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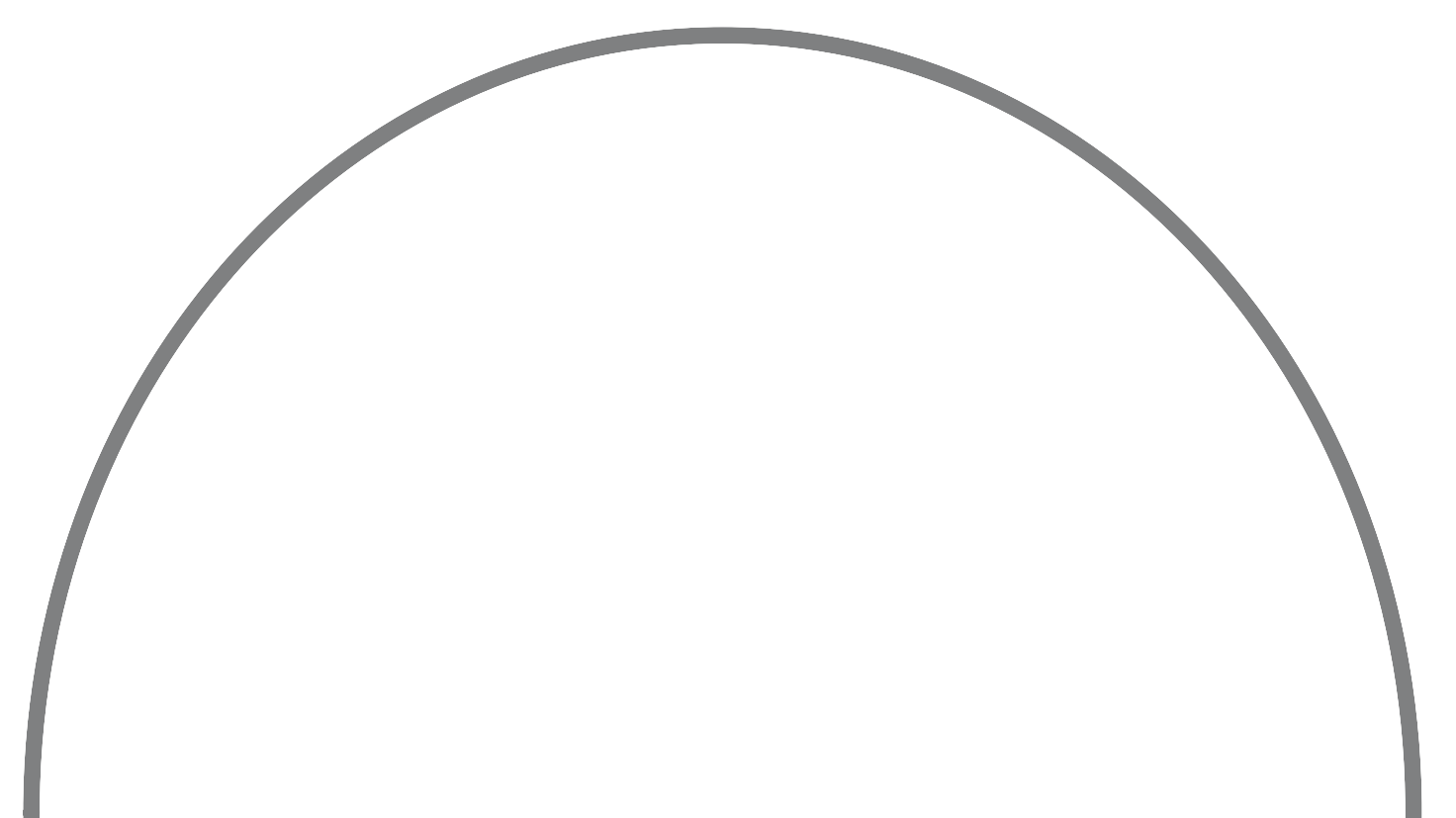
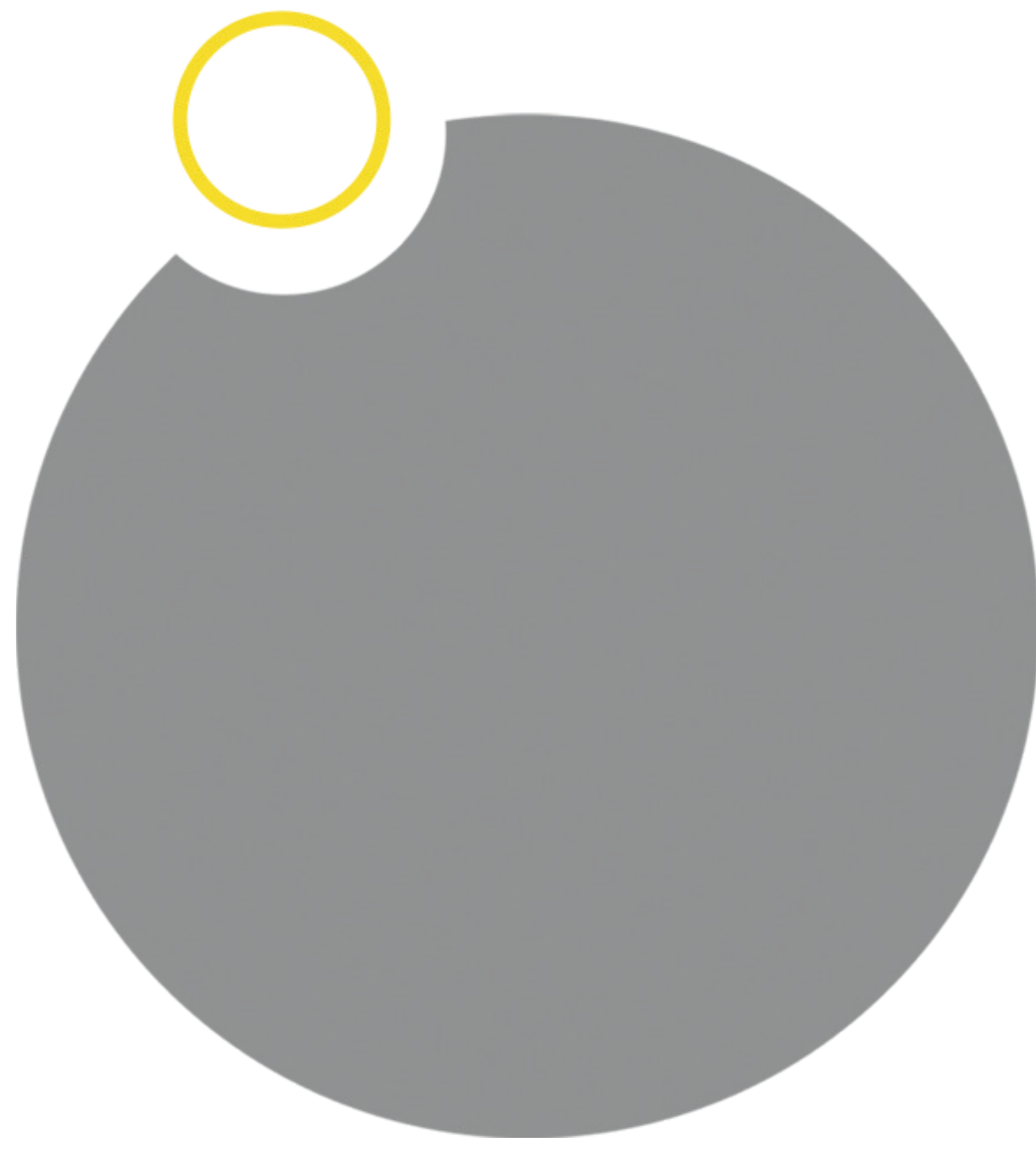
EVERY CHILD IN SCHOOL AND LEARNING WELL

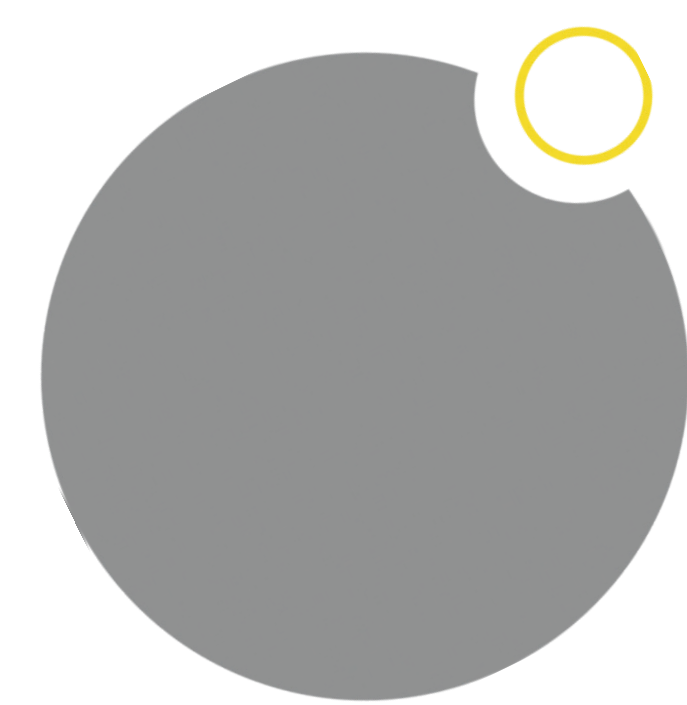


**FINDINGS FROM
SCHOOL-LEVEL
MATHS CONTESTS**

2025–26

**– CHIKKAMAGALURU DISTRICT –
KARNATAKA**





On November 28, 2025, Akshara Foundation facilitated maths contests for children in grades 4 to 6 across

216 schools

in Chikkamagaluru District of Karnataka.

The initiative engaged around

8,108 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

8,108 children participated in the Contests.

No	Blocks	No of Clusters	No of Schools	Grade 4	Grade 5	Grade 6
1	Biruru	14	28	303	366	413
2	Chikkamagaluru	14	39	456	487	475
3	Kadur	15	44	391	437	478
4	Koppa	11	23	263	357	381
5	Moodigere	14	31	342	383	423
6	Narasimharajapura	7	14	164	223	252
7	Sringeri	5	8	94	107	104
8	Tarikere	14	29	363	434	412
	Total	94	216	2,376	2,794	2,938

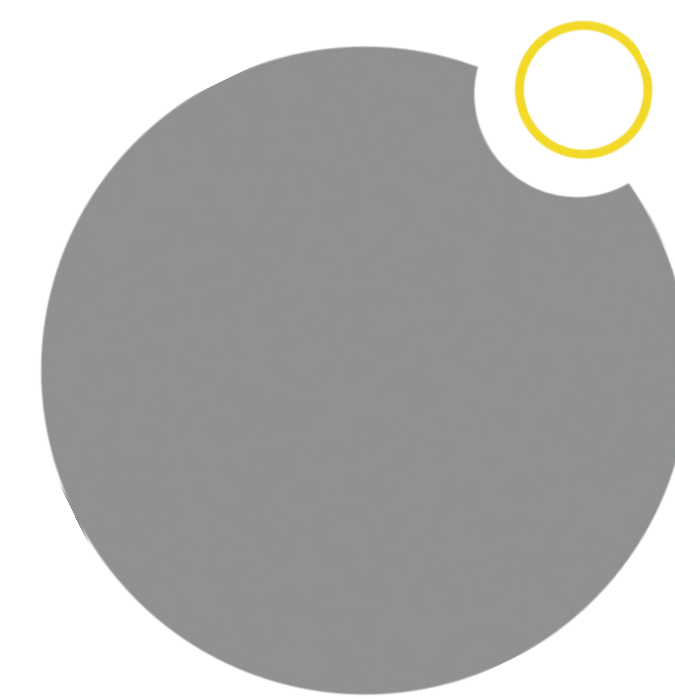
Pro Bono Service

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.

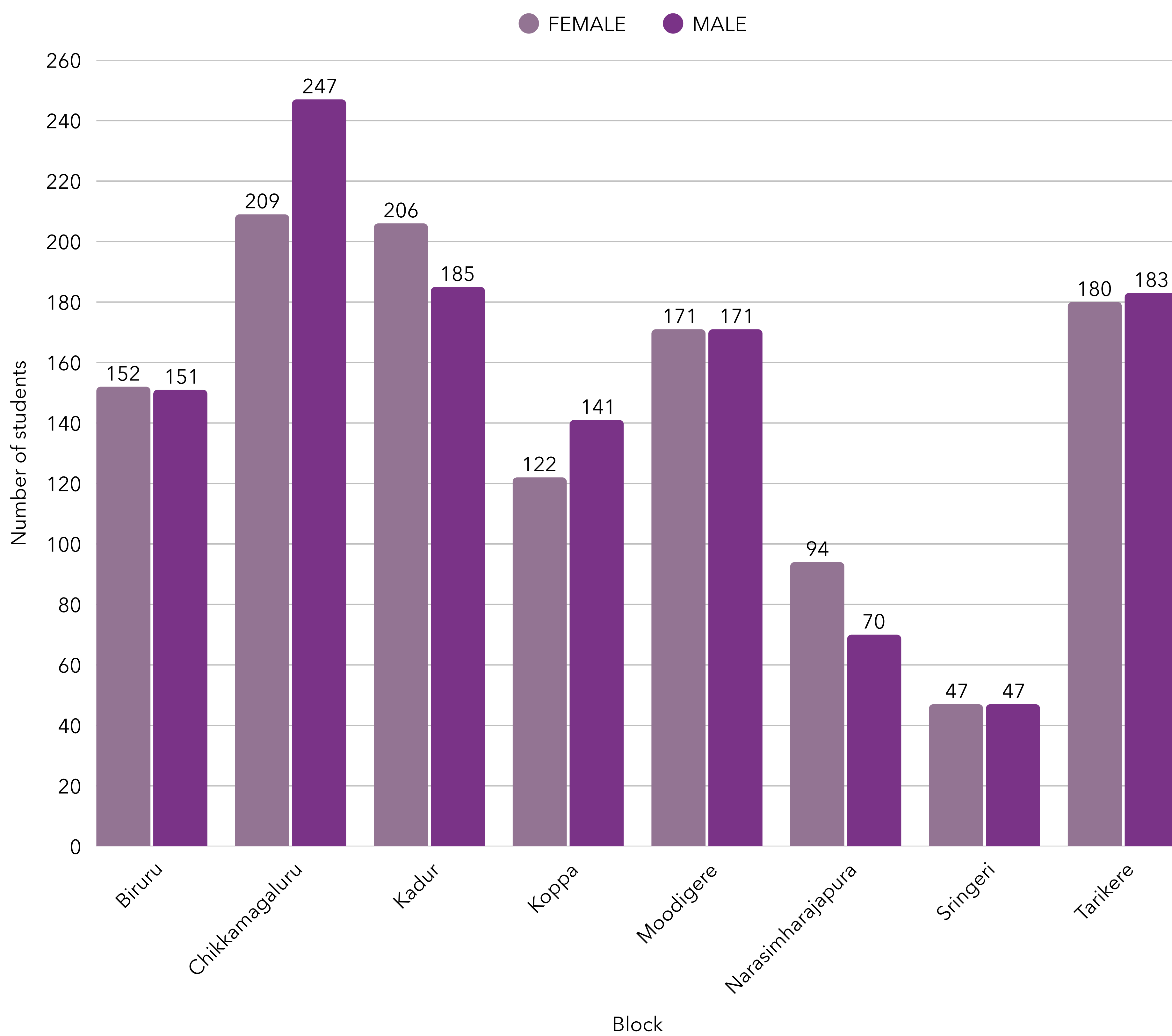
Participation

216 schools enthusiastically engaged in organising and conducting the contests.

Grade 4

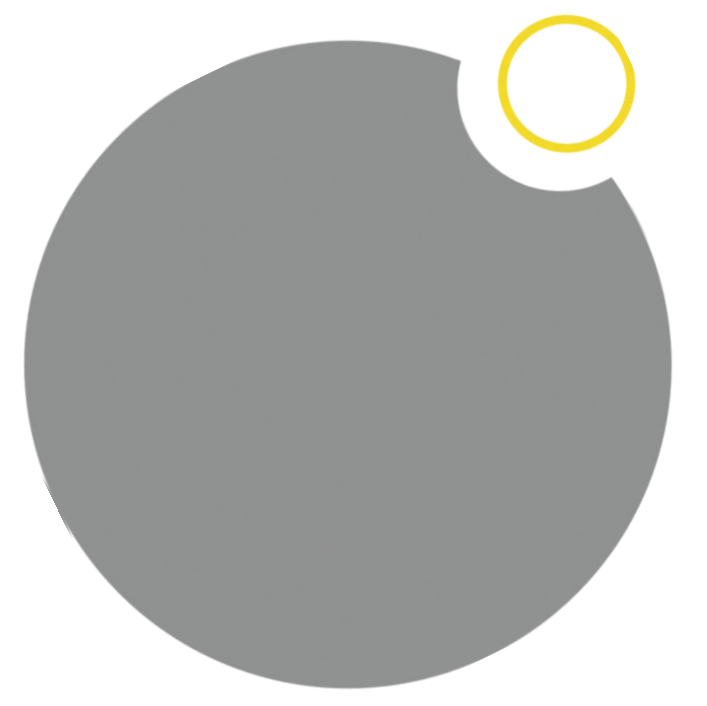


Participation by GENDER

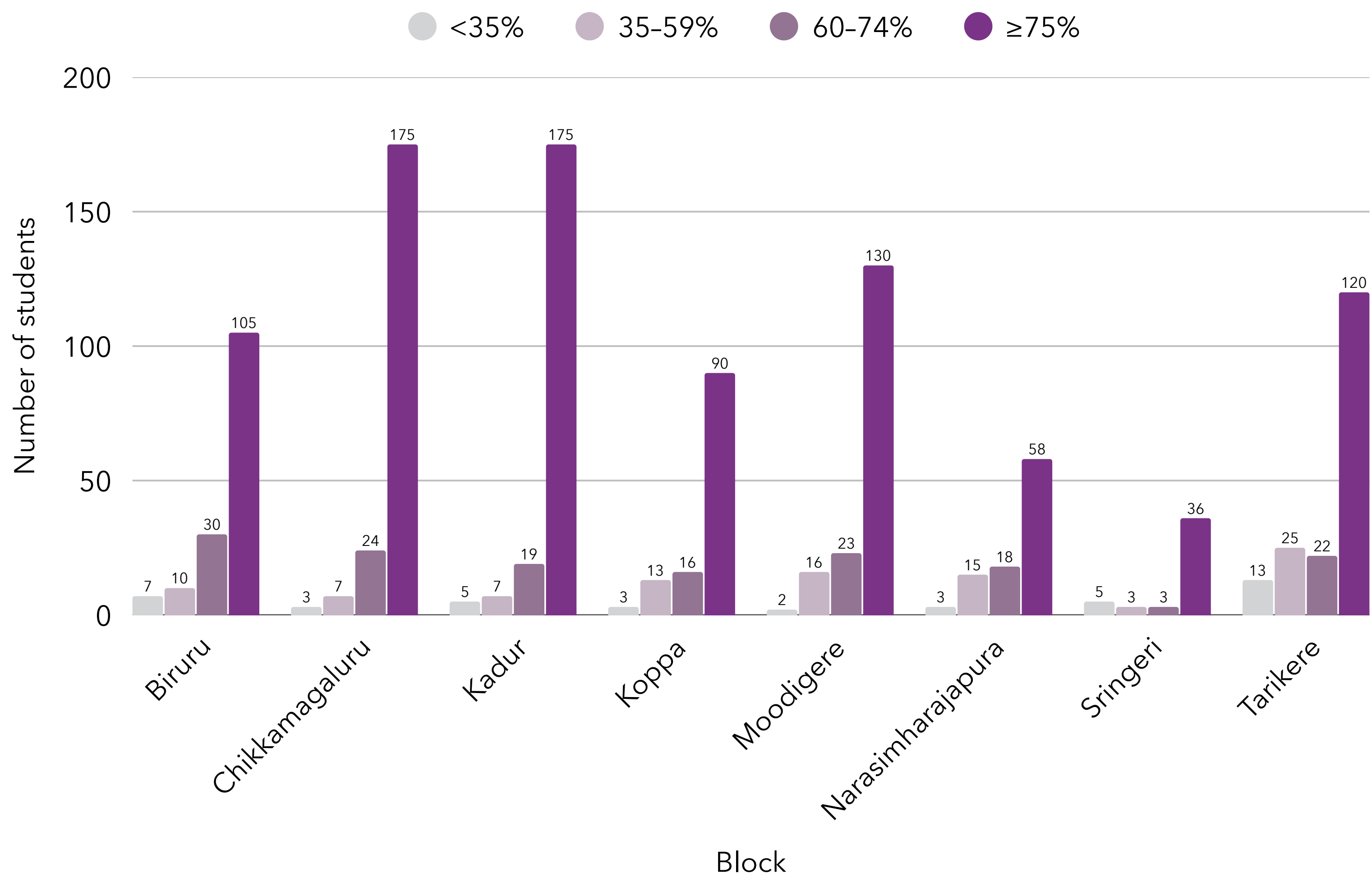


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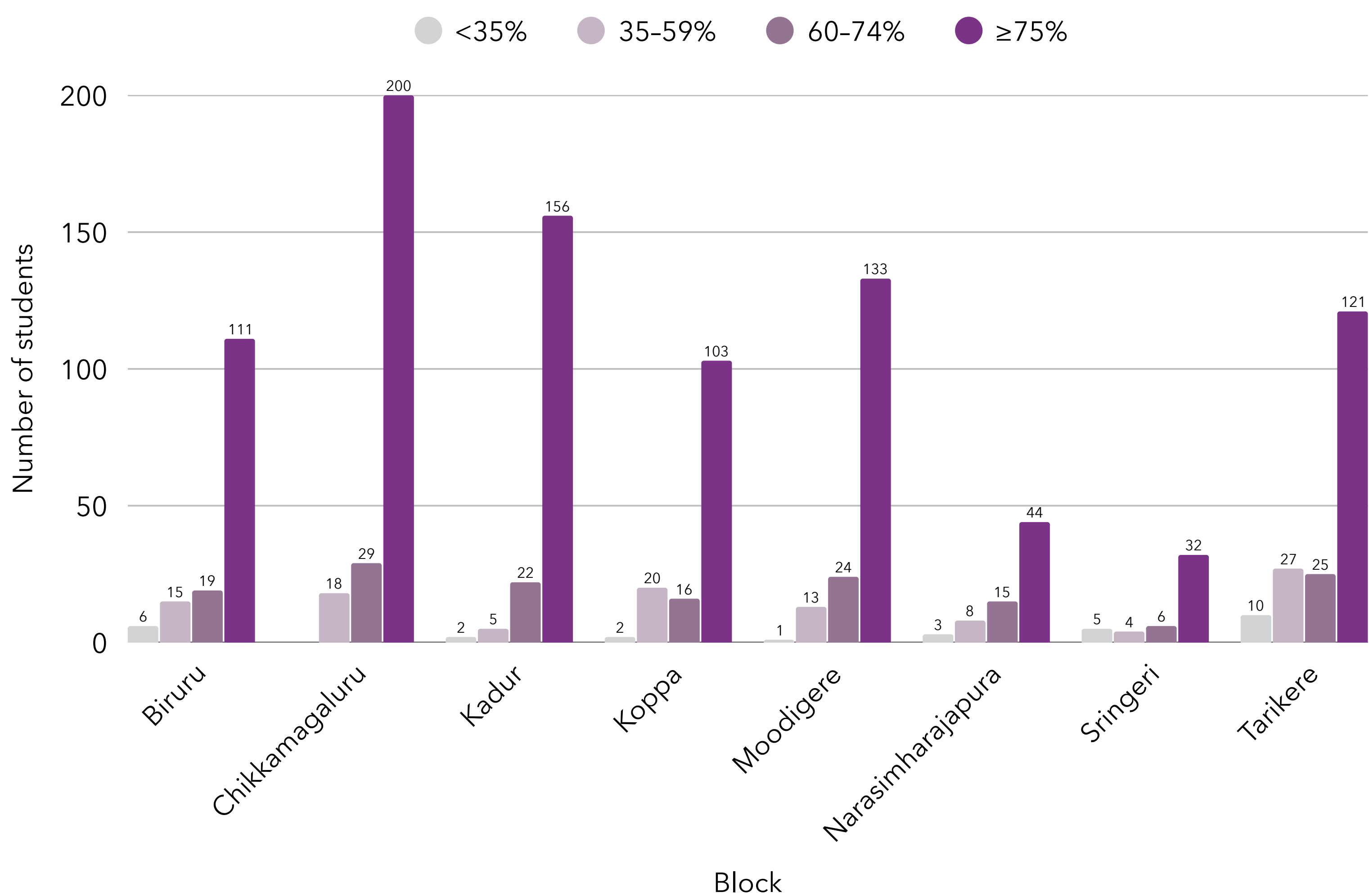
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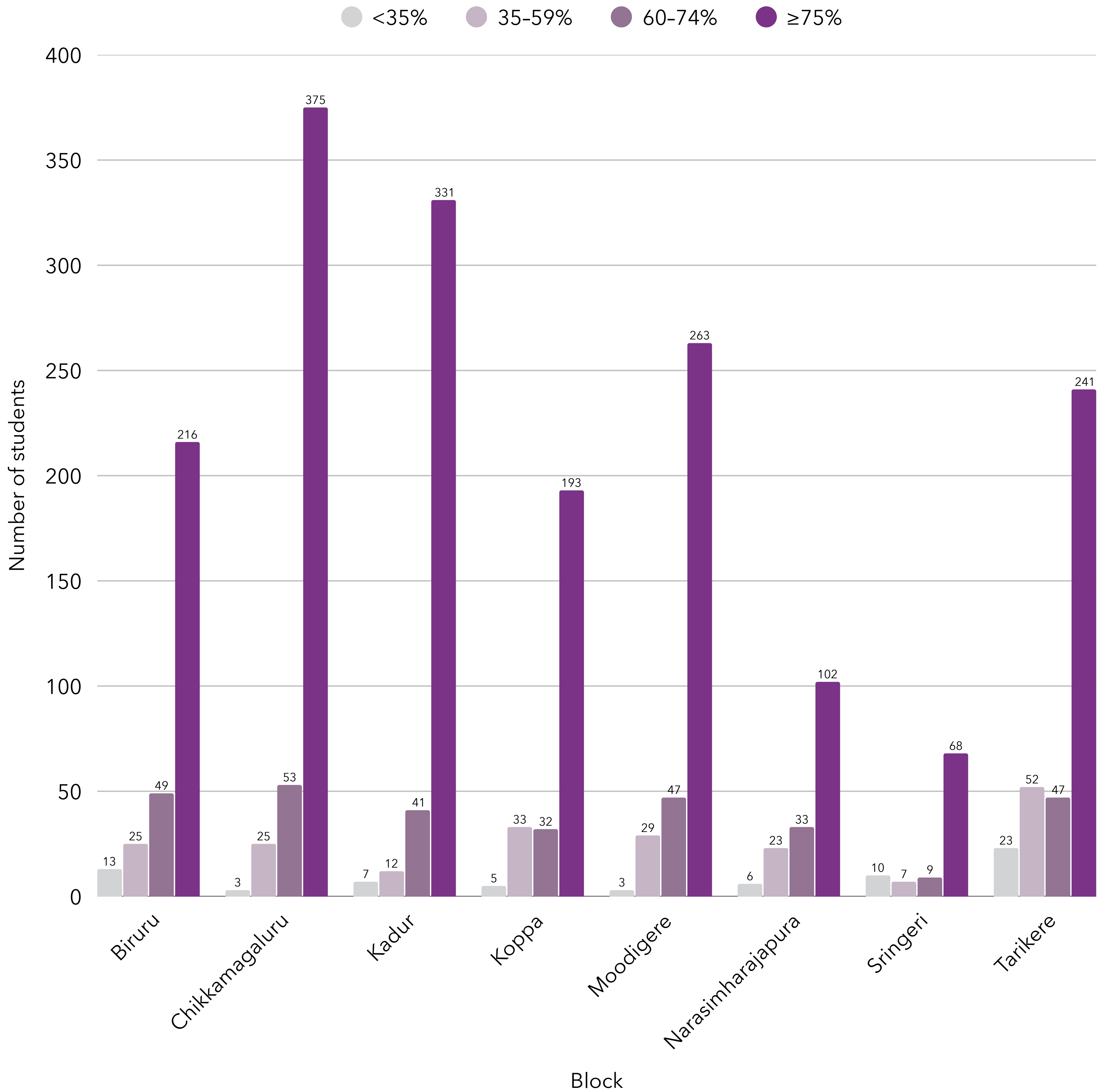
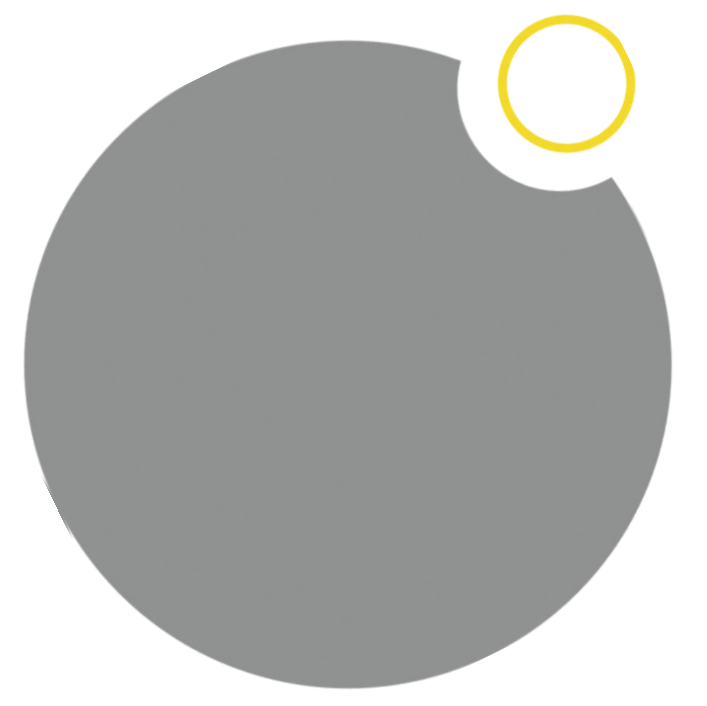


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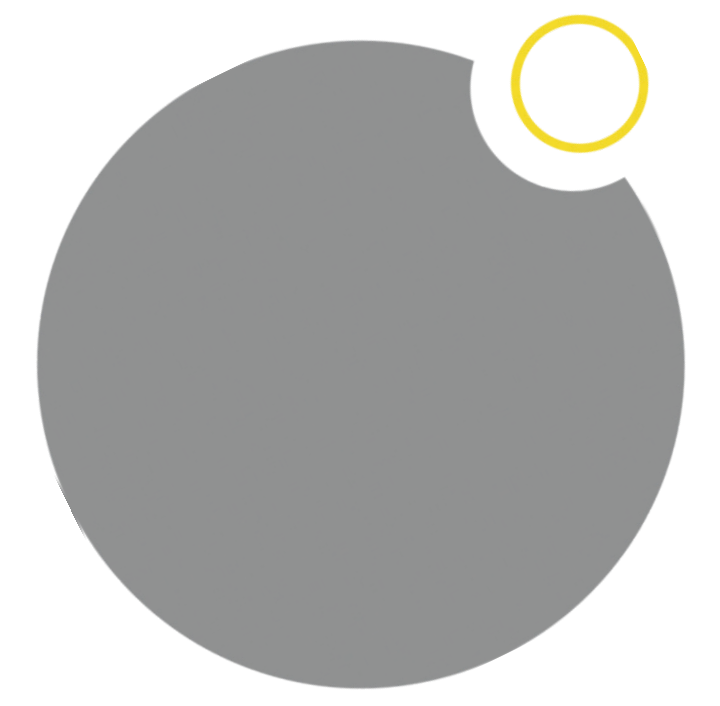


Grade 4

PERFORMANCE BY BLOCK



- **≥ 75%** : children who have answered ≥ 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 ≤ 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%
Biruru	13	290	95.71
Chikkamagaluru	3	453	99.34
Kadur	7	384	98.21
Koppa	5	258	98.1
Moodigere	3	339	99.12
Narasimharajapura	6	158	96.34
Sringeri	10	84	89.36
Tarikere	23	340	93.66

The

TOP PERFORMING

blocks

- Chikkamagaluru
- Moodigere
- Kadur

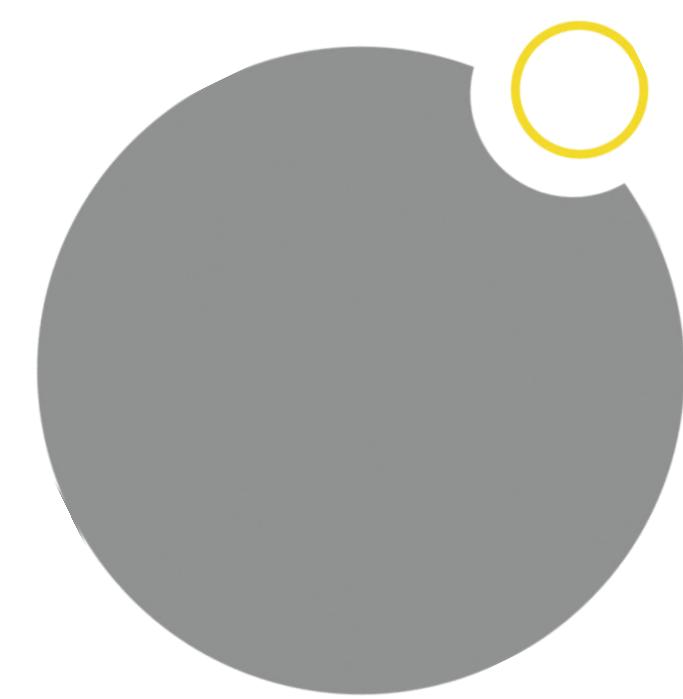
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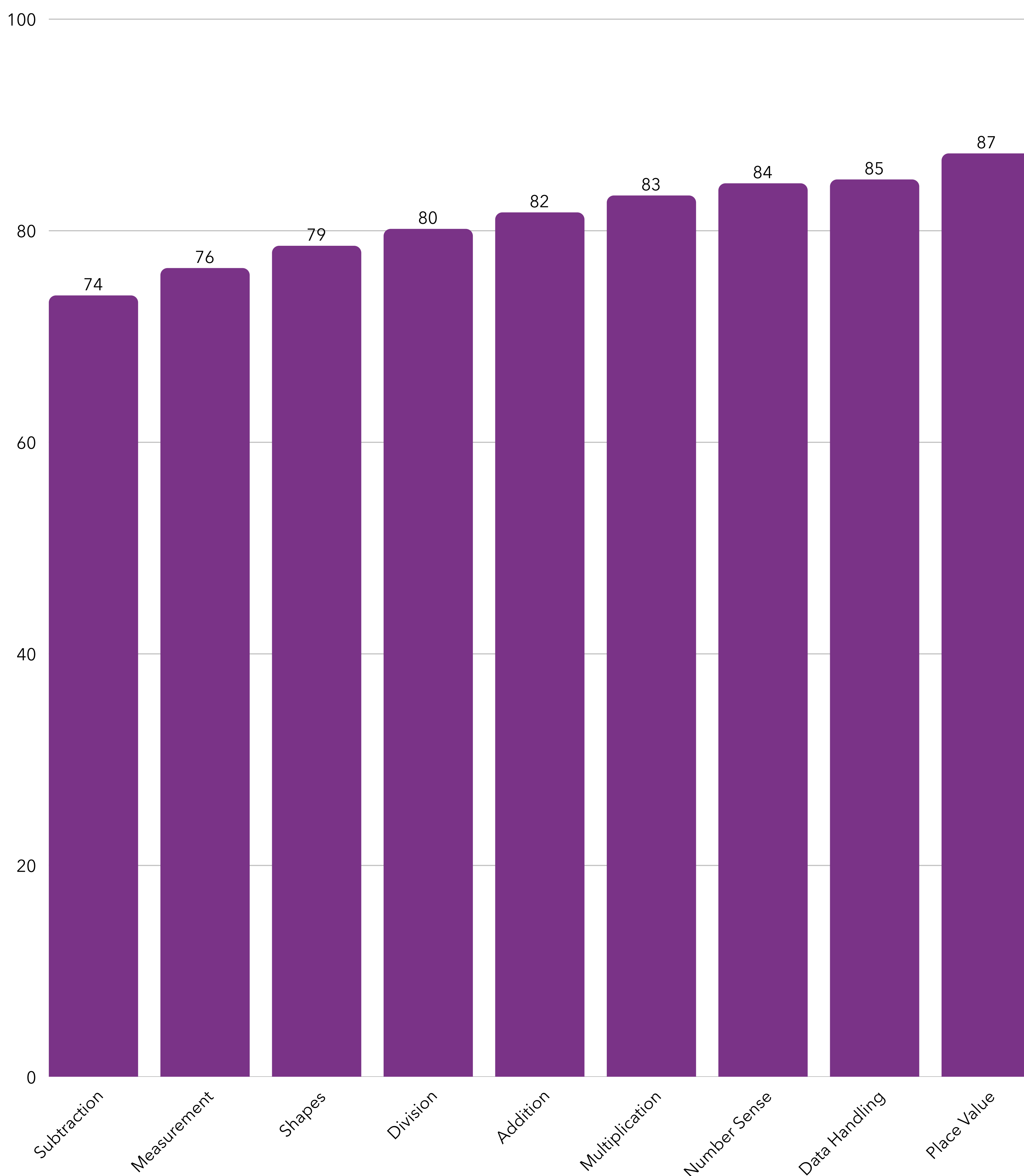
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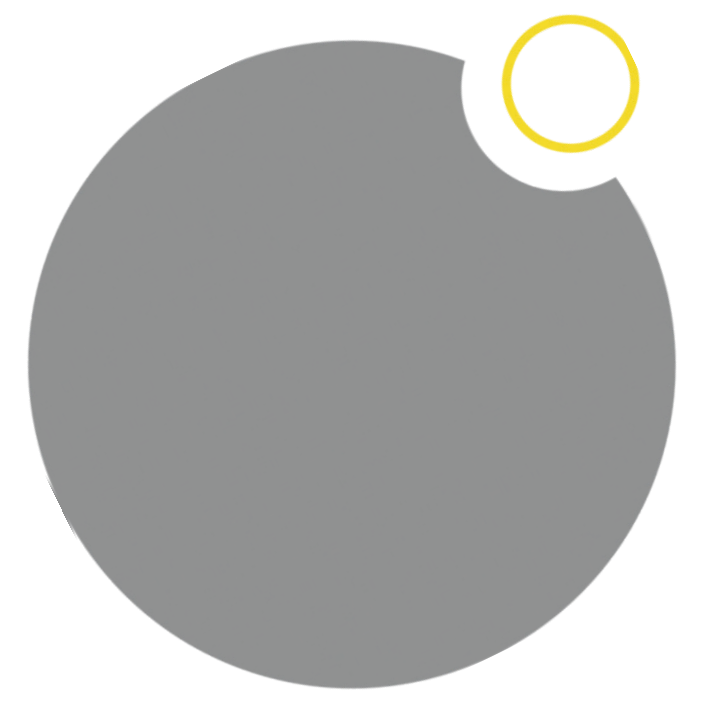
- Sringeri
- Tarikere
- Biruru

Grade 4



Percentage of children who could correctly solve these competencies





The

EASIEST

competencies

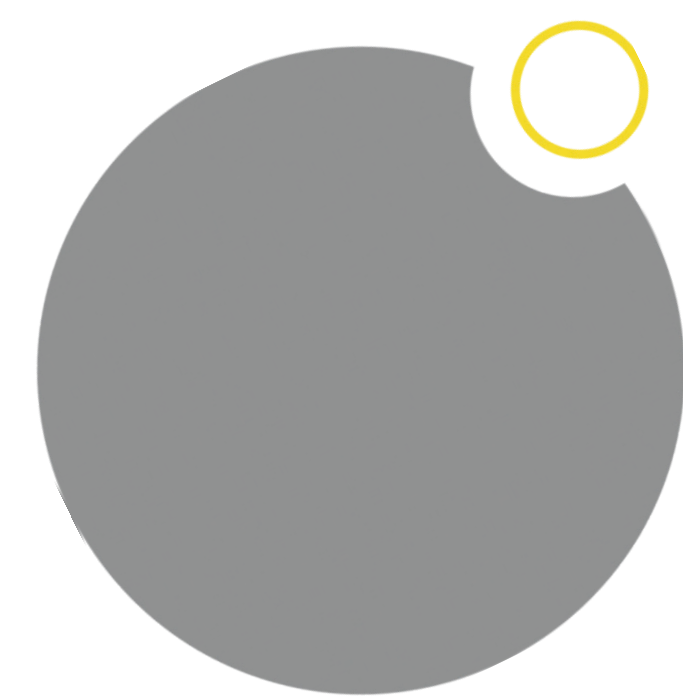
- Place Value
- Data Handling
- Number Sense

The

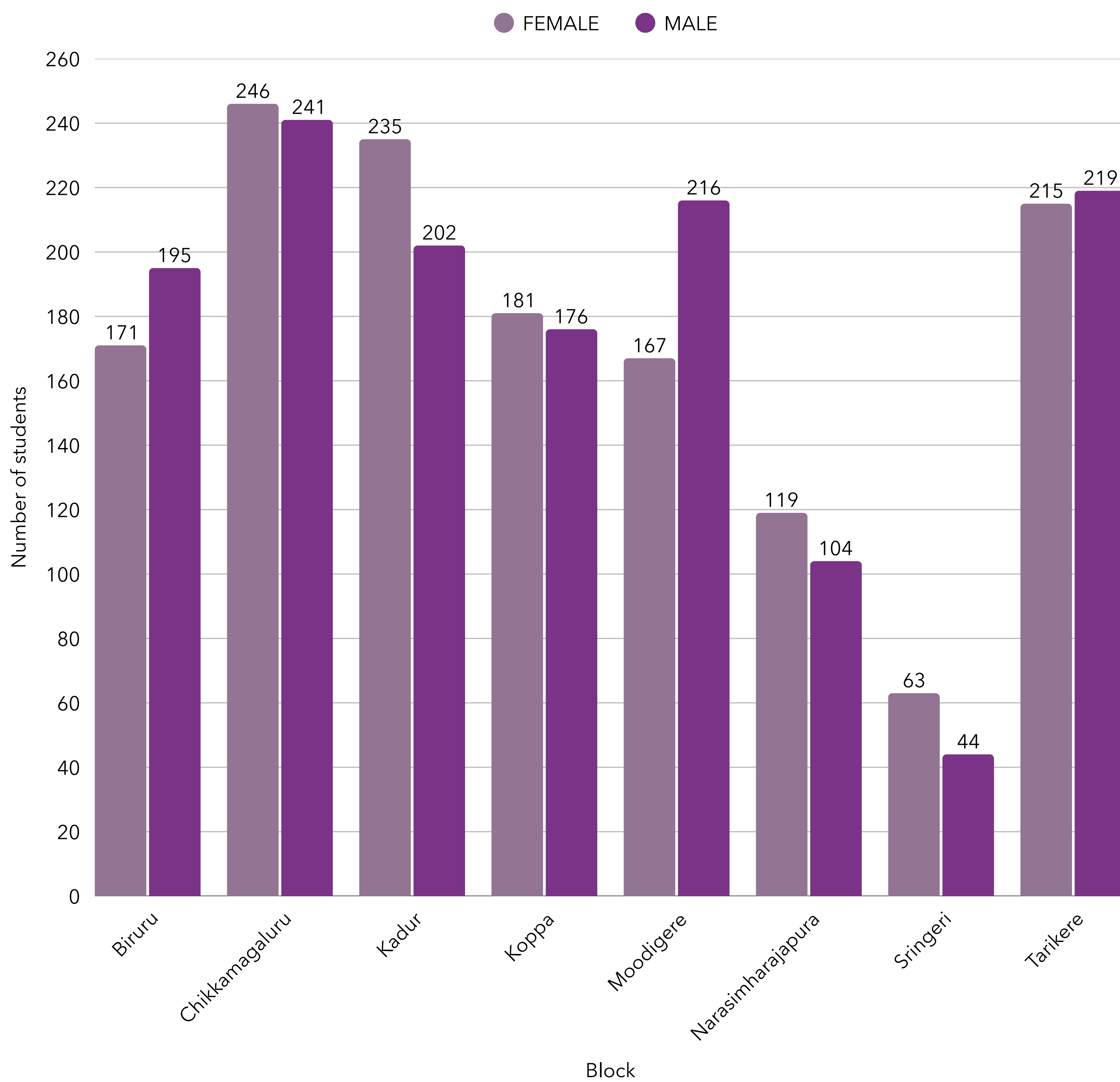
TOUGHER

competencies

- Subtraction ●
- Measurement ●
- Shapes ●

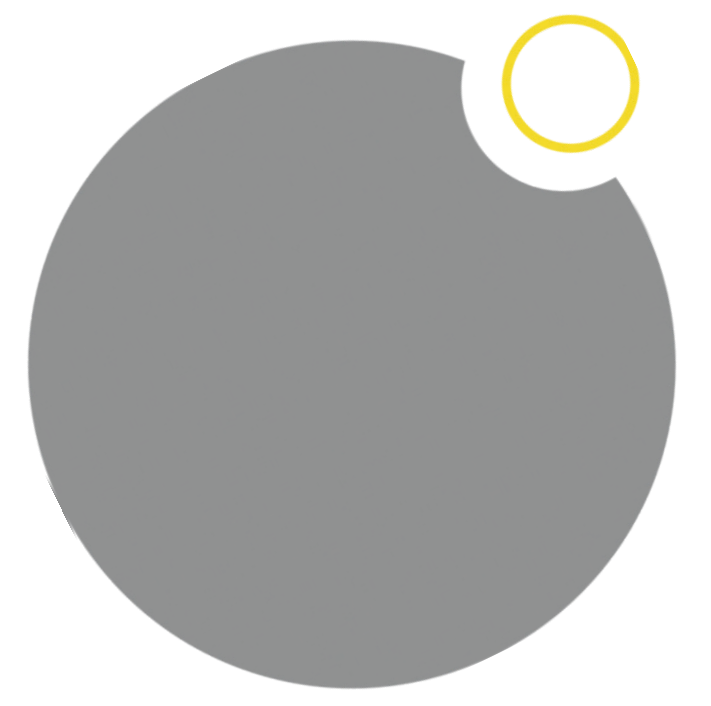


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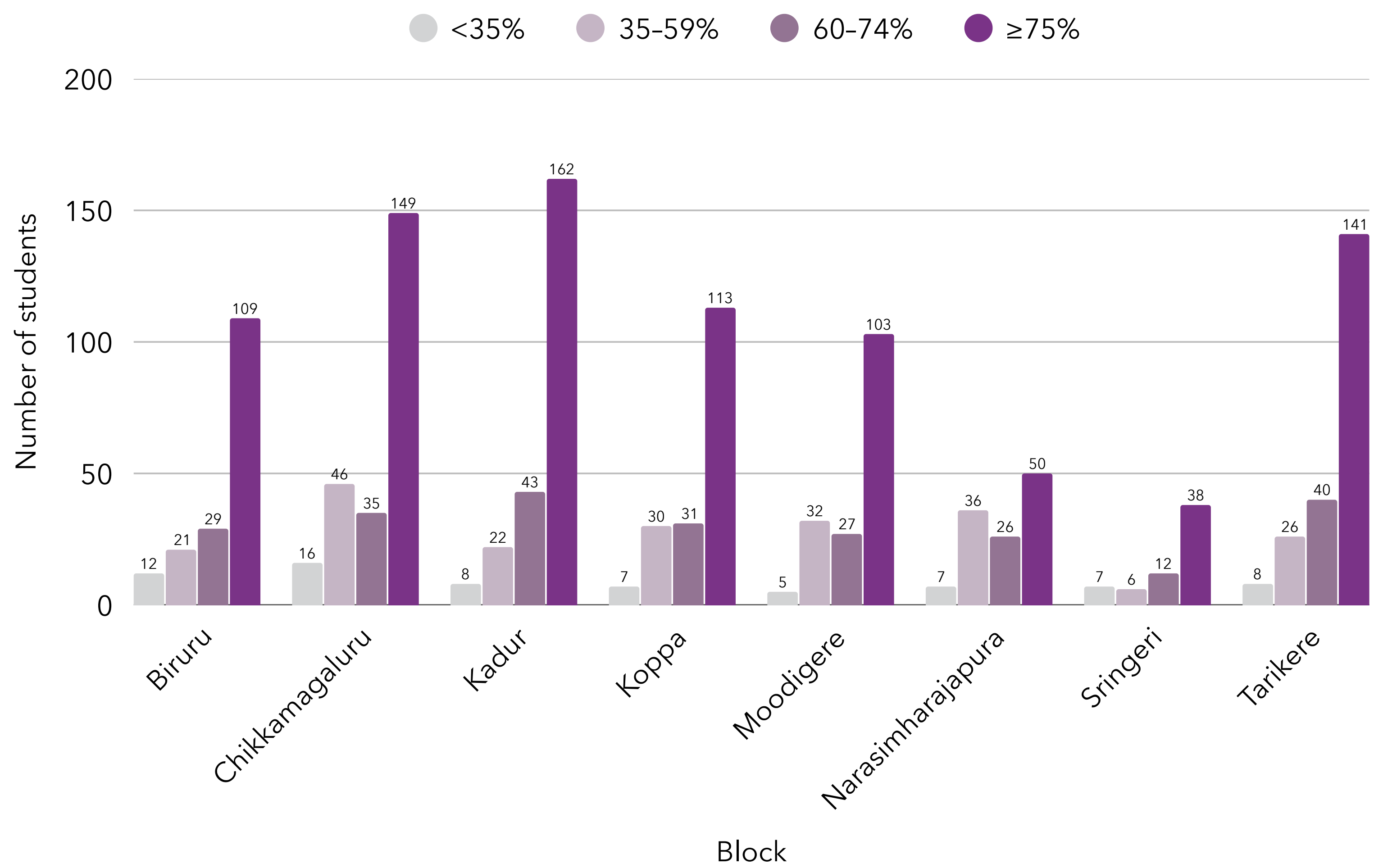


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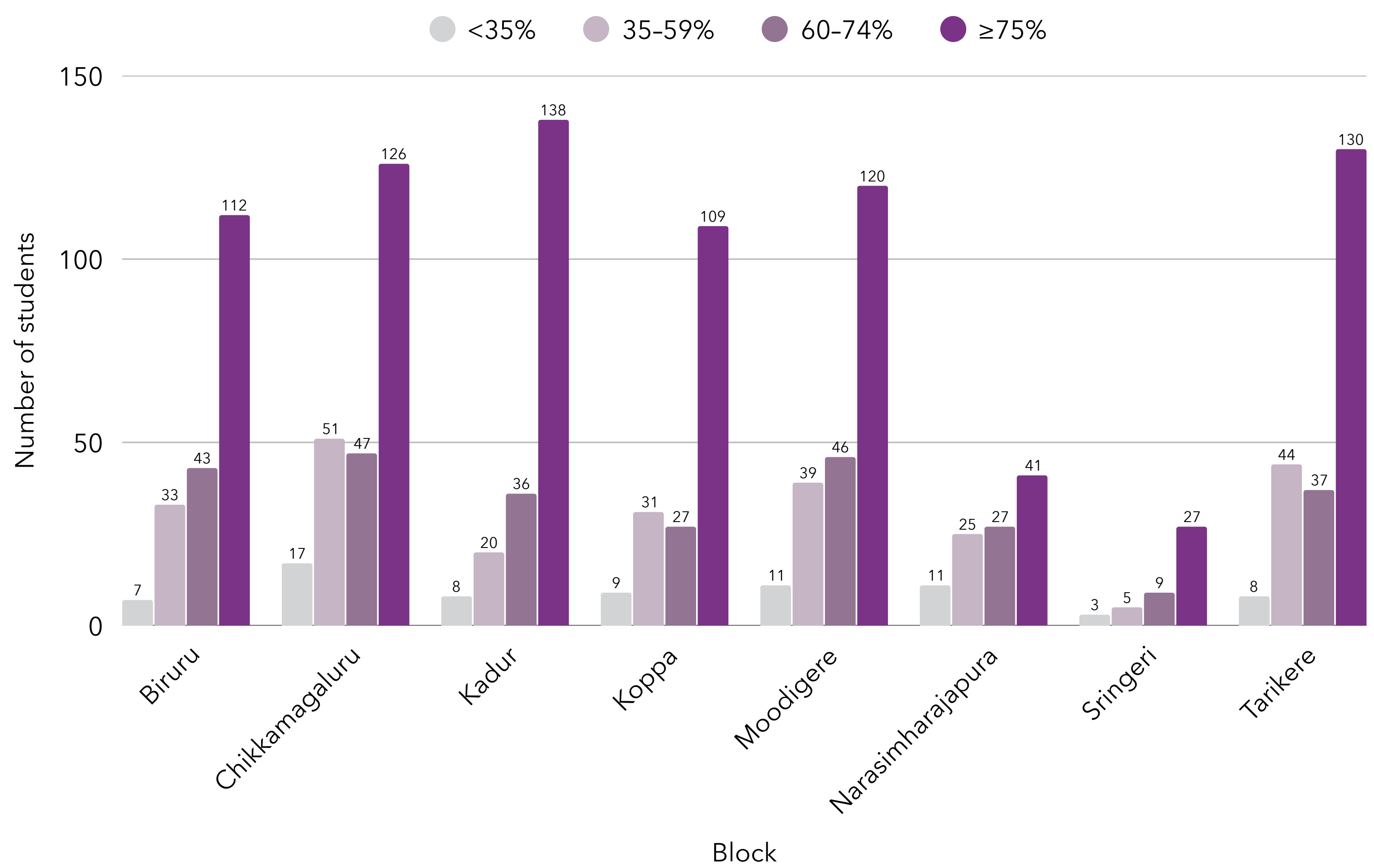
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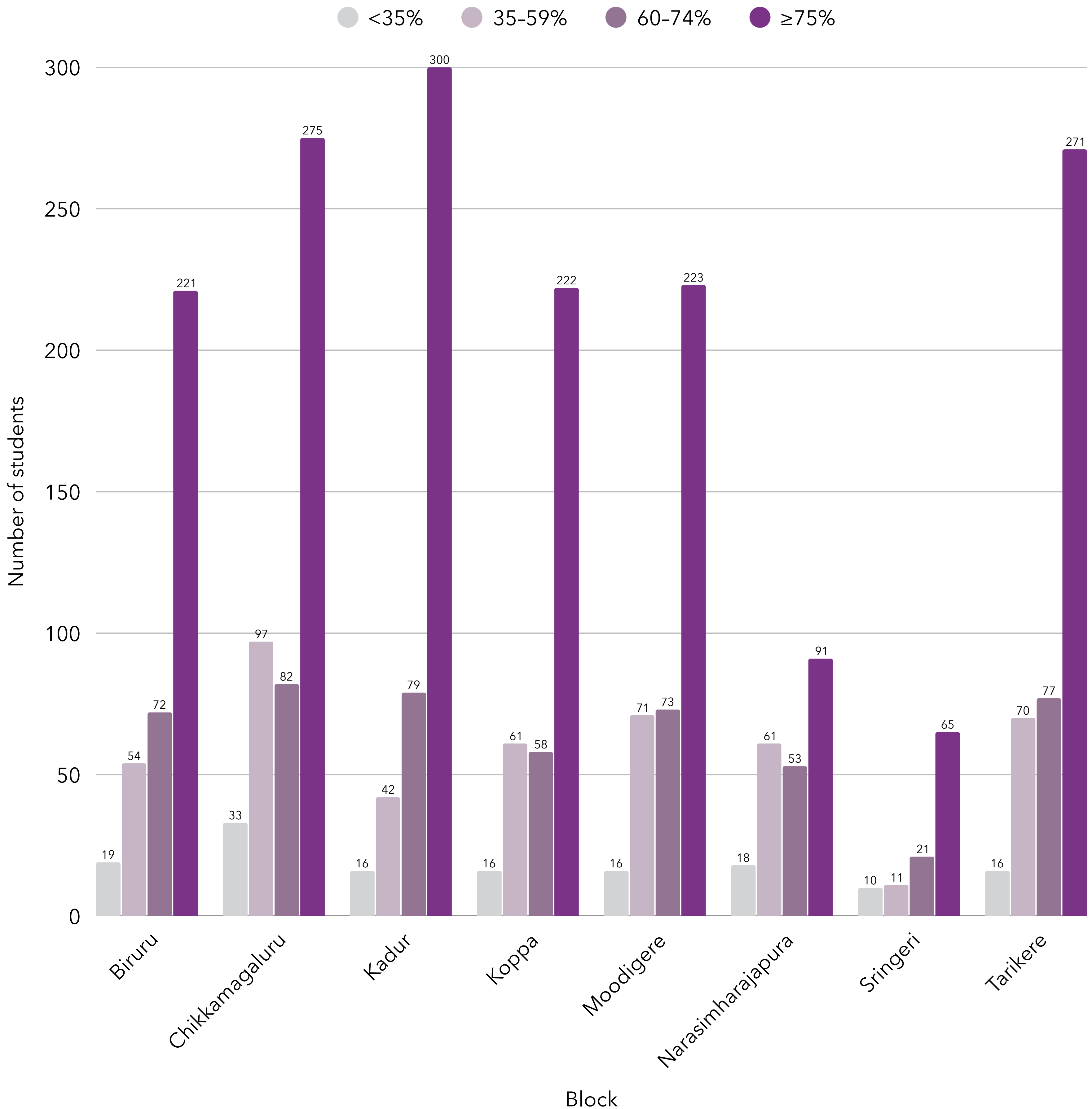
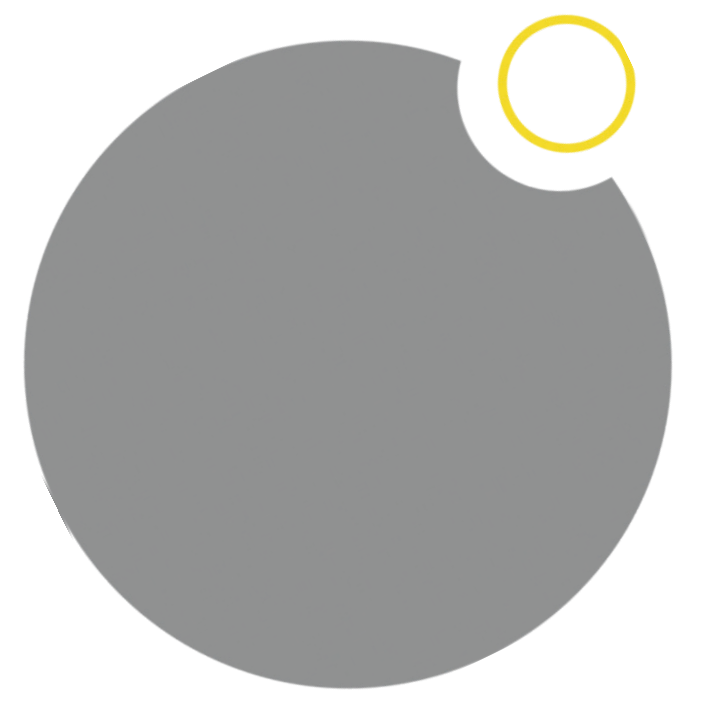


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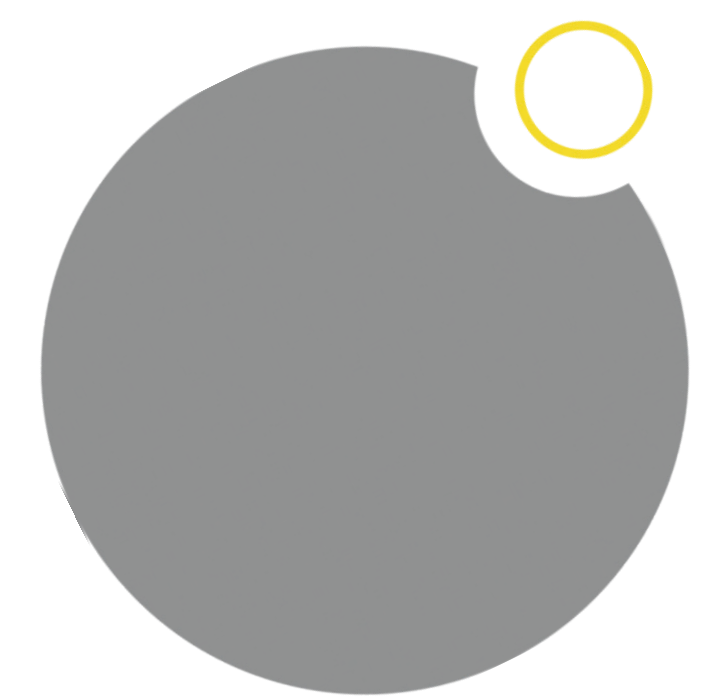


Grade 5

PERFORMANCE BY BLOCK



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Block	Number of students who scored < 35%	Number of students who scored ≥ 35%	Percentage of students who scored ≥ 35%
Biruru	19	347	94.81
Chikkamagaluru	33	454	93.22
Kadur	16	421	96.34
Koppa	16	341	95.52
Moodigere	16	367	95.82
Narasimharajapura	18	205	91.93
Sringeri	10	97	90.65
Tarikere	16	418	96.31

The

TOP PERFORMING




blocks

-  Kadur
-  Tarikere
-  Moodigere

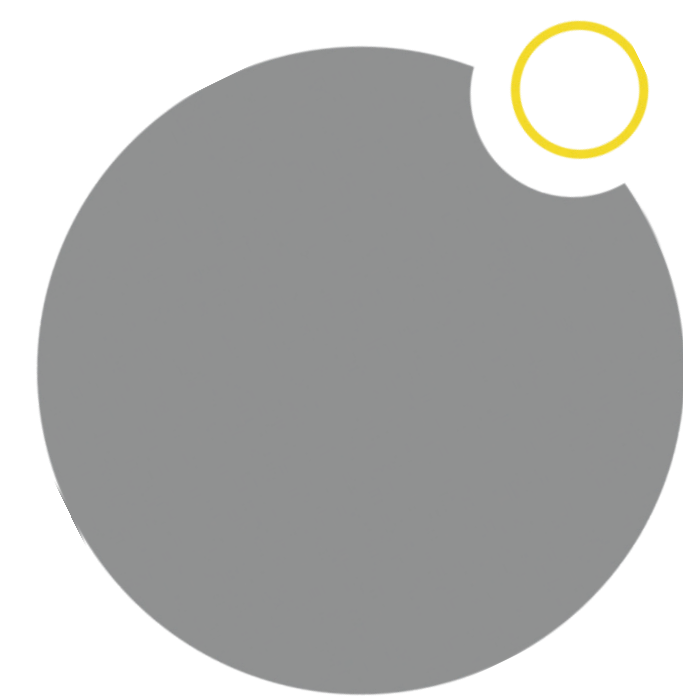
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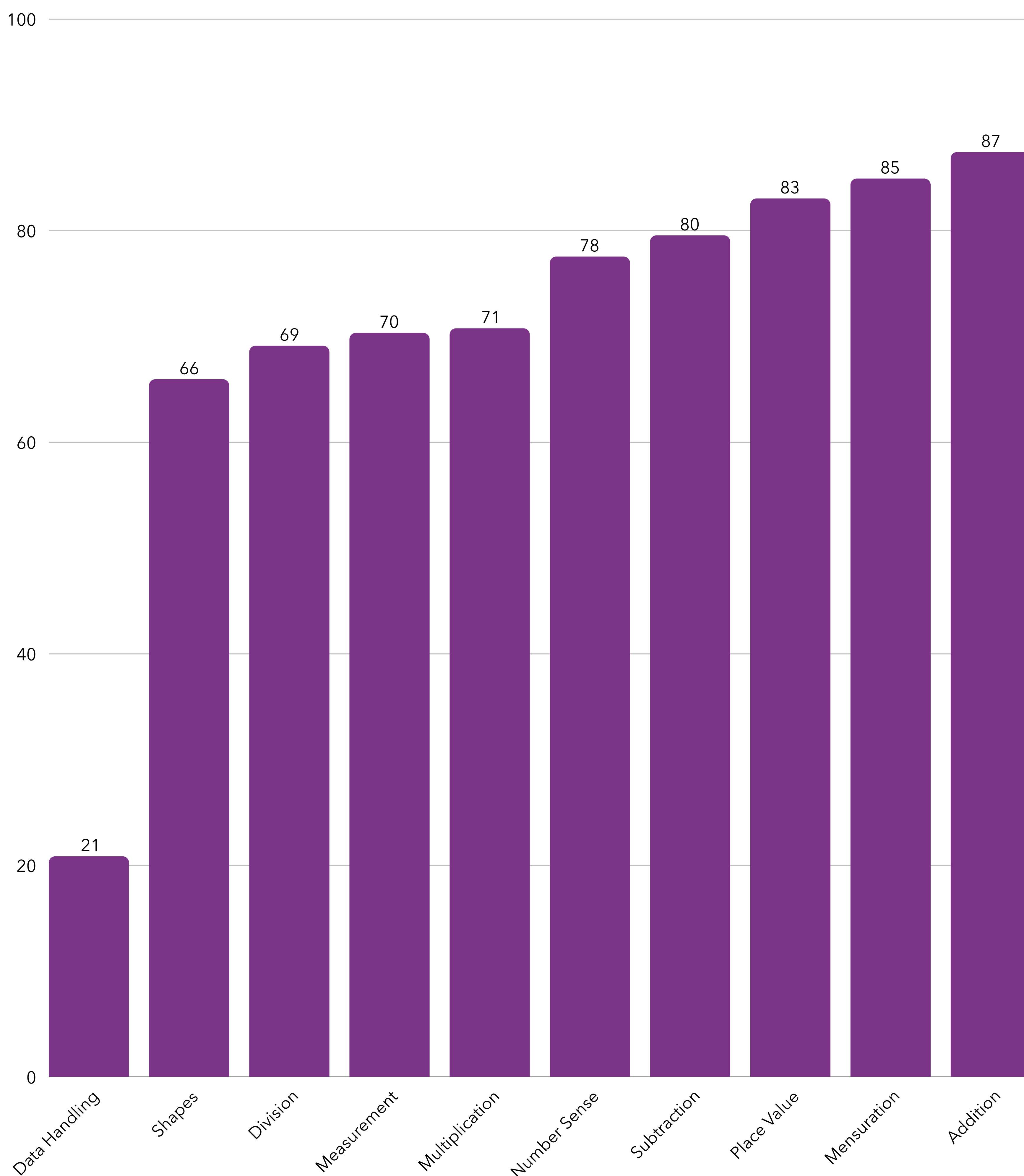
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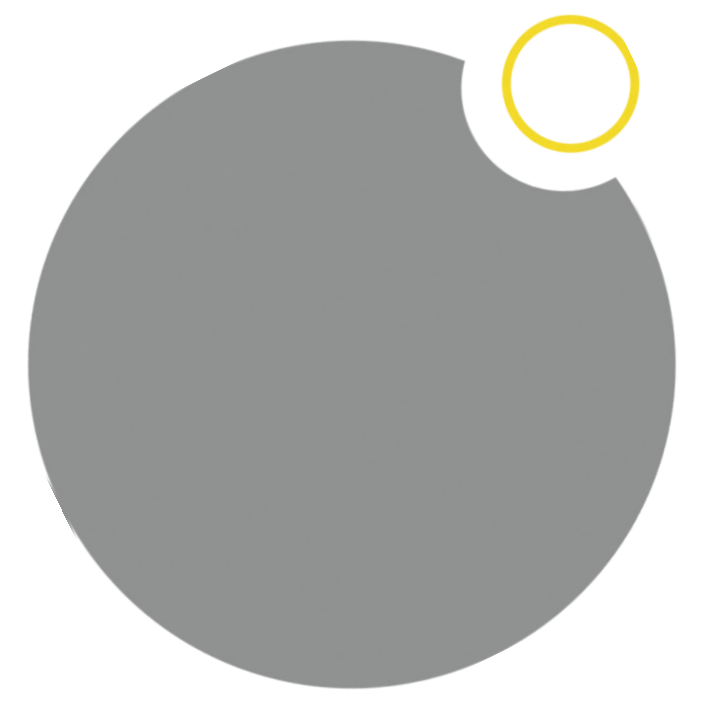
- Sringeri 
- Narasimharajapura 
- Chikkamagaluru 

Grade 5



Percentage of children who could correctly solve these competencies





The

EASIEST

competencies

- Addition
- Mensuration
- Place Value

The

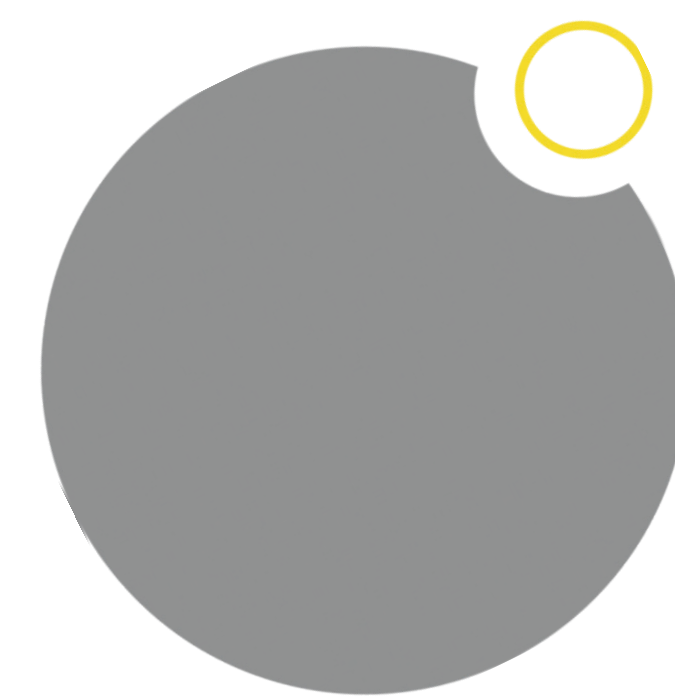
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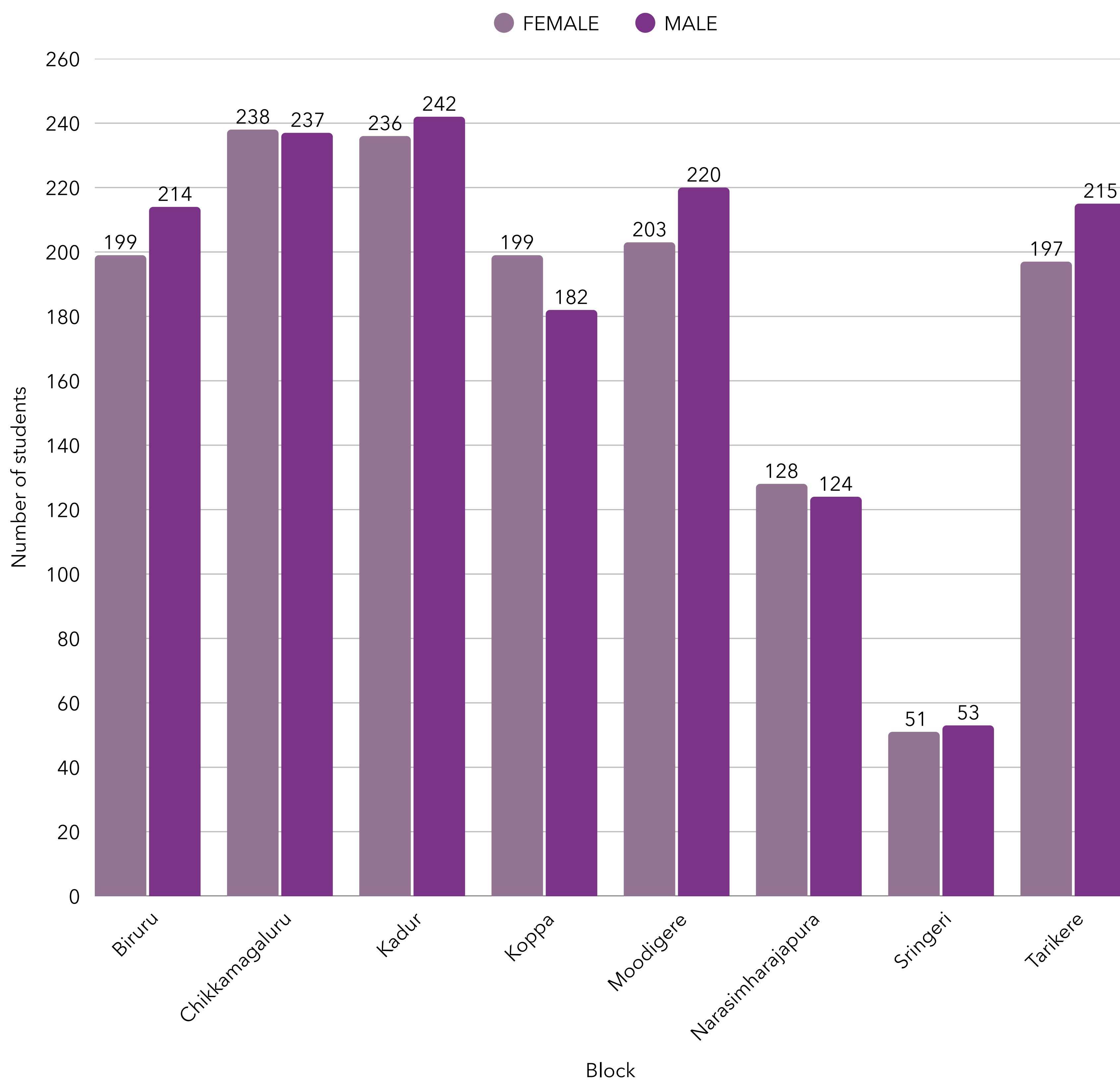
Data Handling ●

Shapes ●

Division ●

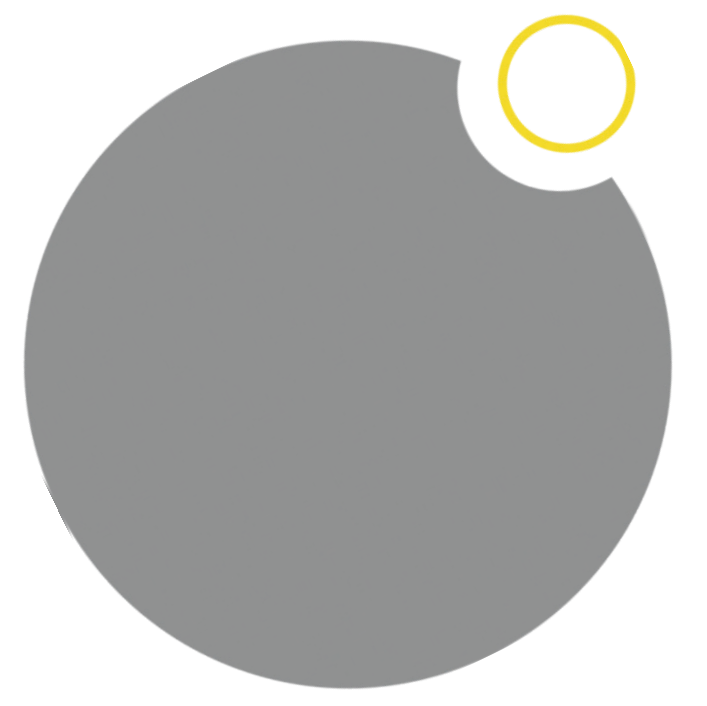


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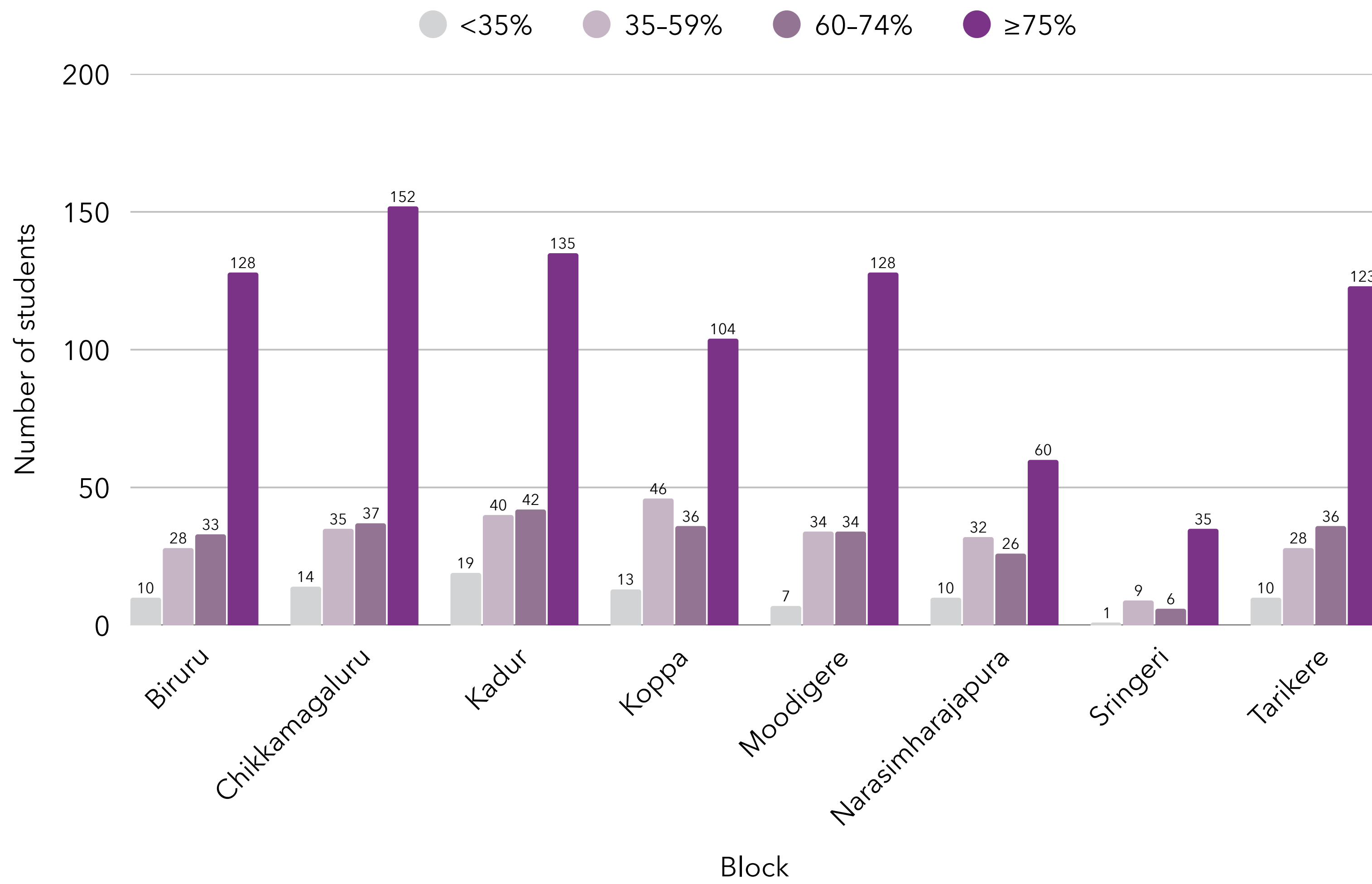


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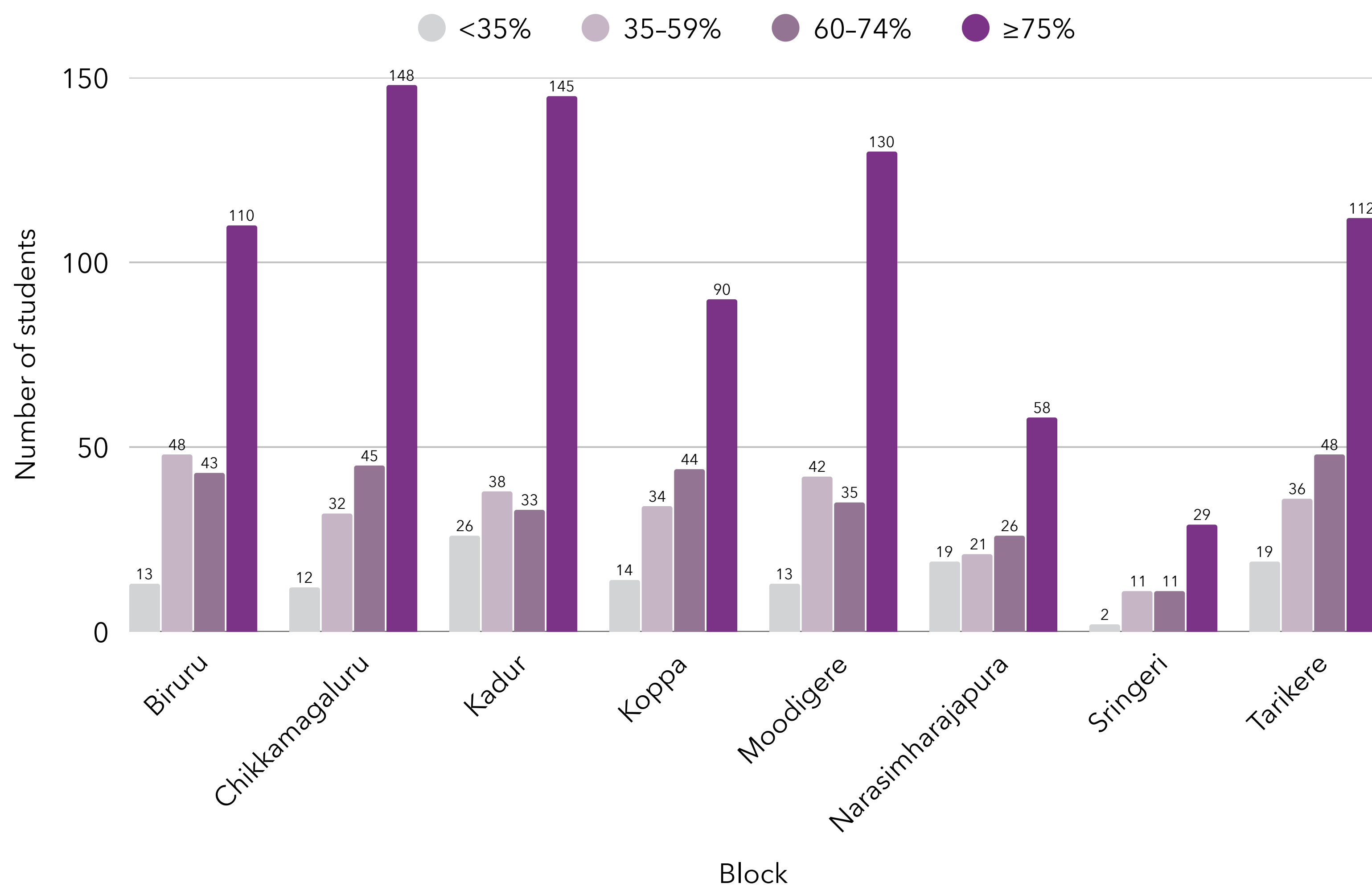
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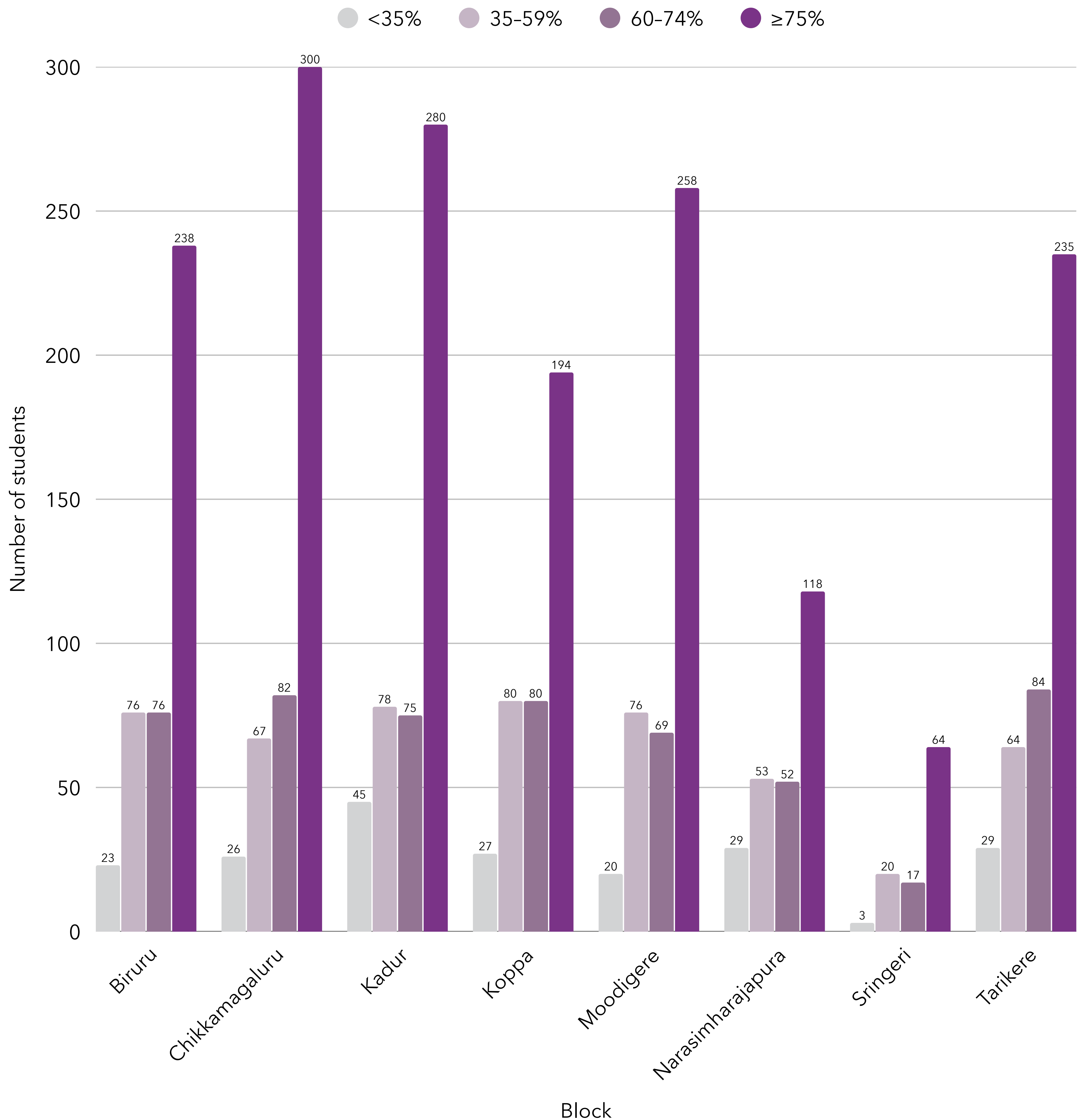
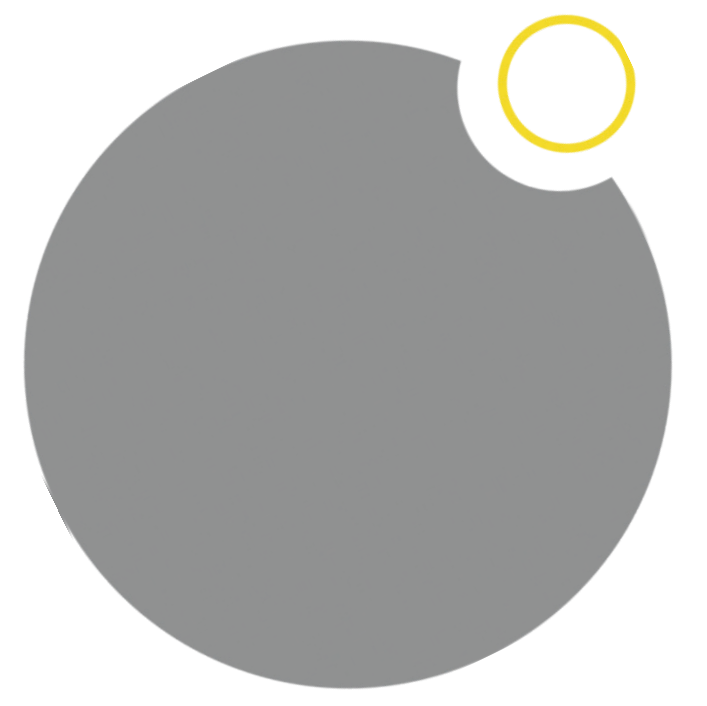


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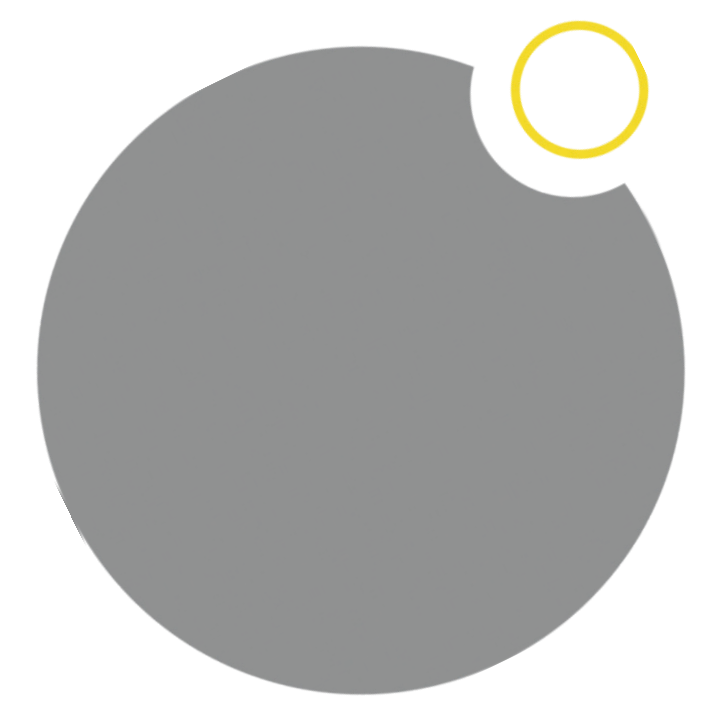


Grade 6

PERFORMANCE BY BLOCK



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Biruru	23	390	94.43
Chikkamagaluru	26	449	94.53
Kadur	45	433	90.59
Koppa	27	354	92.91
Moodigere	20	403	95.27
Narasimharajapura	29	223	88.49
Sringeri	3	101	97.12
Tarikere	29	383	92.96

The

TOP PERFORMING

blocks

- Sringeri
- Moodigere
- Chikkamagaluru

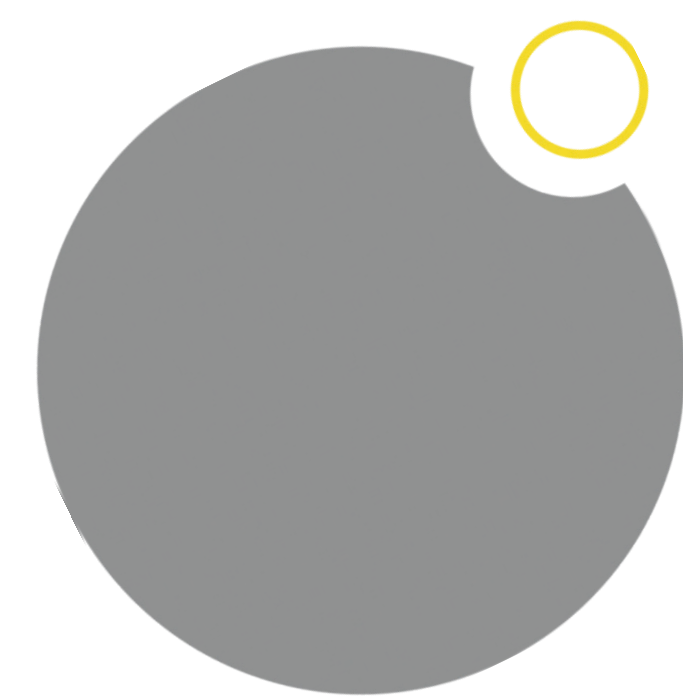
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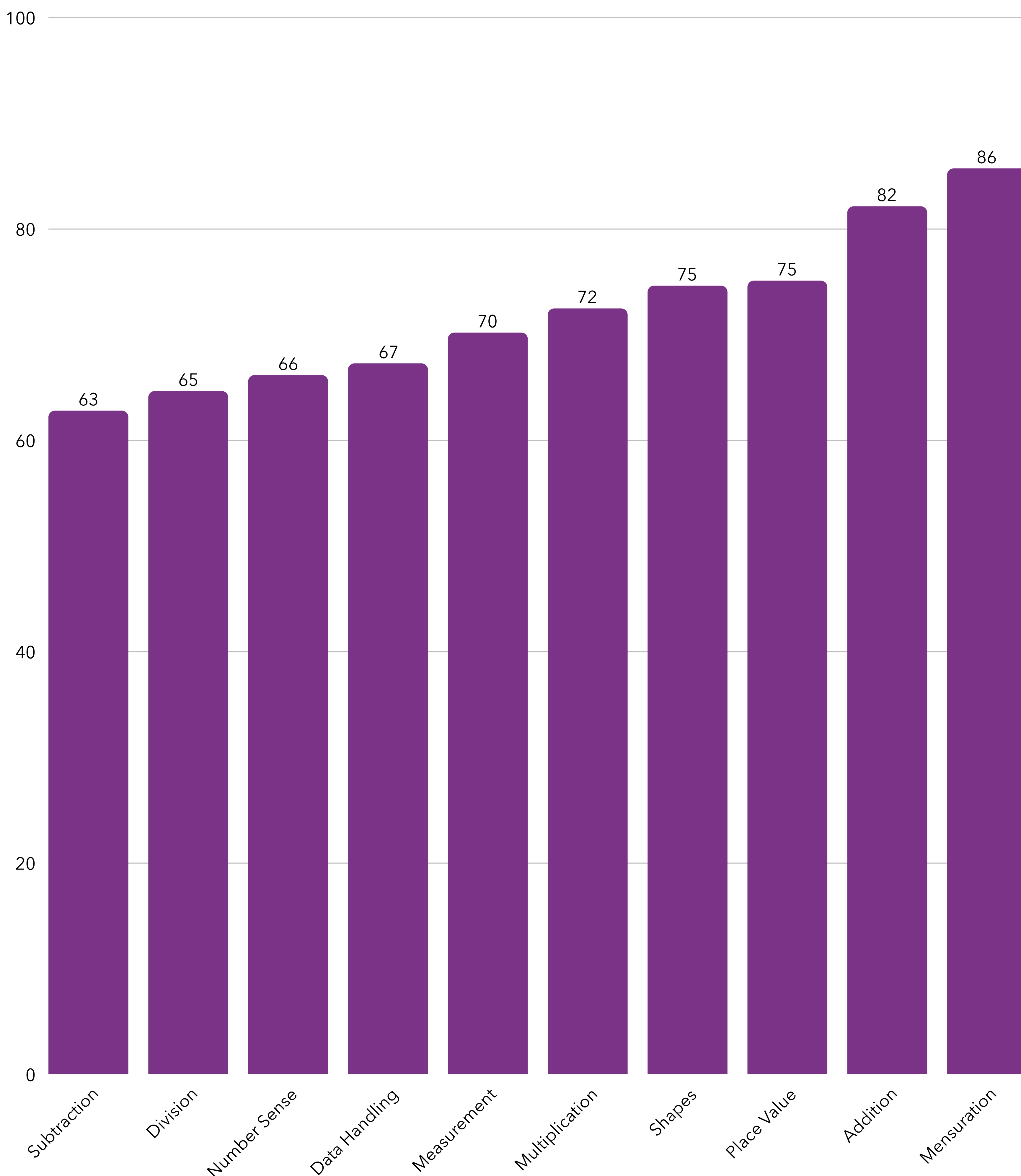
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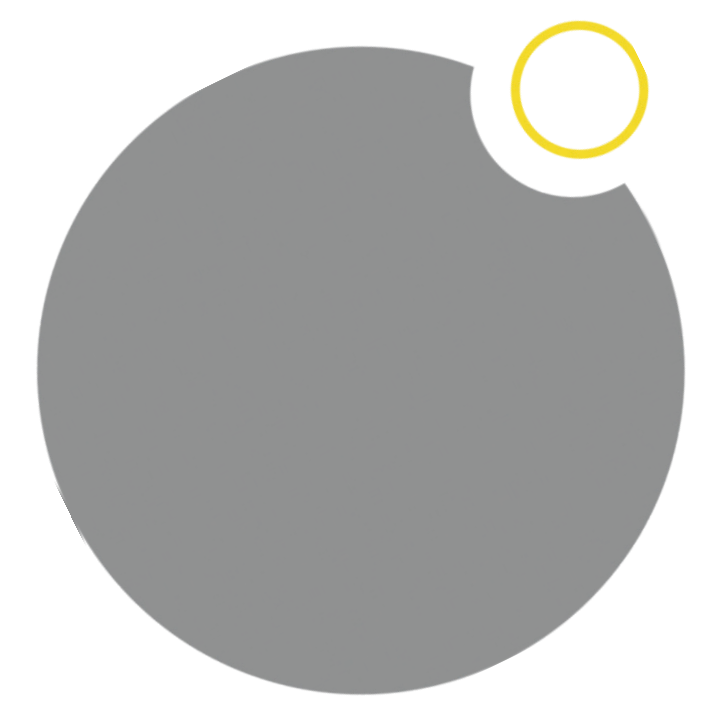
- Narasimharajapura ●
- Kadur ●
- Koppa ●

Grade 6



Percentage of children who could correctly solve these competencies





The

EASIEST

competencies

- Mensuration
- Addition
- Place Value
- Shapes

The

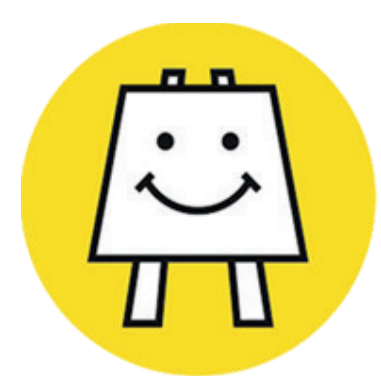
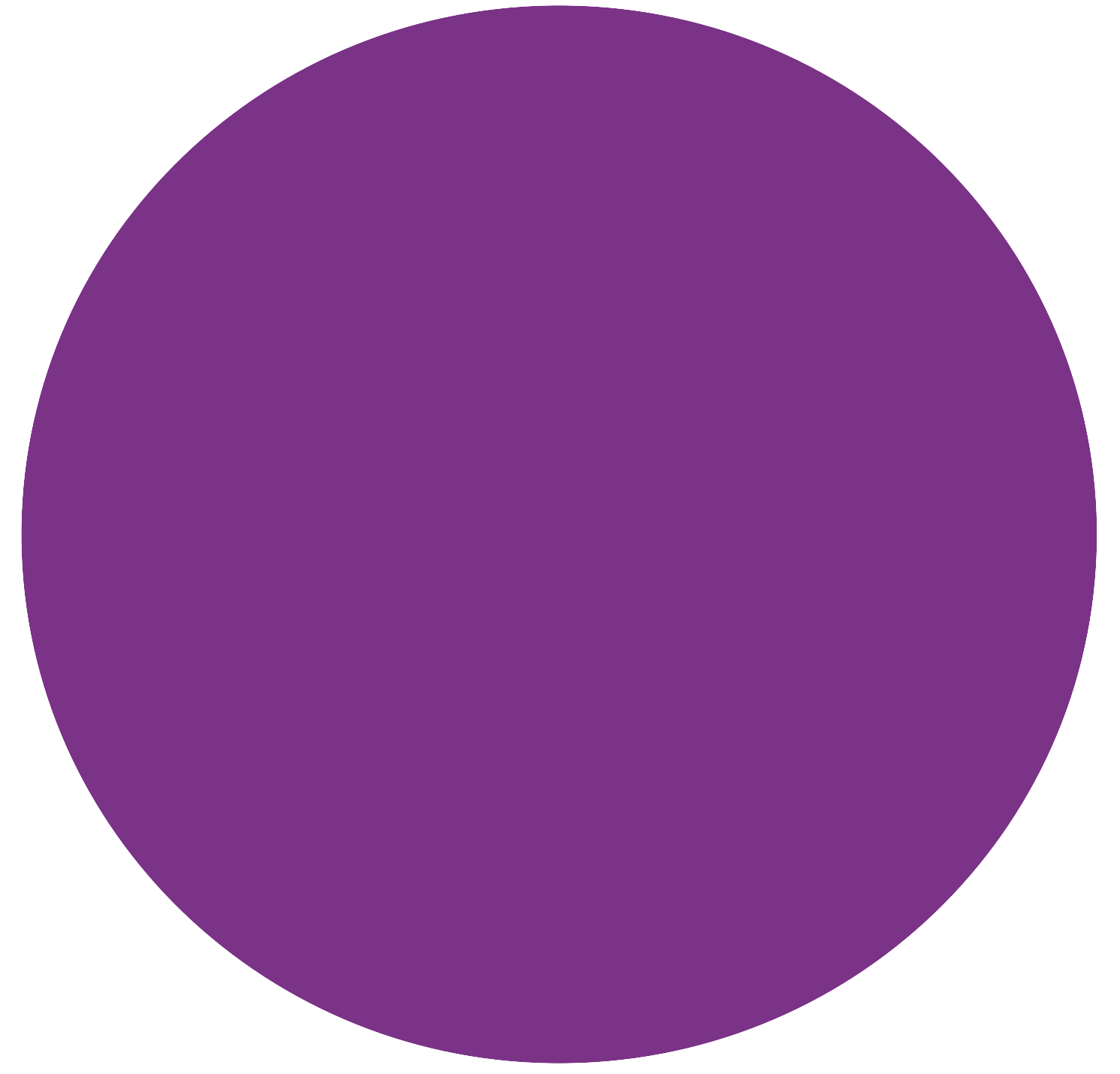
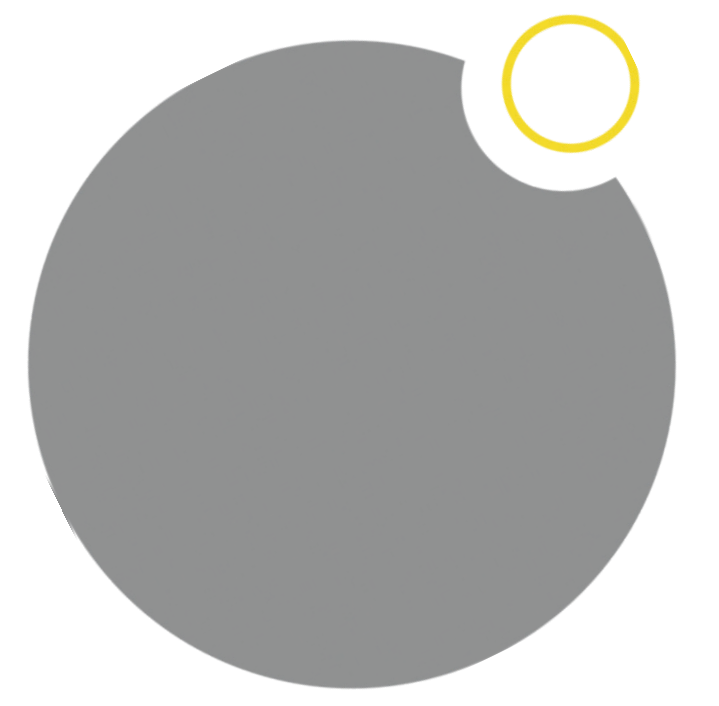
TOUGHER

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Subtraction ●

Division ●

Number Sense ●



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