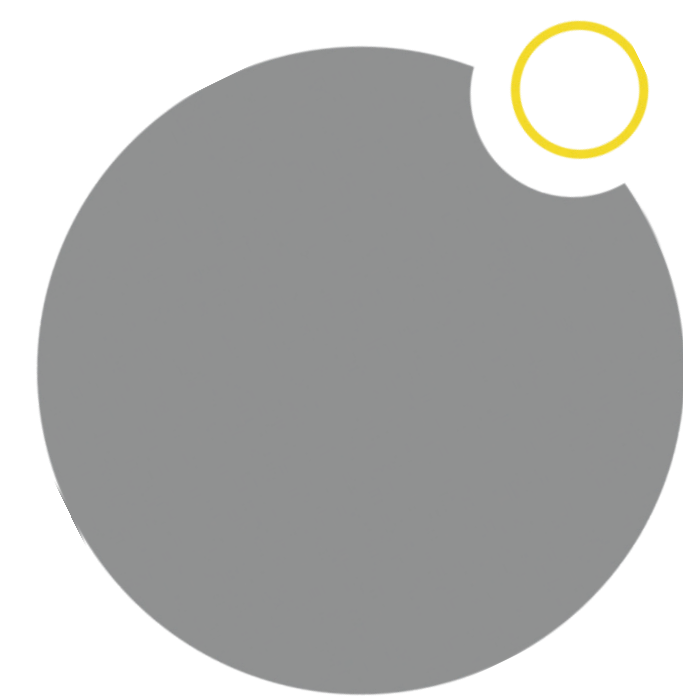
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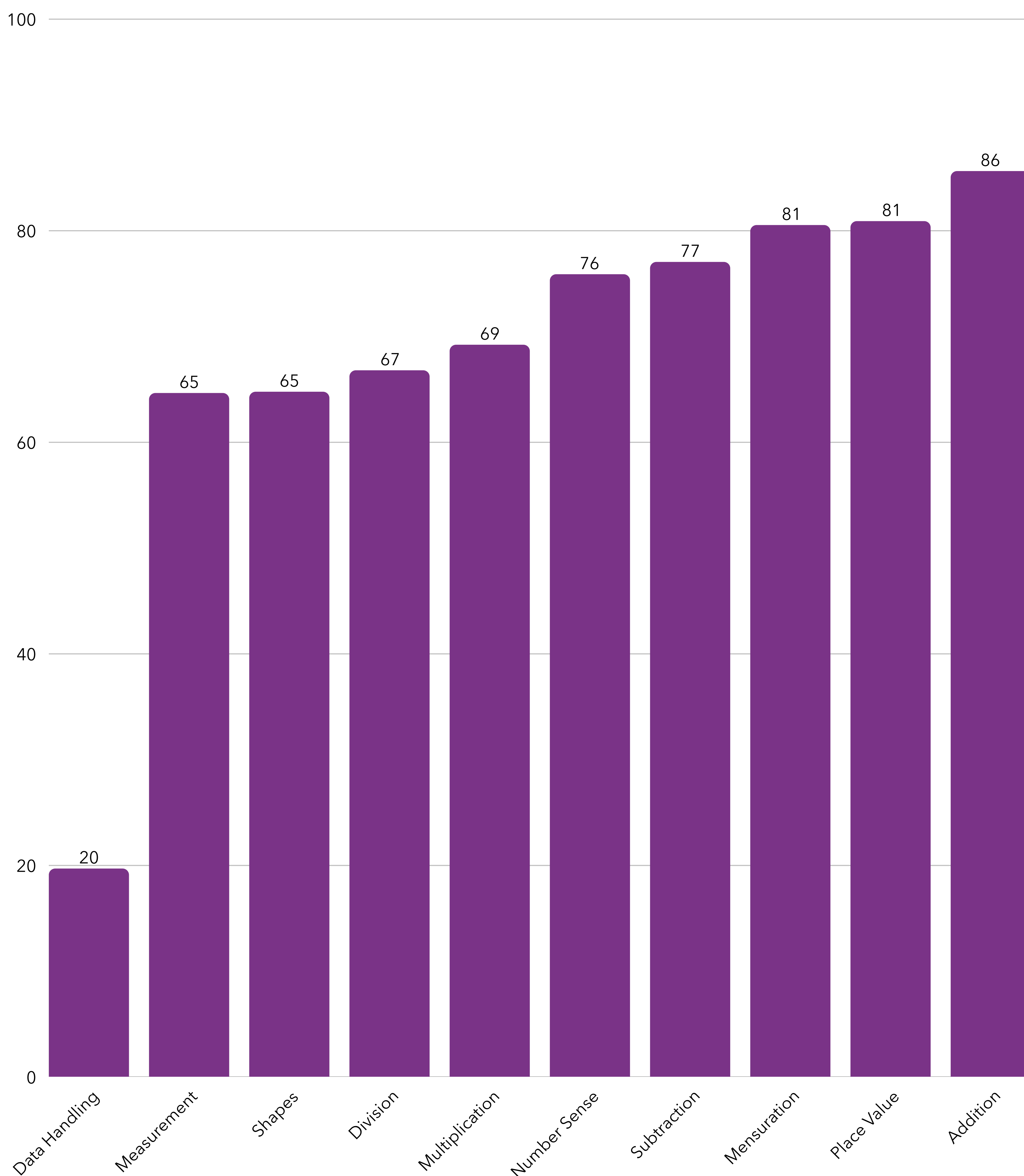
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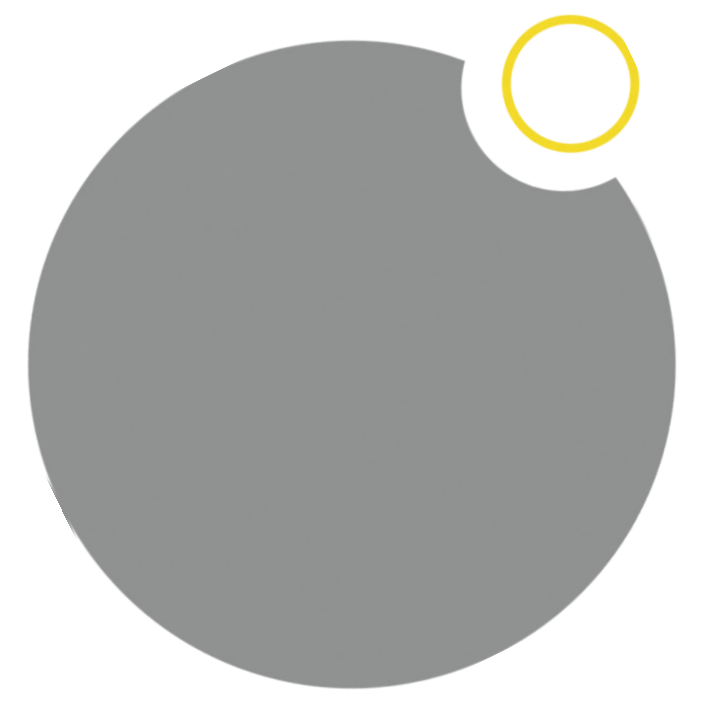
- Mandya South ●
- Mandya North ●
- Malavally ●

# Grade 5



Percentage of children who could correctly solve these competencies





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**EASIEST**

*competencies*

- Addition
- Place Value
- Mensuration

*The*

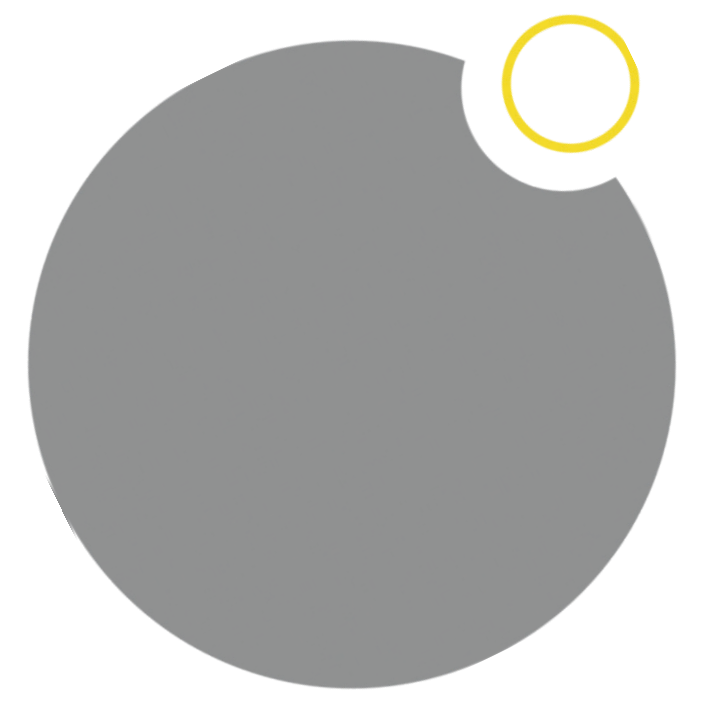
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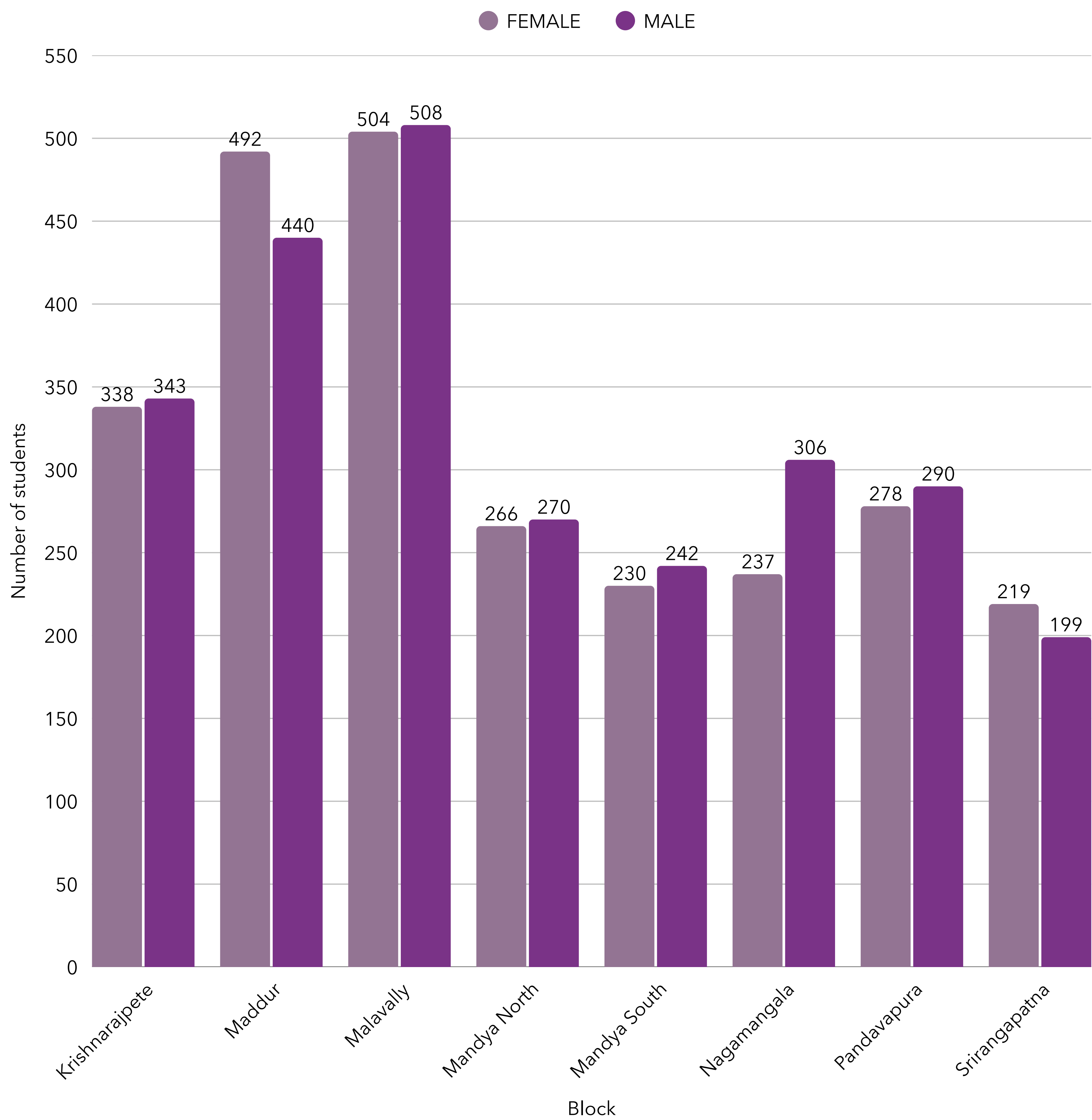
Data Handling ●

Measurement ●

Shapes ●

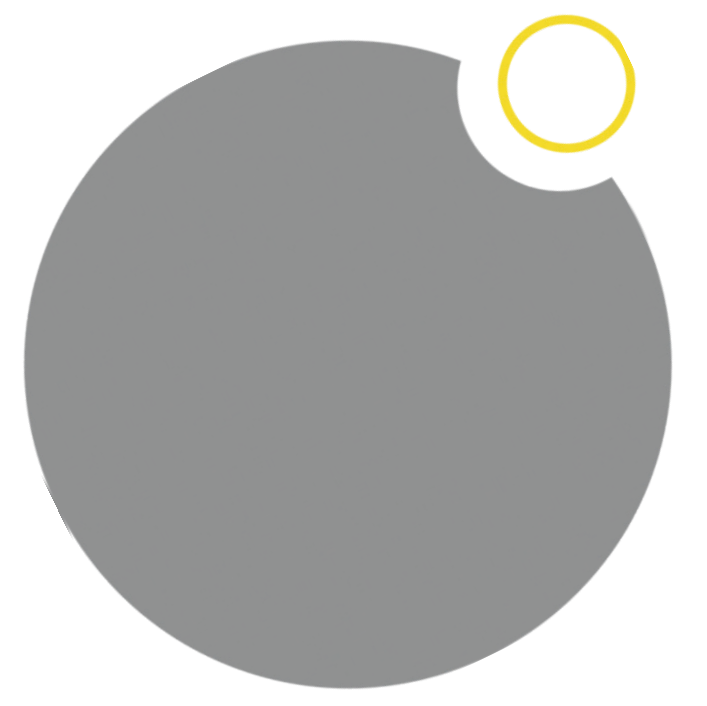


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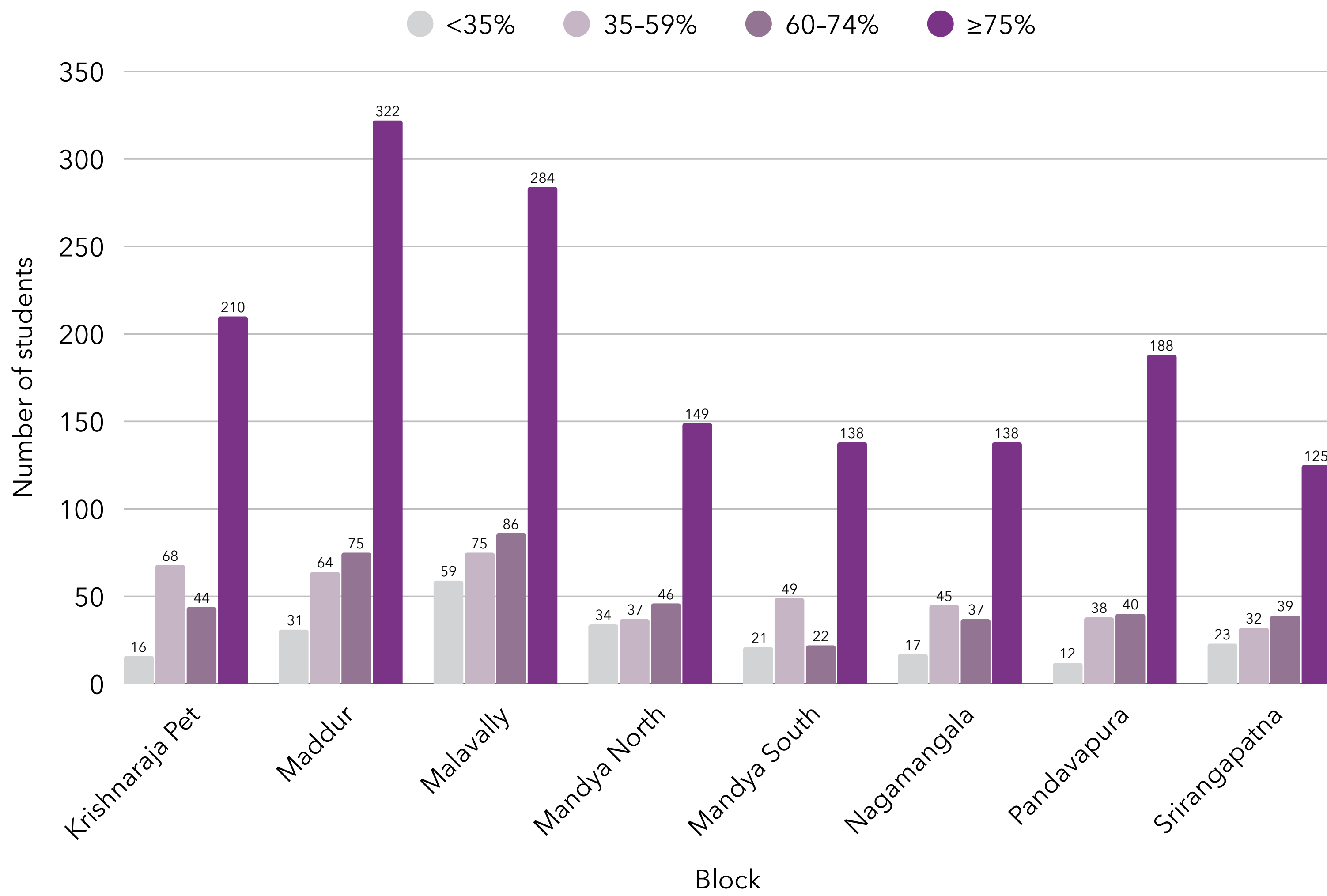


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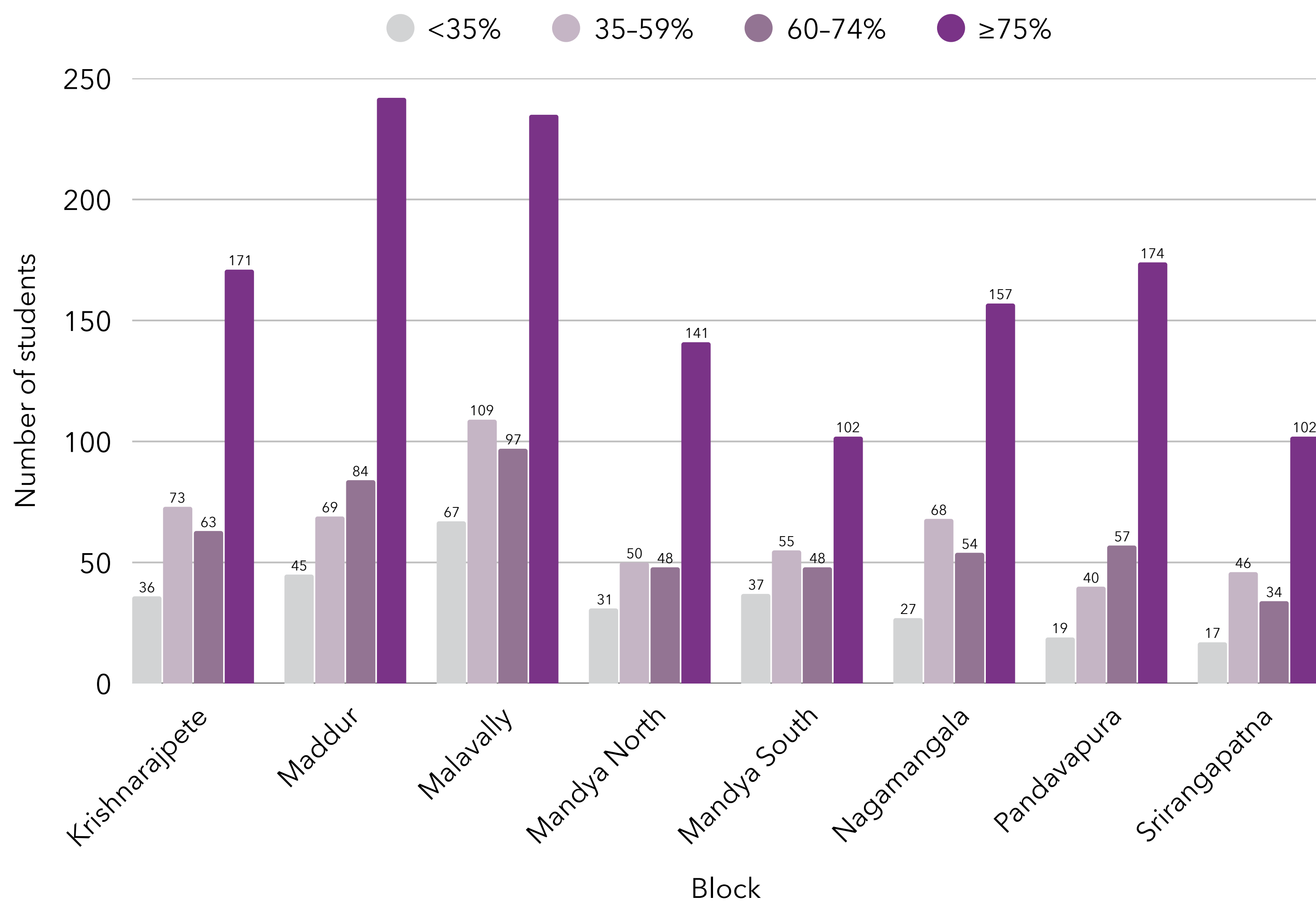
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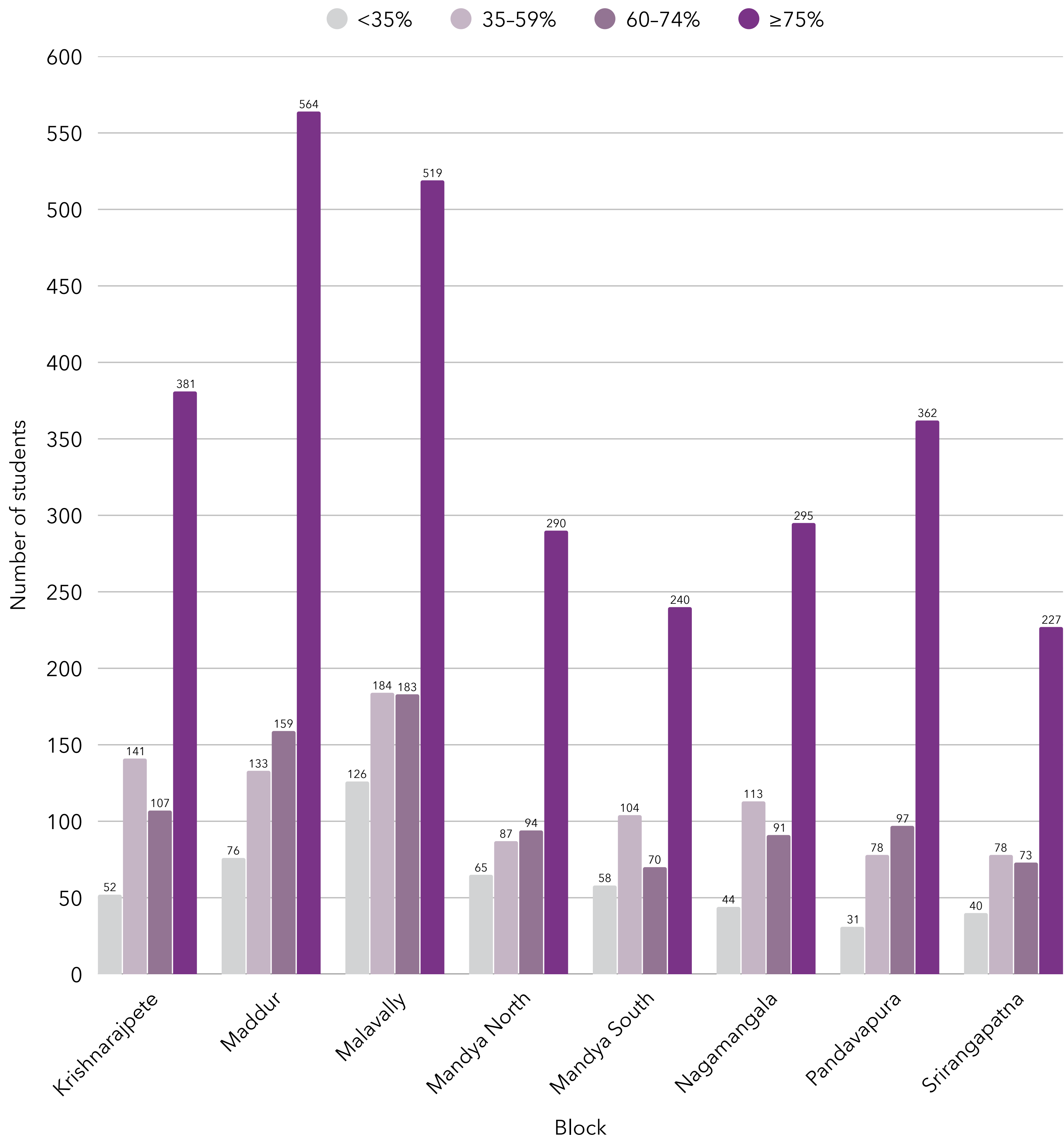
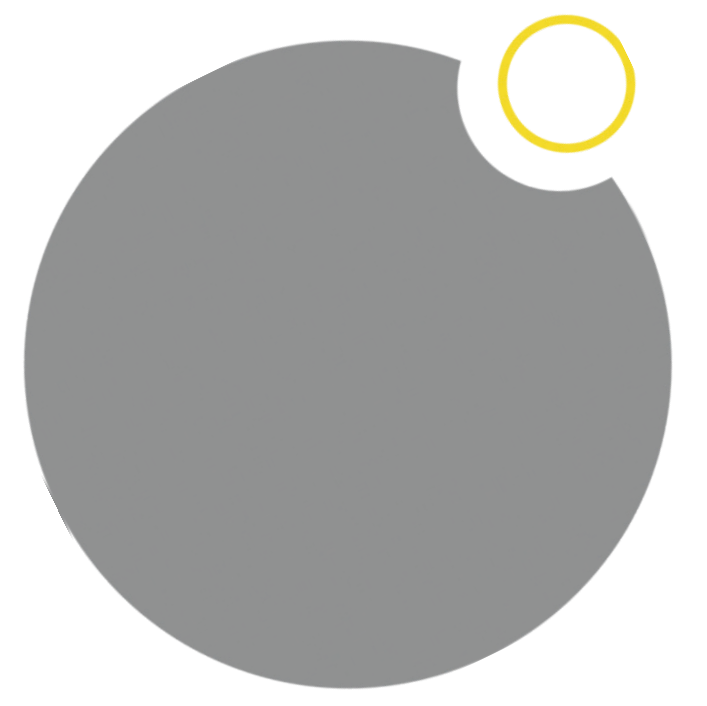


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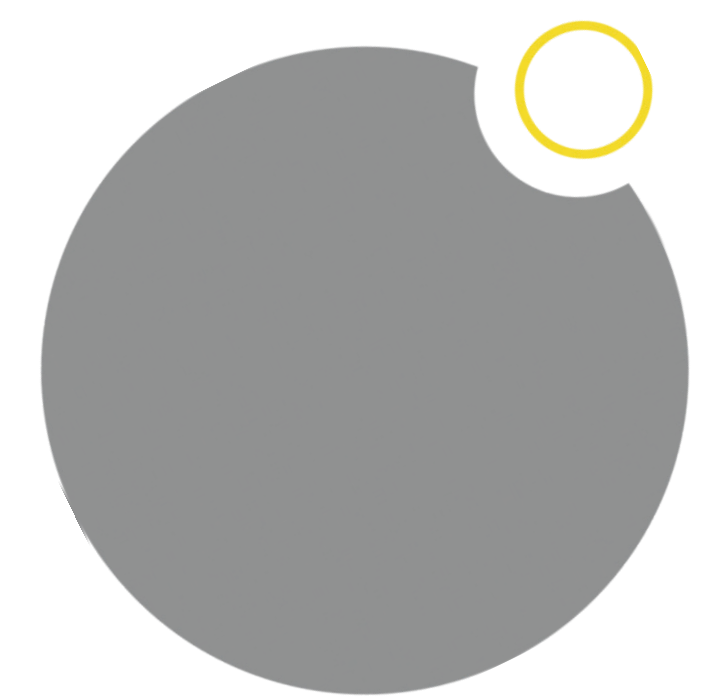


# Grade 6

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Krishnarajpete	52	629	92.36
Maddur	76	856	91.85
Malavally	126	886	87.55
Mandya North	65	471	87.87
Mandya South	58	414	87.71
Nagamangala	44	499	91.9
Pandavapura	31	537	94.54
Srirangapatna	40	378	90.43

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**TOP PERFORMING**

*blocks*

- Pandavapura
- Krishnarajpete
- Nagamangala
- Maddur

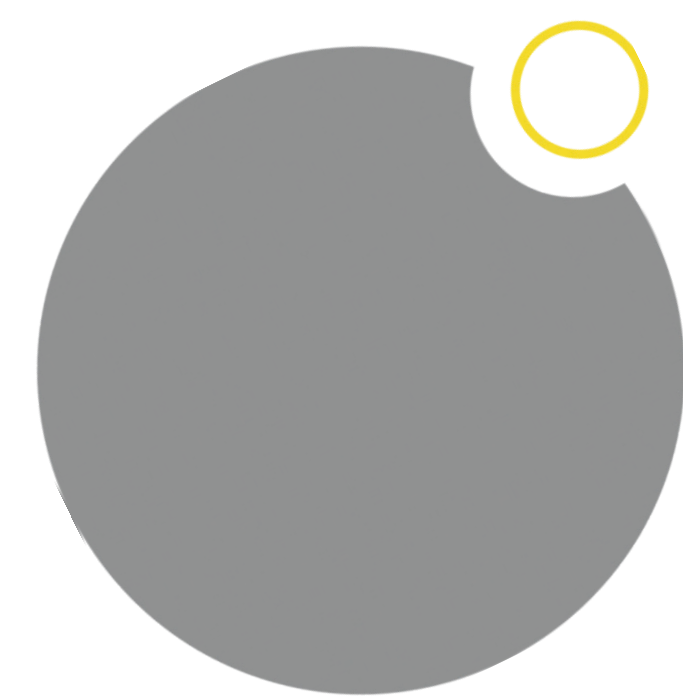
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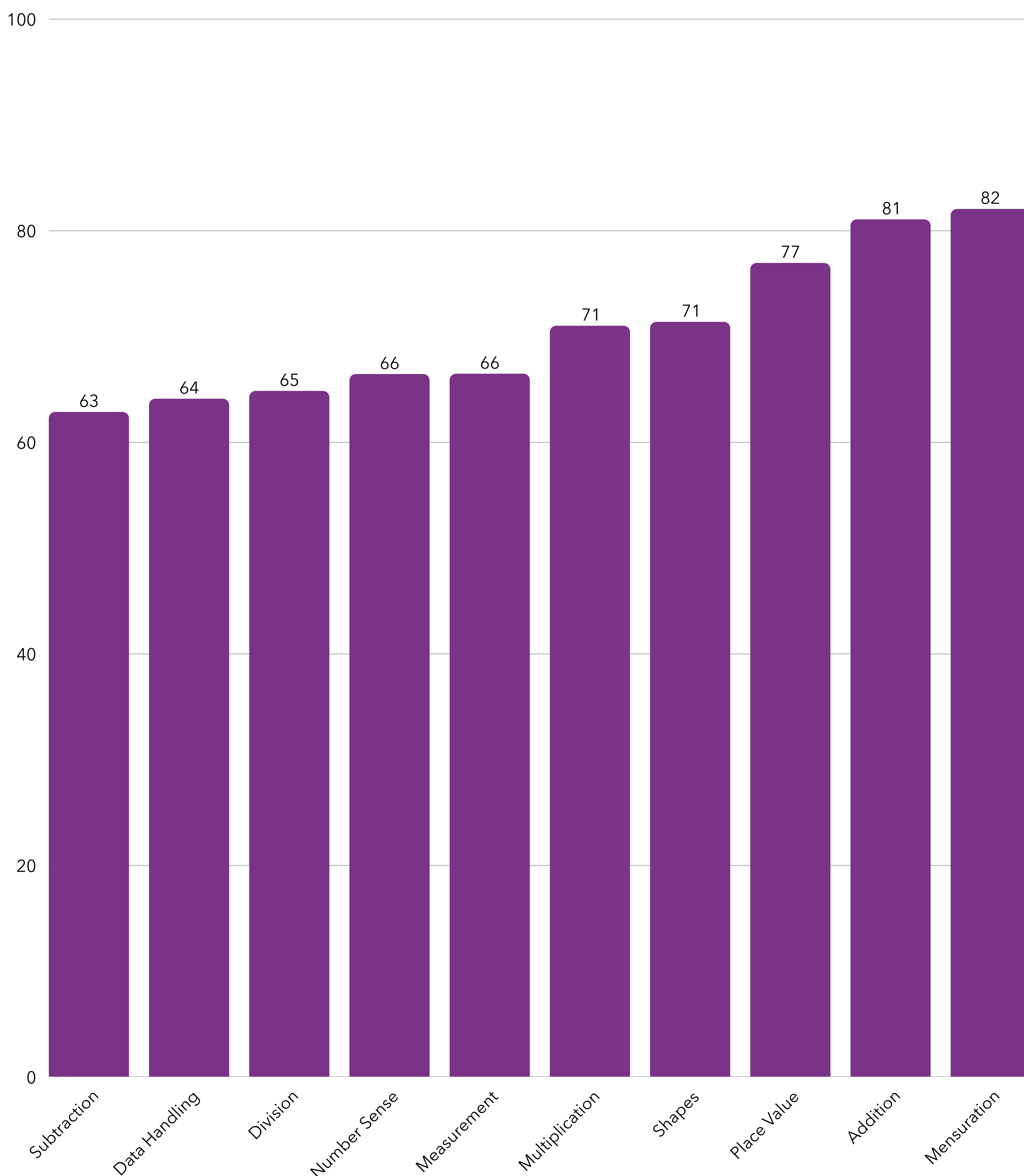
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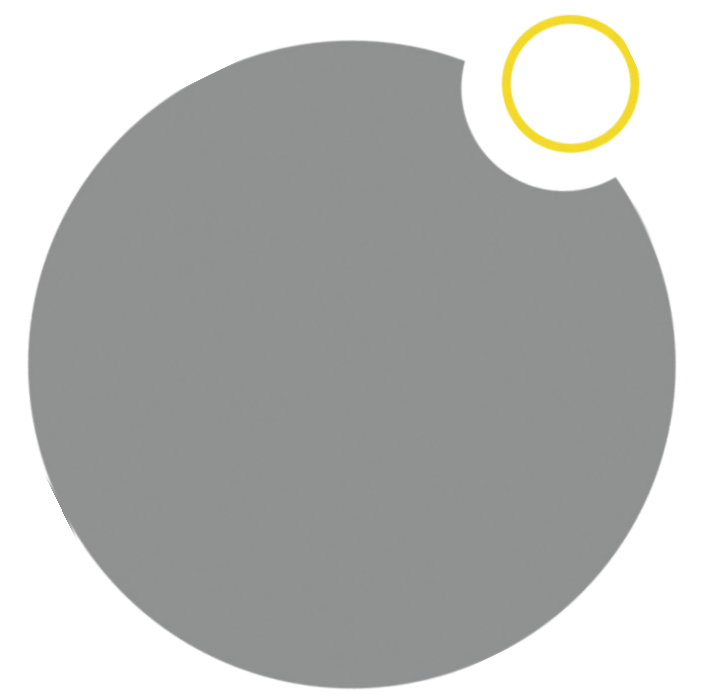
- Malavally ●
- Mandya South ●
- Mandya North ●

# Grade 6



Percentage of children who could correctly solve these competencies





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**EASIEST**

*competencies*

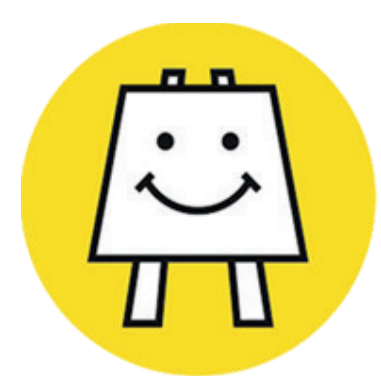
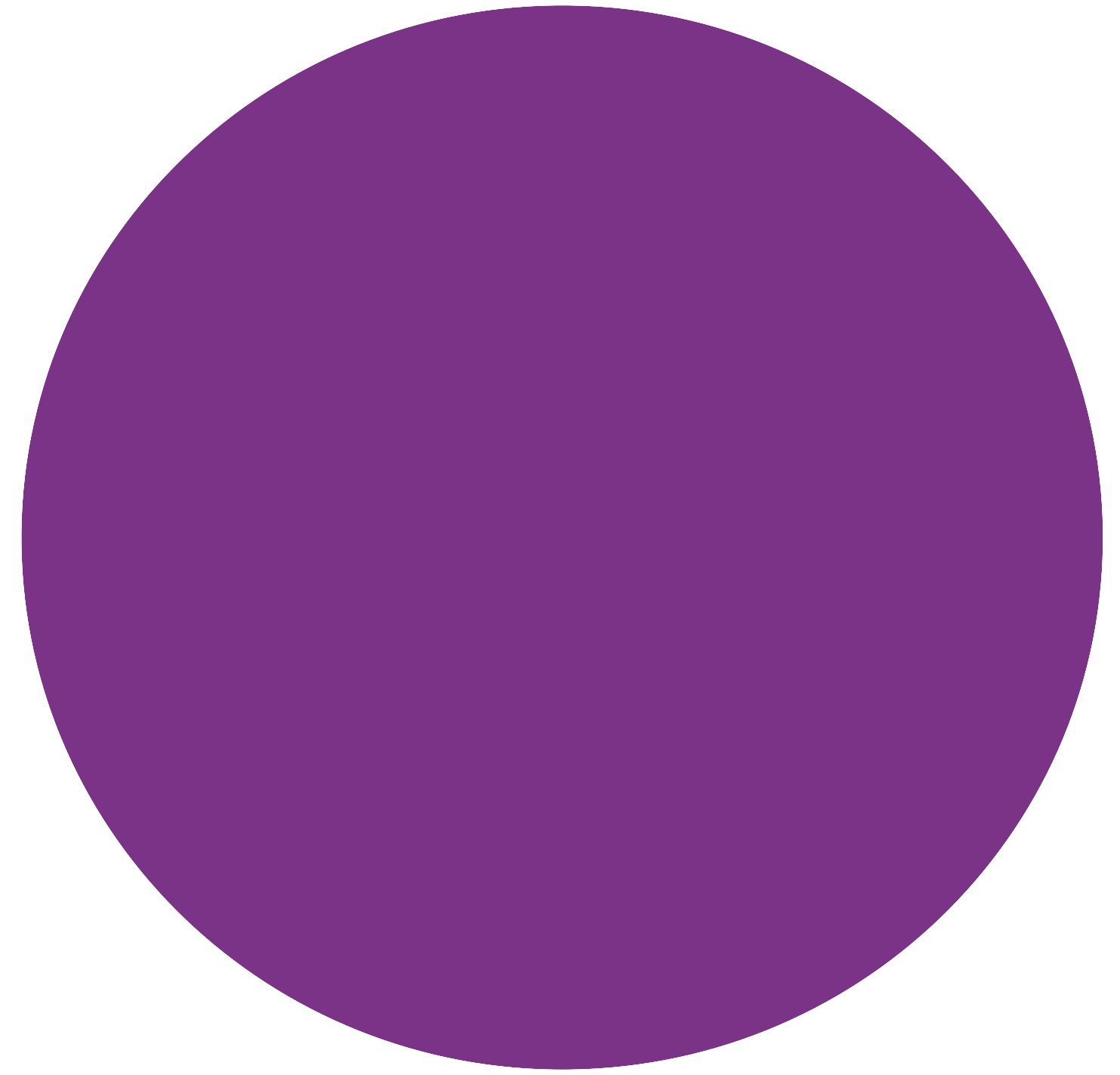
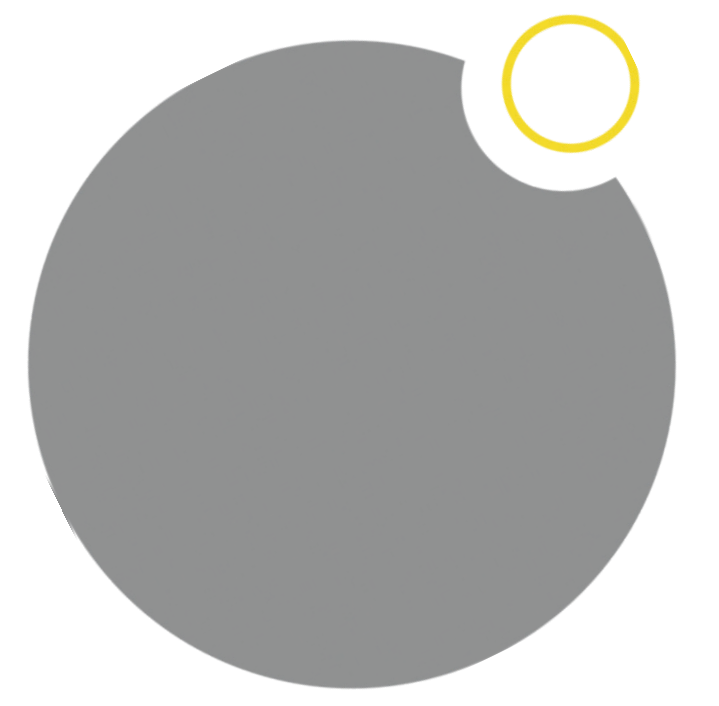
- Mensuration
- Addition
- Place Value

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**TOUGHER**

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- Subtraction ●
- Data Handling ●
- Division ●



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