

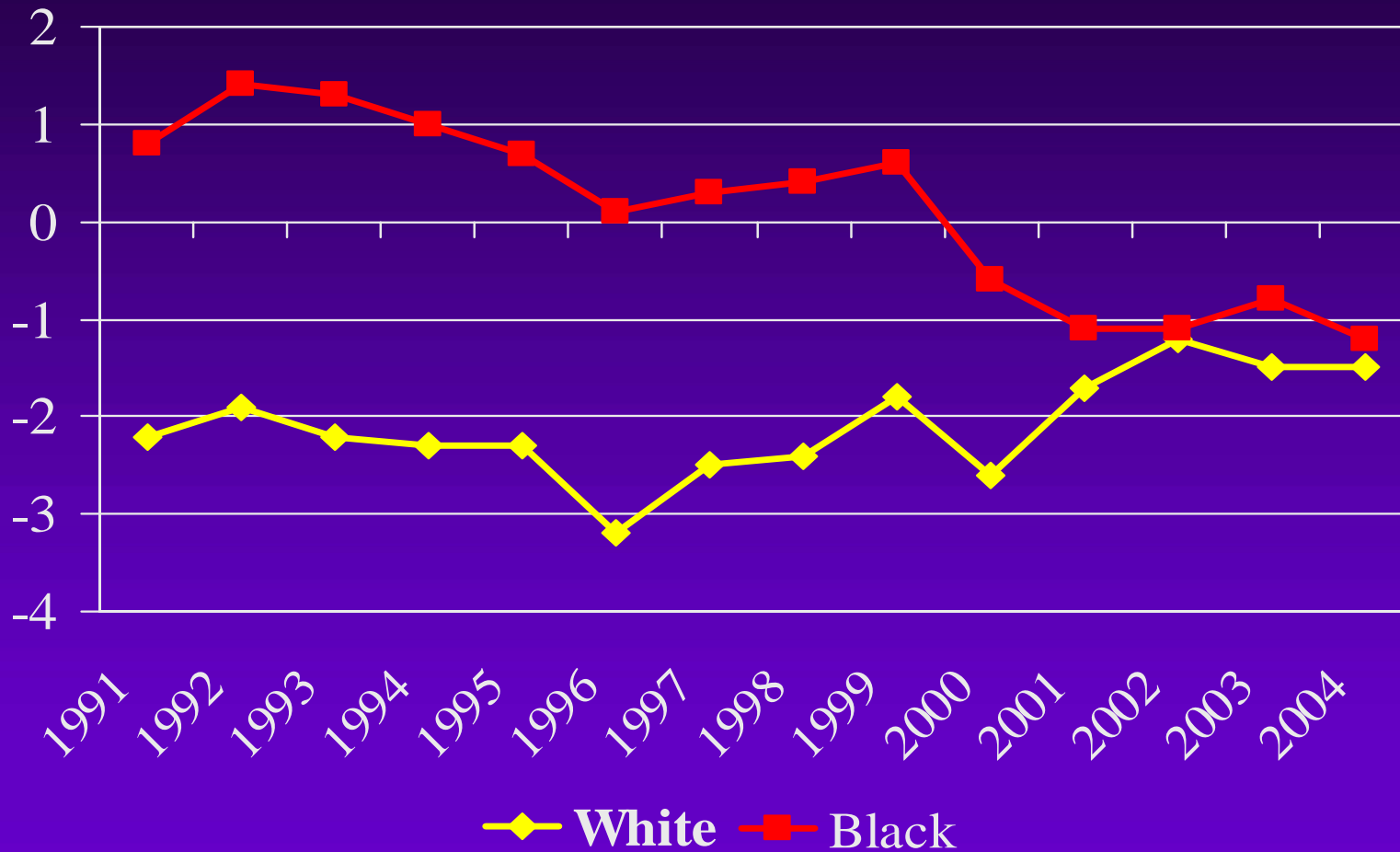
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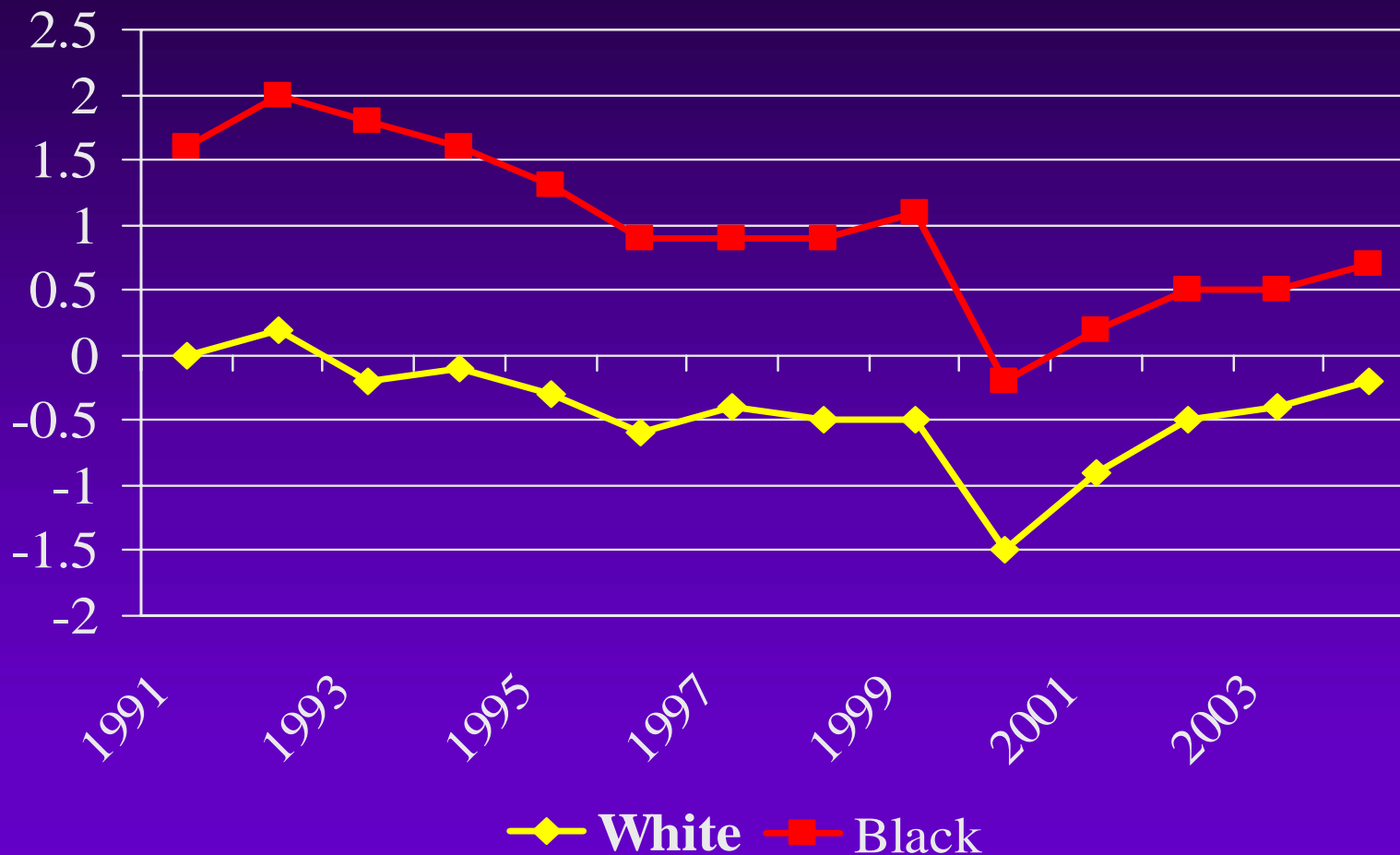
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New Orleans City Population Change 1990-2004



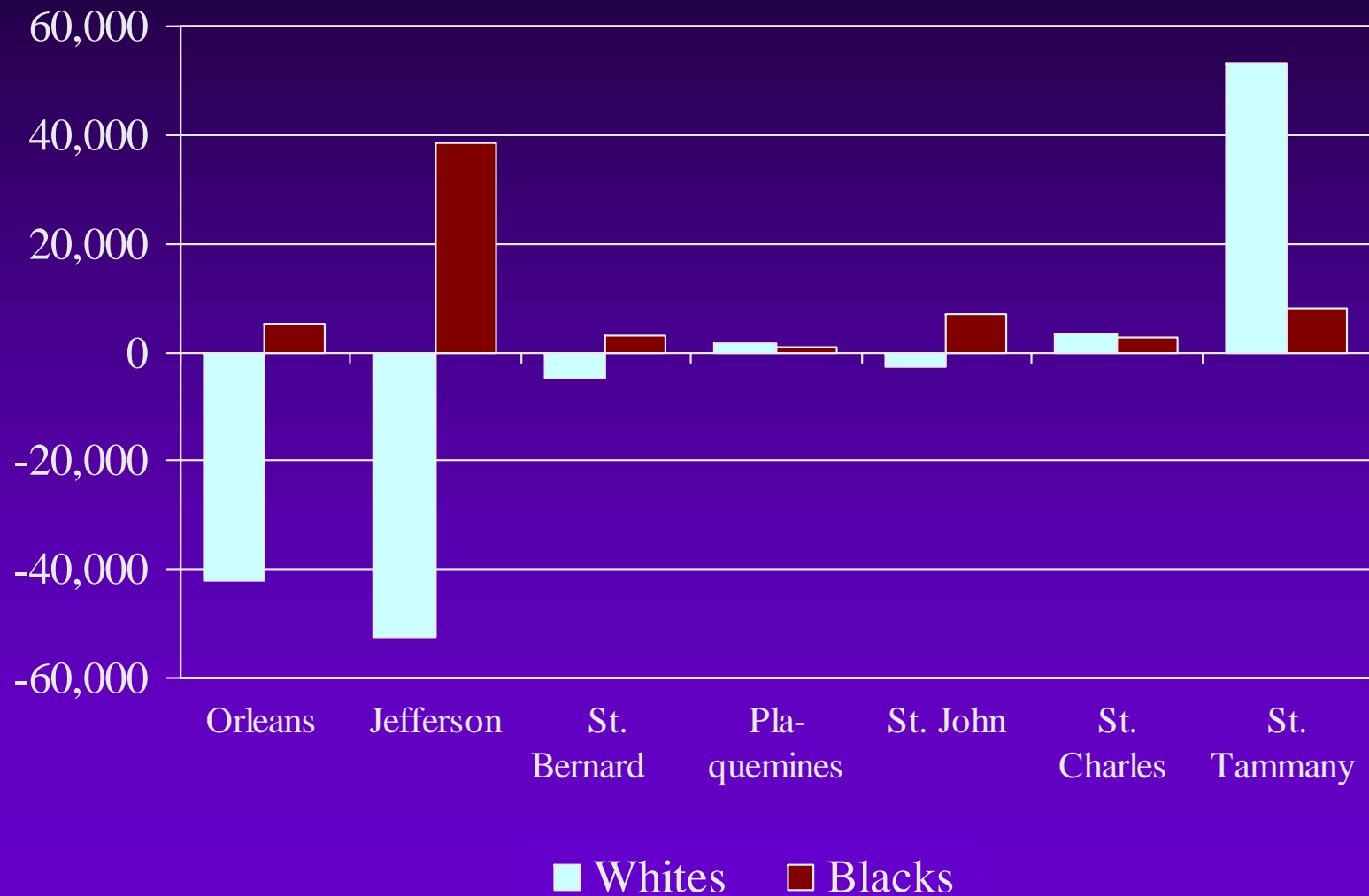
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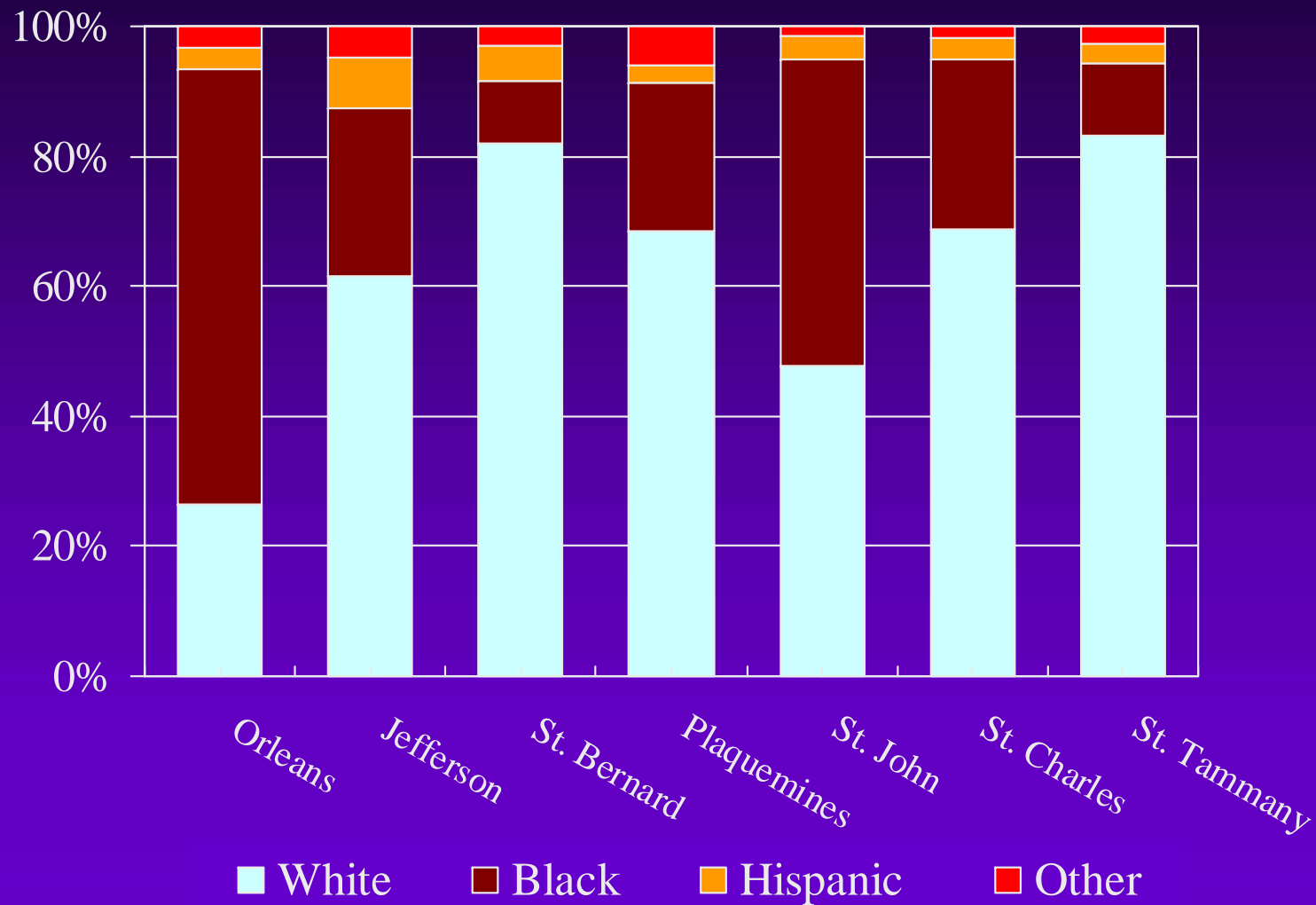
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Parish Growth by Race, 1990-2004



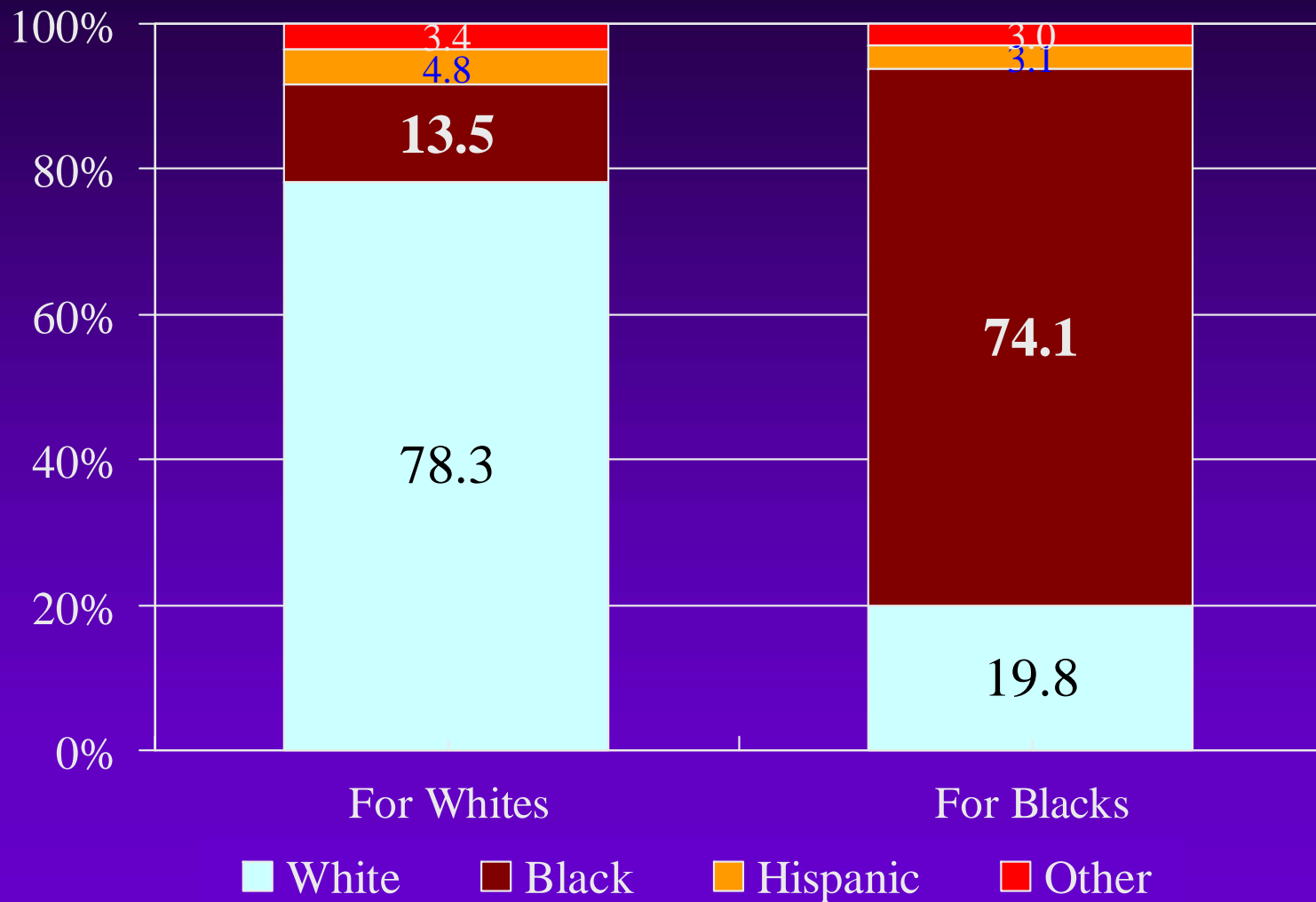
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Parish Race Profiles, 2004



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New Orleans Metro: Average Neighborhood Racial Composition



Source: William Frey, Brookings Institution

Percent Poor living in "Concentrated Poverty Neighborhoods"

1	Fresno	43.5
2	New Orleans	37.3
3	Louisville	36.7
4	Miami	36.4
5	Atlanta	35.8
6	Long Beach	30.7
7	Cleveland	29.8
8	Philadelphia	27.9
9	Milwaukee	27.0
10	New York	25.9

Source: "Katrina's Window: Confronting Concentrated Poverty Across America", Brookings Institution 2005

New Orleans City

	<u>Blacks</u>	<u>Whites</u>
HH Income	\$21,461	\$40,390
Poverty Rate	43%	11%
College Grads	13%	48%
Not in Labor Force	44%	30%
Renters	41%	56%

Source: Brookings Institution

New Orleans City: Flooded vs. Dry Areas

	<u>Flooded</u>	<u>Dry</u>
HH Income	\$38,263	\$55,316
Poverty Rate	30%	24%
Renters	54%	53%
Nonwhites	80%	55%

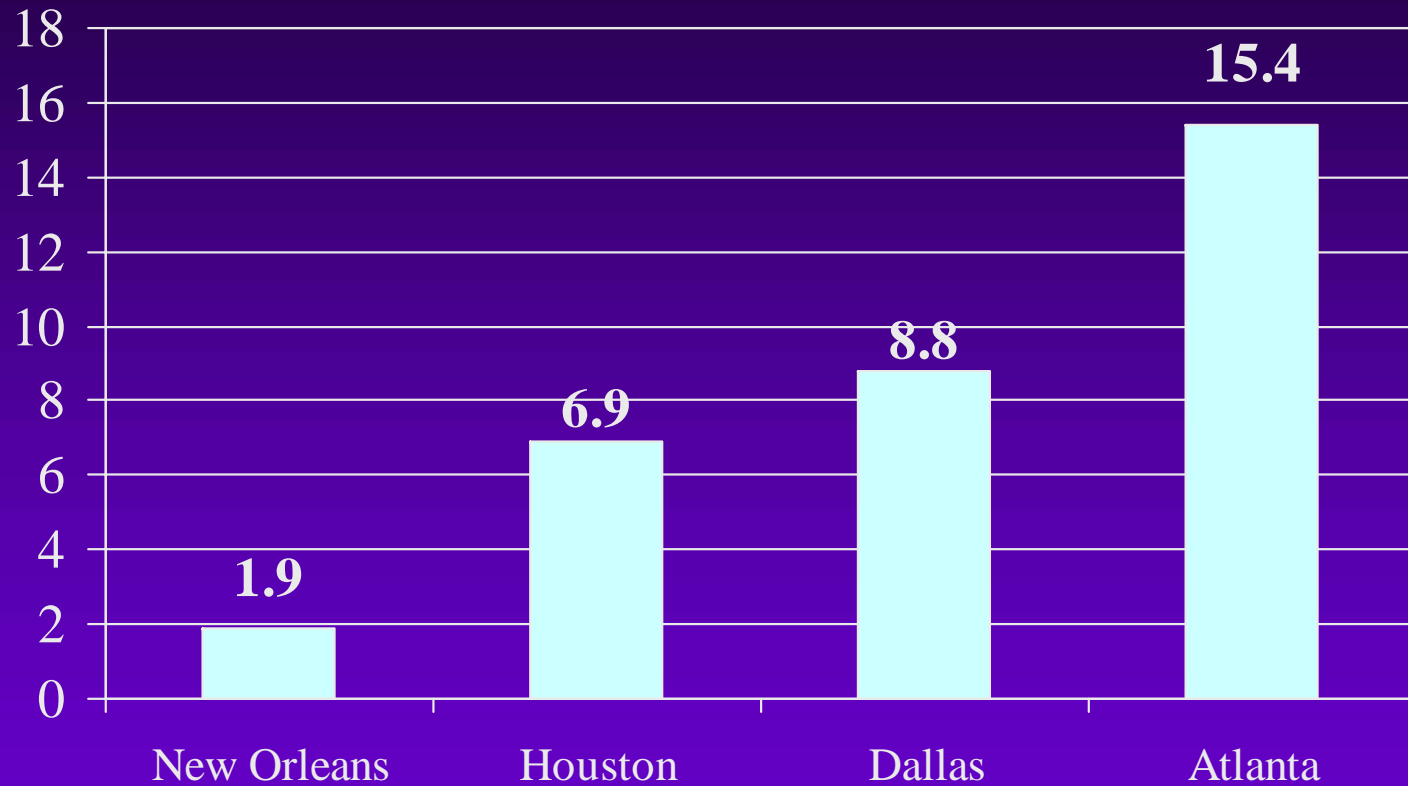
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Metro New Orleans: Flooded vs. Dry Areas

	<u>Flooded</u>	<u>Dry</u>
HH Income	\$44,479	\$53,108
Poverty Rate	22%	15%
Renters	47%	31%
Nonwhites	58%	35%

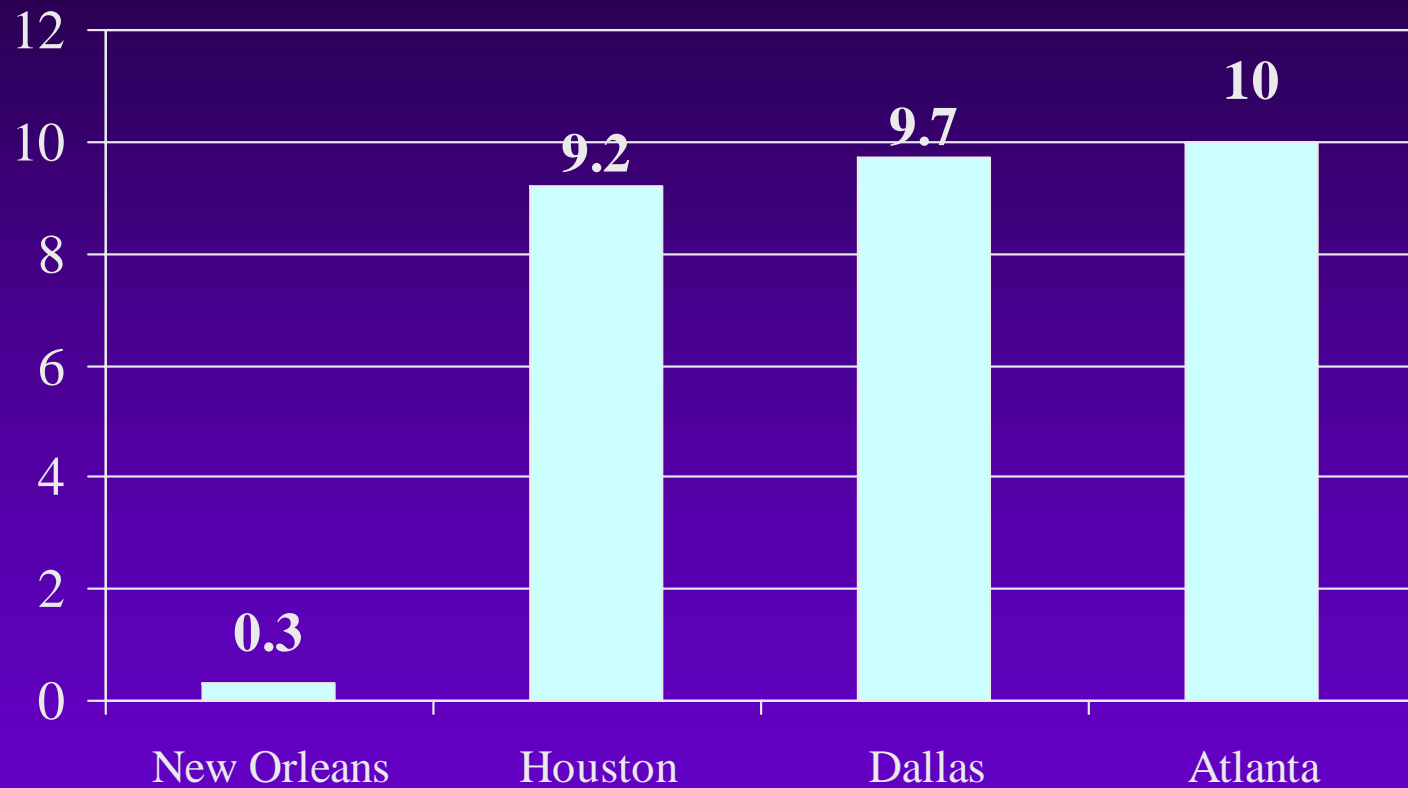
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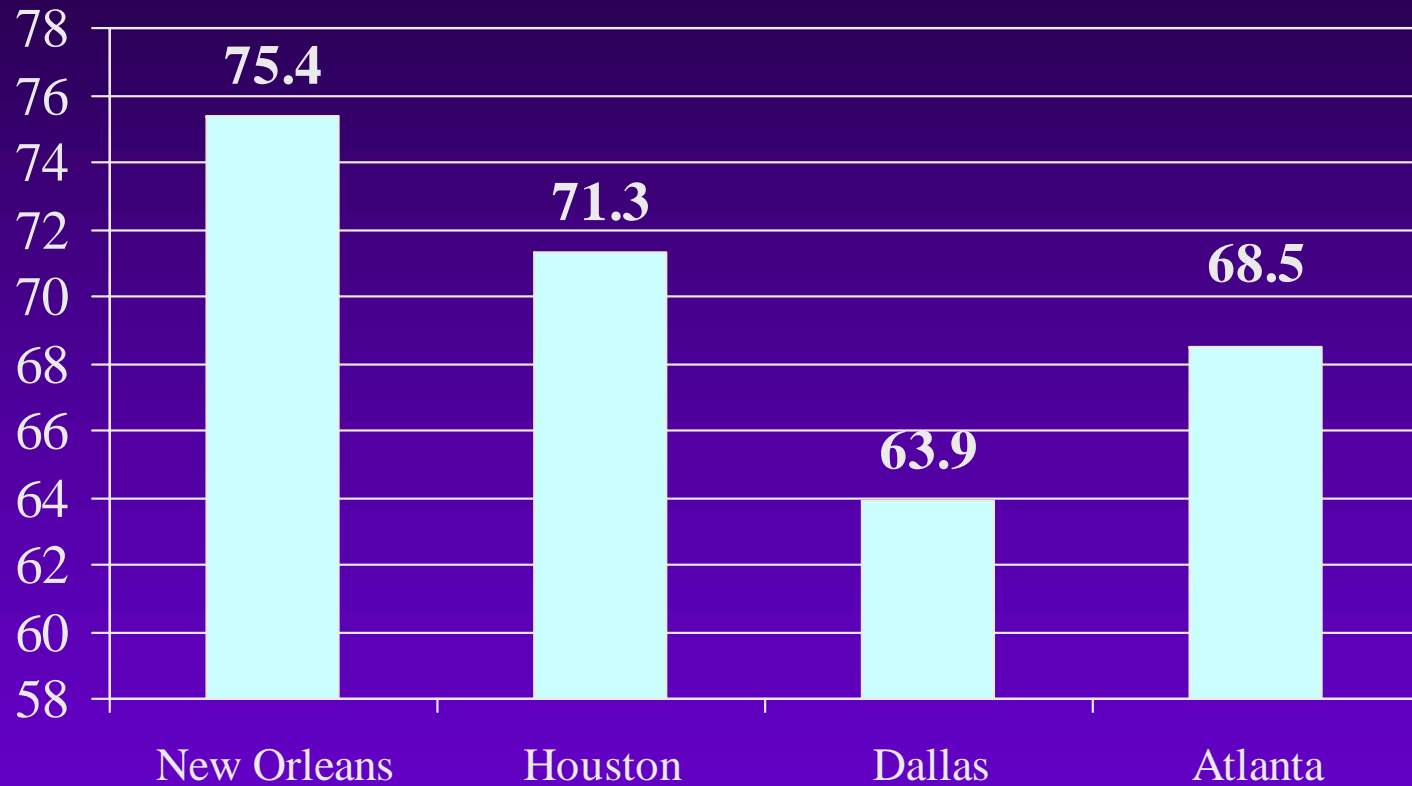
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Black Growth 2000-04



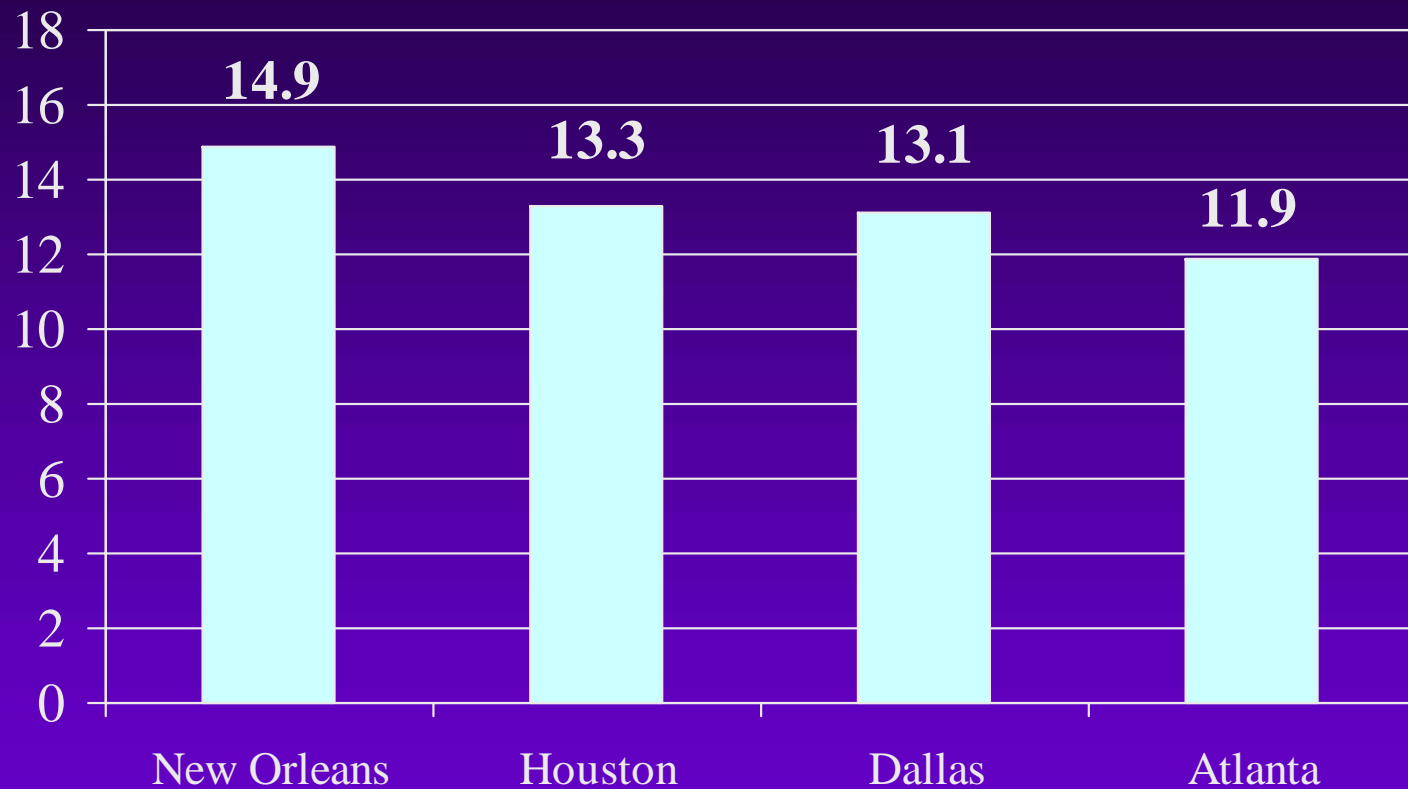
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Black-White Segregation



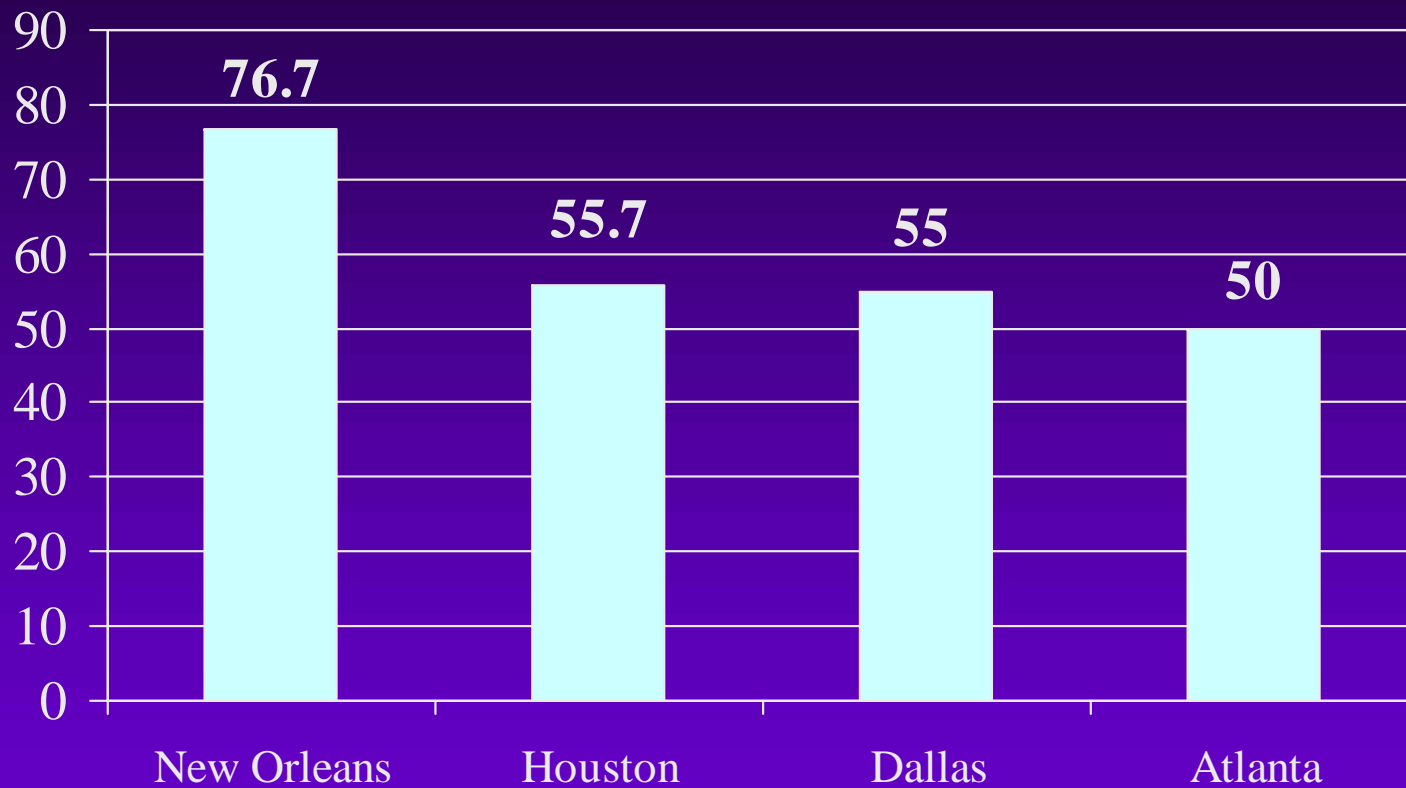
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Percent in Poverty



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Percent Born in Same State

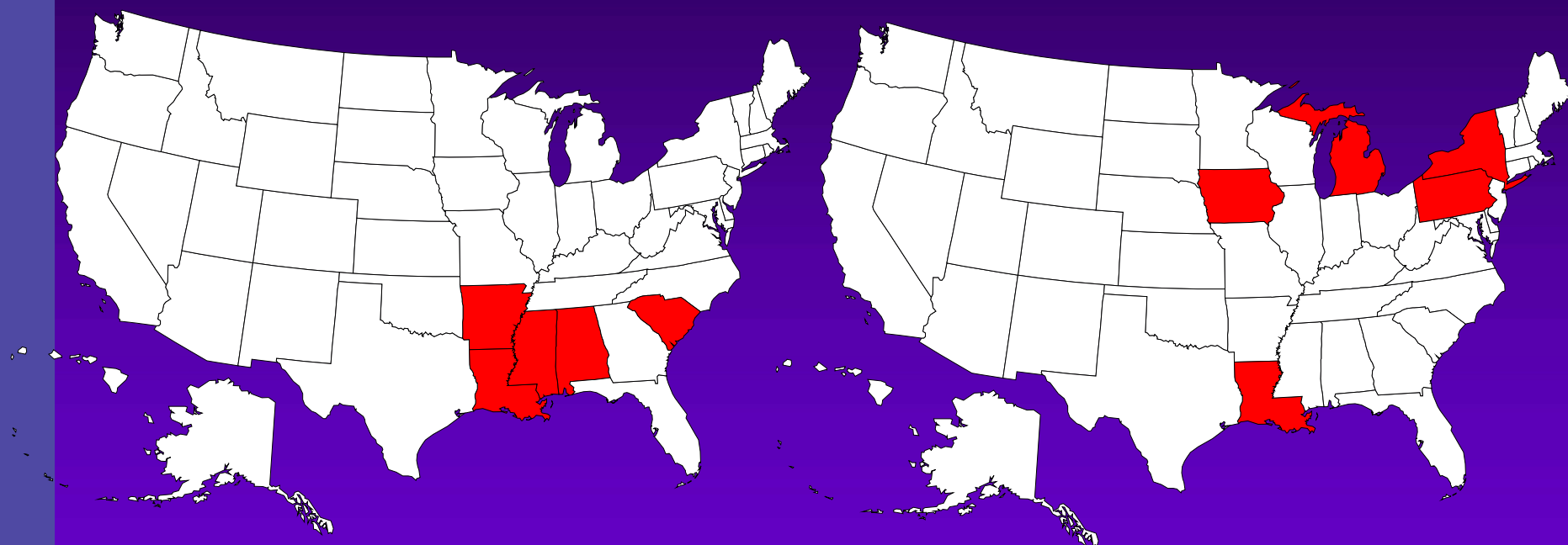


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States with Most Rooted Populations

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Whites



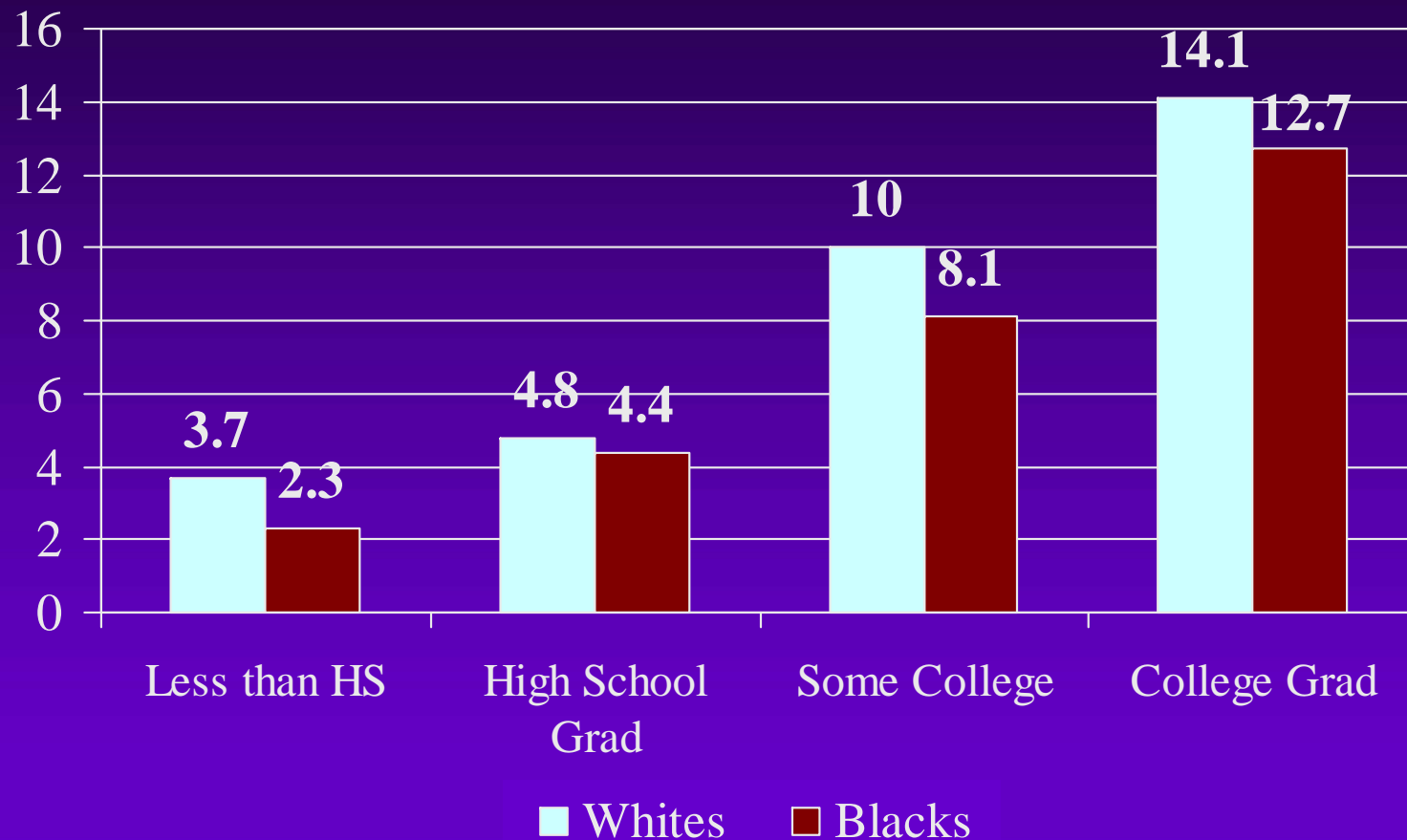
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Blacks Born in Same State

1	Baton Rouge	90%
2	Mobile	89%
3	Birmingham	89%
4	New Orleans	88%
14	Houston	75%
22	Detroit	72%
38	Oakland	61%
46	Atlanta	57%

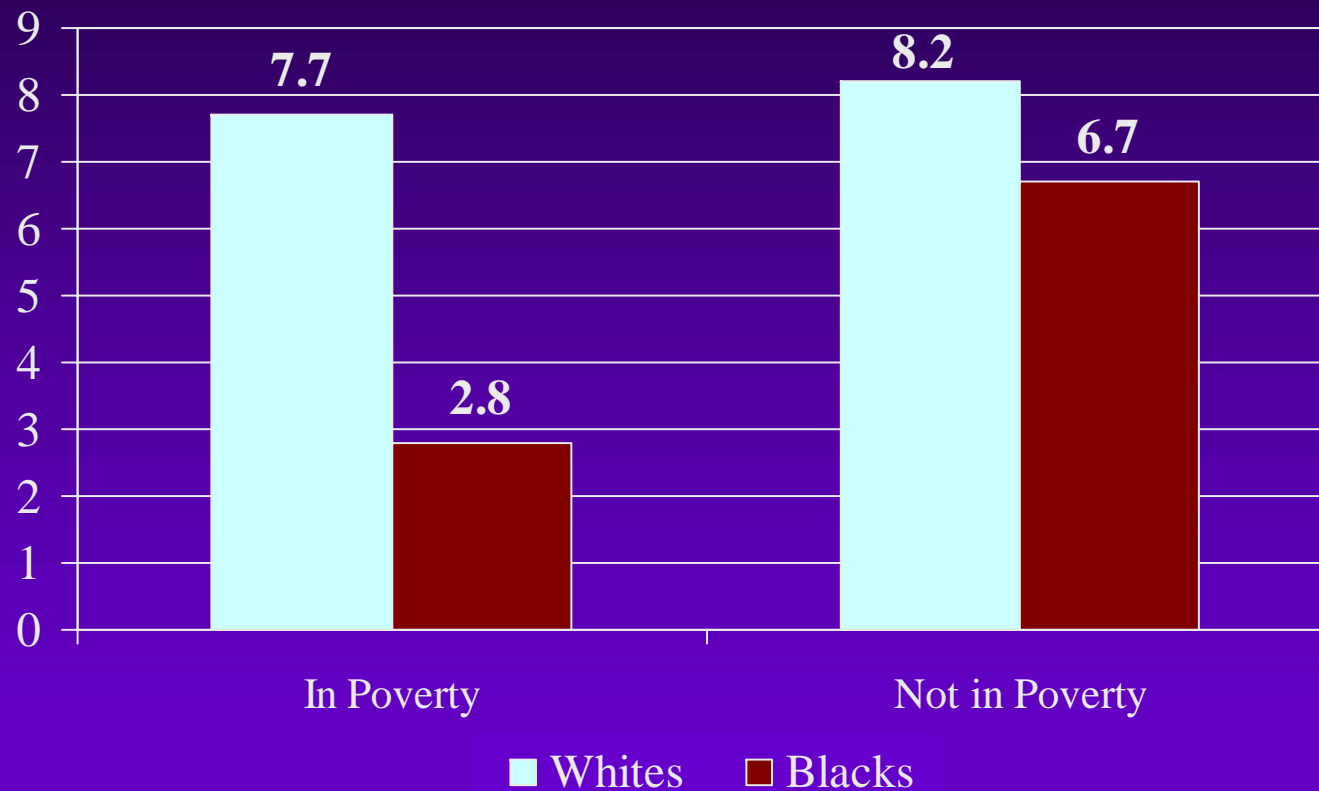
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La Out-Migration by Education



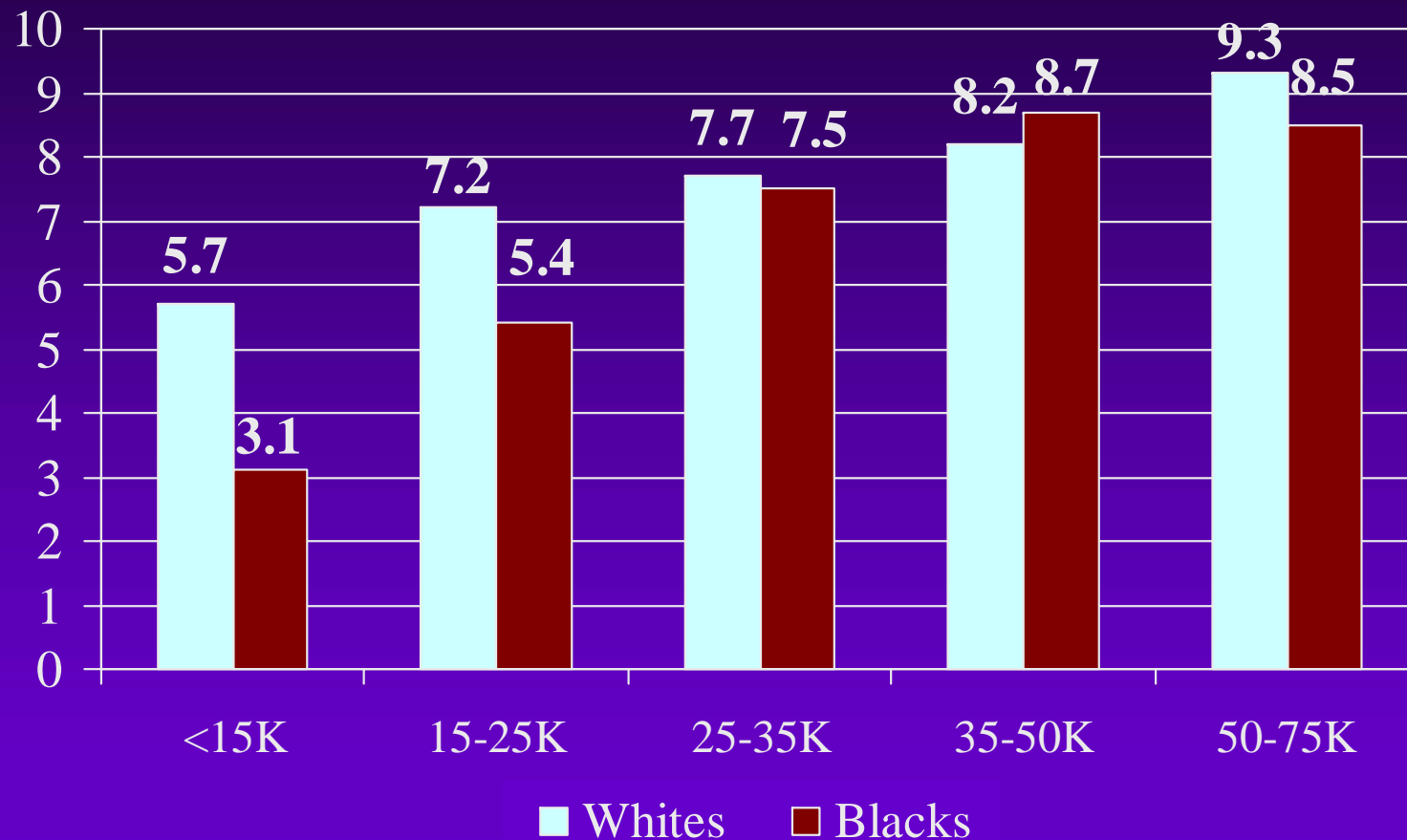
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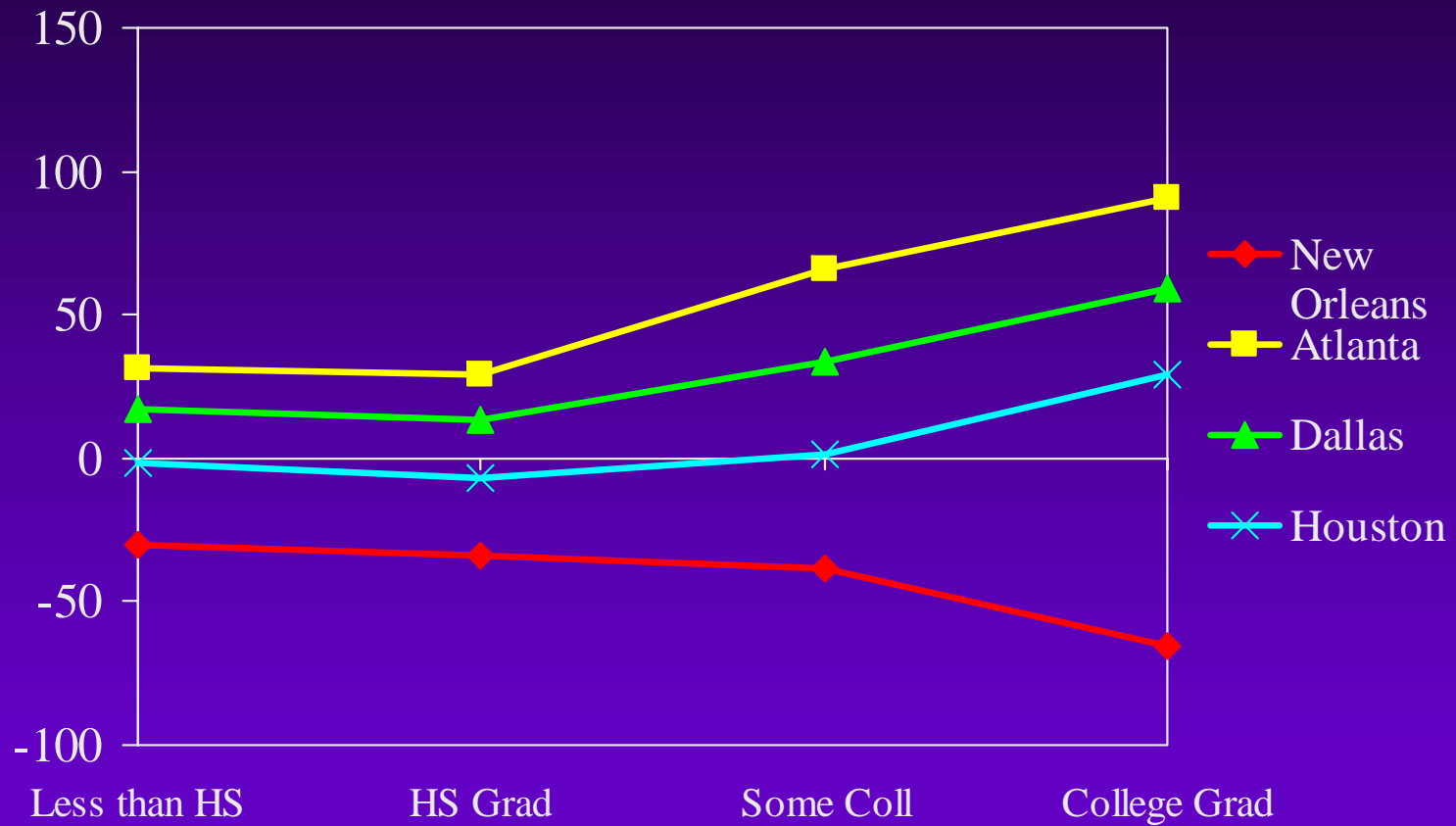
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Out migration by Household Income



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Migration by Education Metro Comparisons:



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Pre-Katrina Destinations from New Orleans

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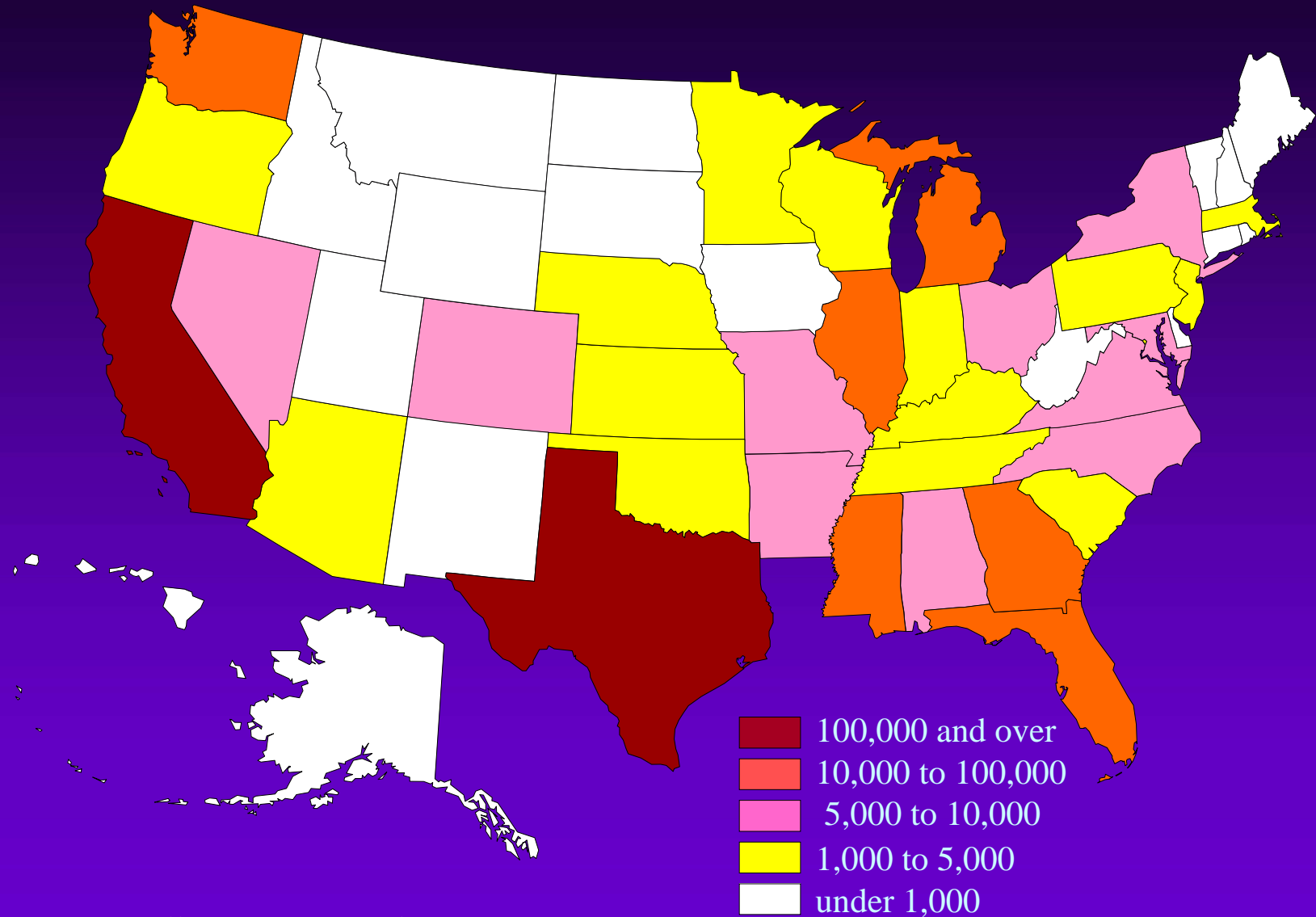
1. Atlanta
2. Baton Rouge
3. Dallas
4. Houston
5. Lafayette
6. Los Angeles

Whites

1. Baton Rouge
2. Houston
3. Biloxi
4. Dallas
5. Lafayette
6. Houma, La

Source: William Frey, Brookings Institution

Where La Blacks Moved Before Katrina



Source: William Frey, Brookings Institution

Propositions:

- Involve the region's demographically diverse population, including evacuees, in the planning process.
- Give priority to enabling the region's original residents to return.
- Provide improved housing options for returning and new in-migrants to the the region