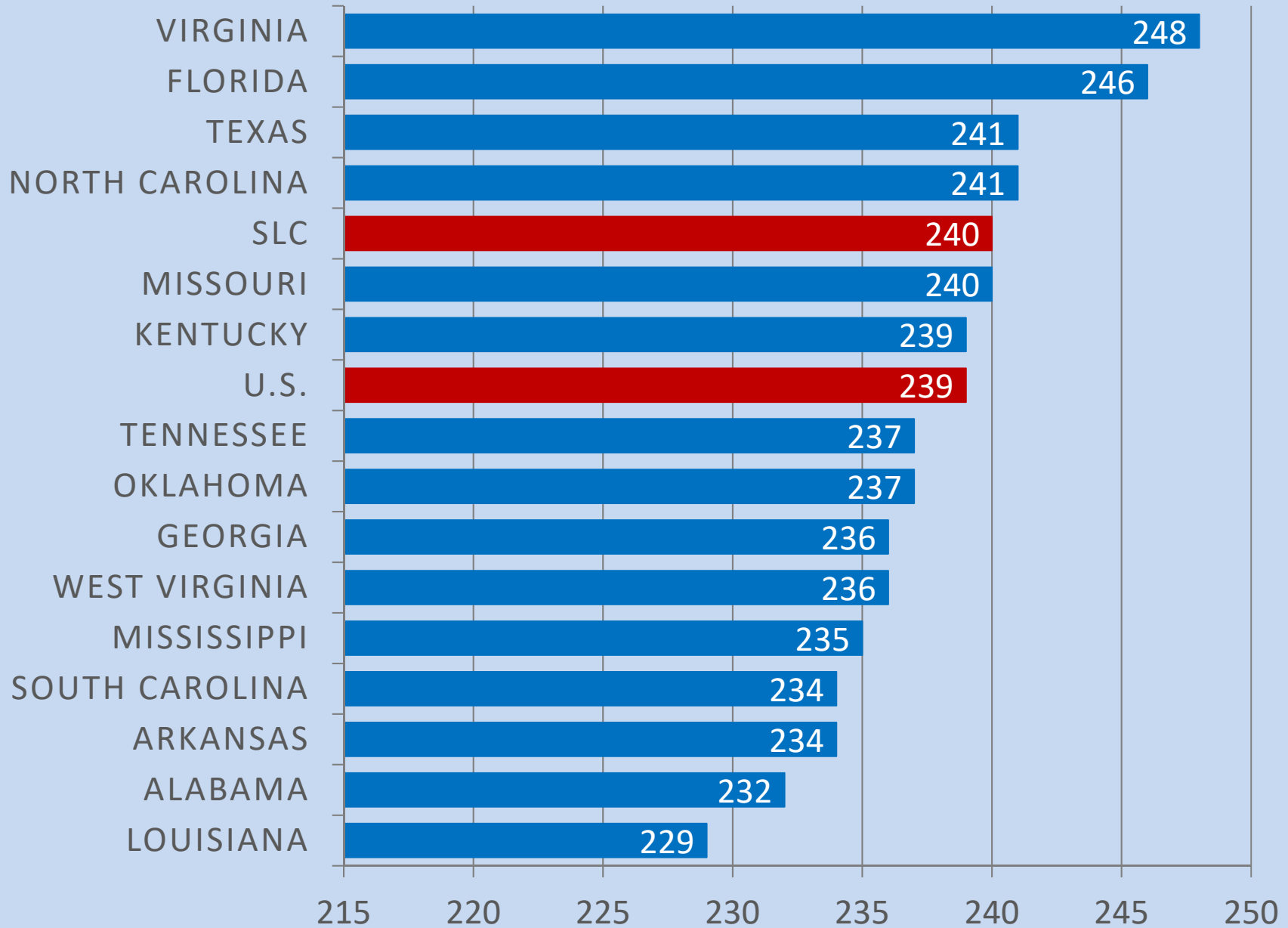


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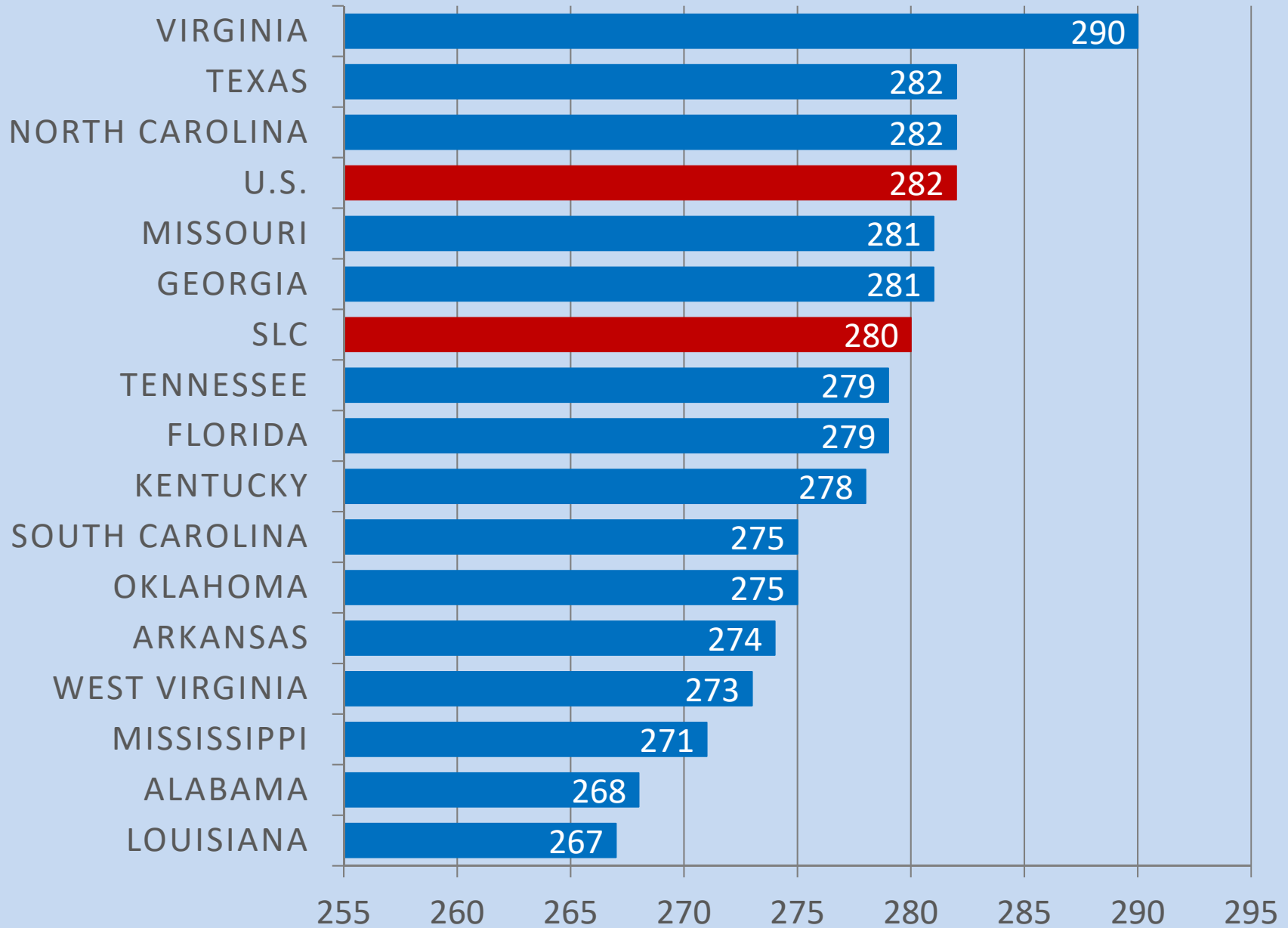
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2017 4th Grade Math NAEP Assessment Average Scale Scores



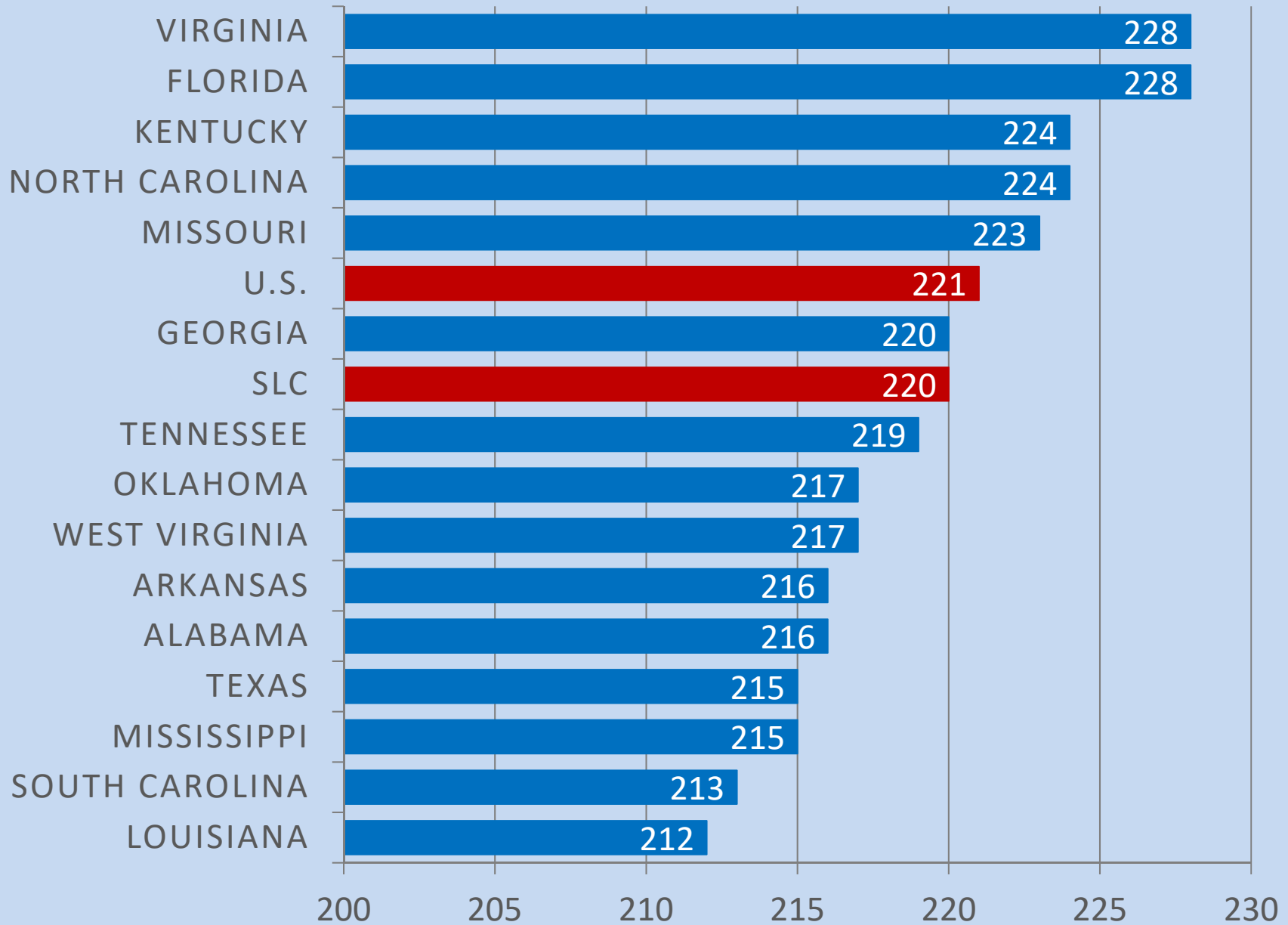
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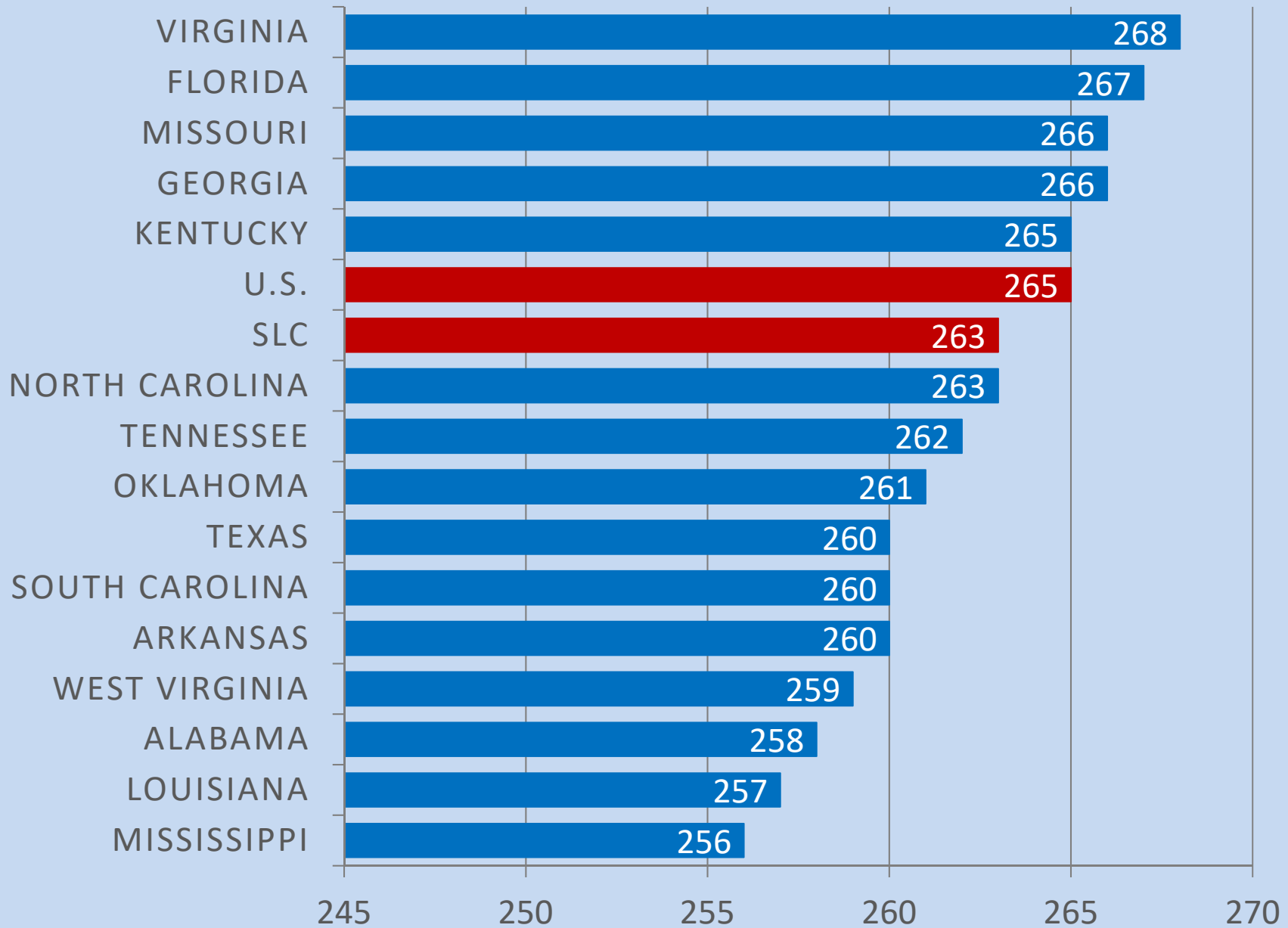
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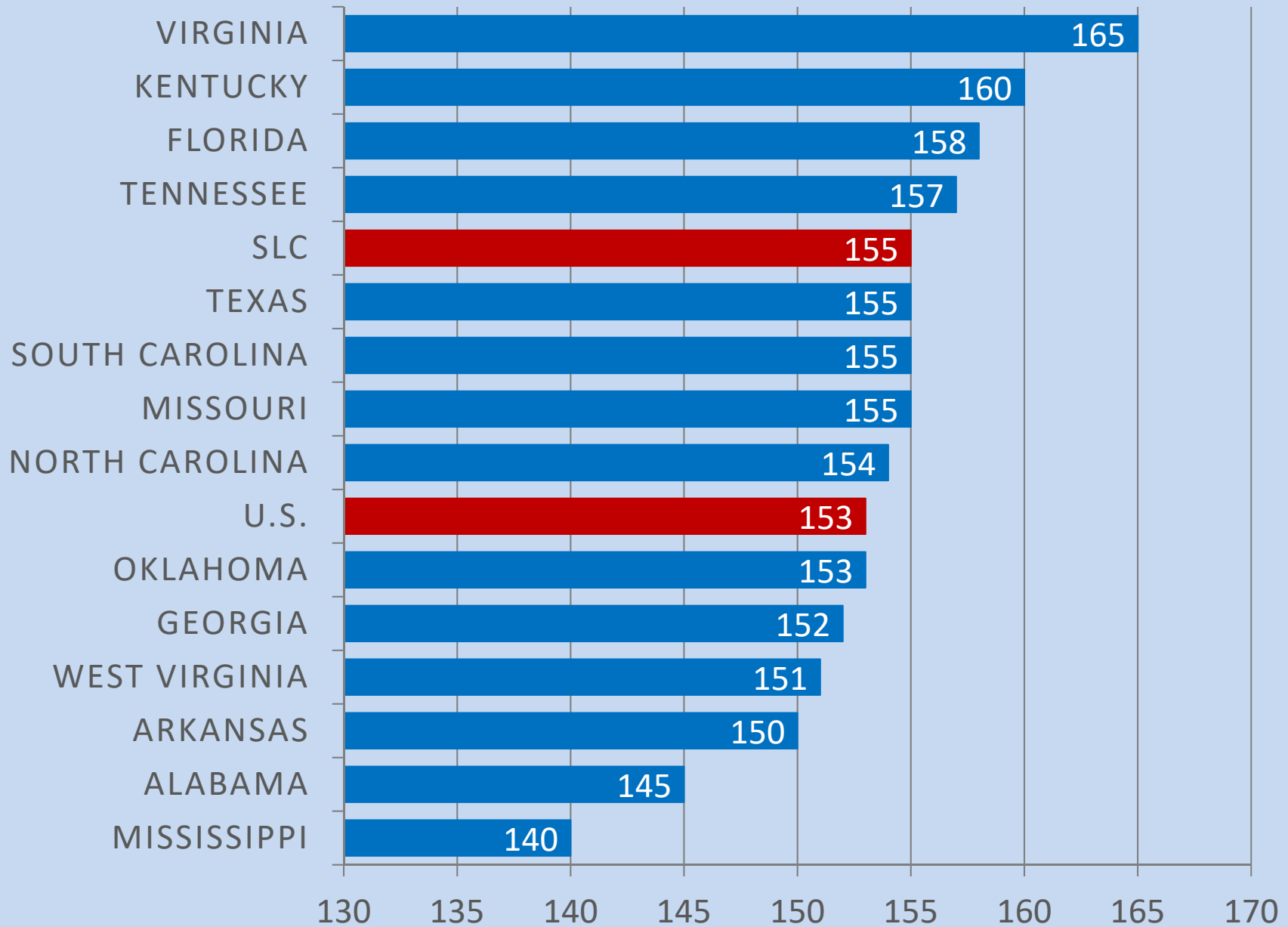
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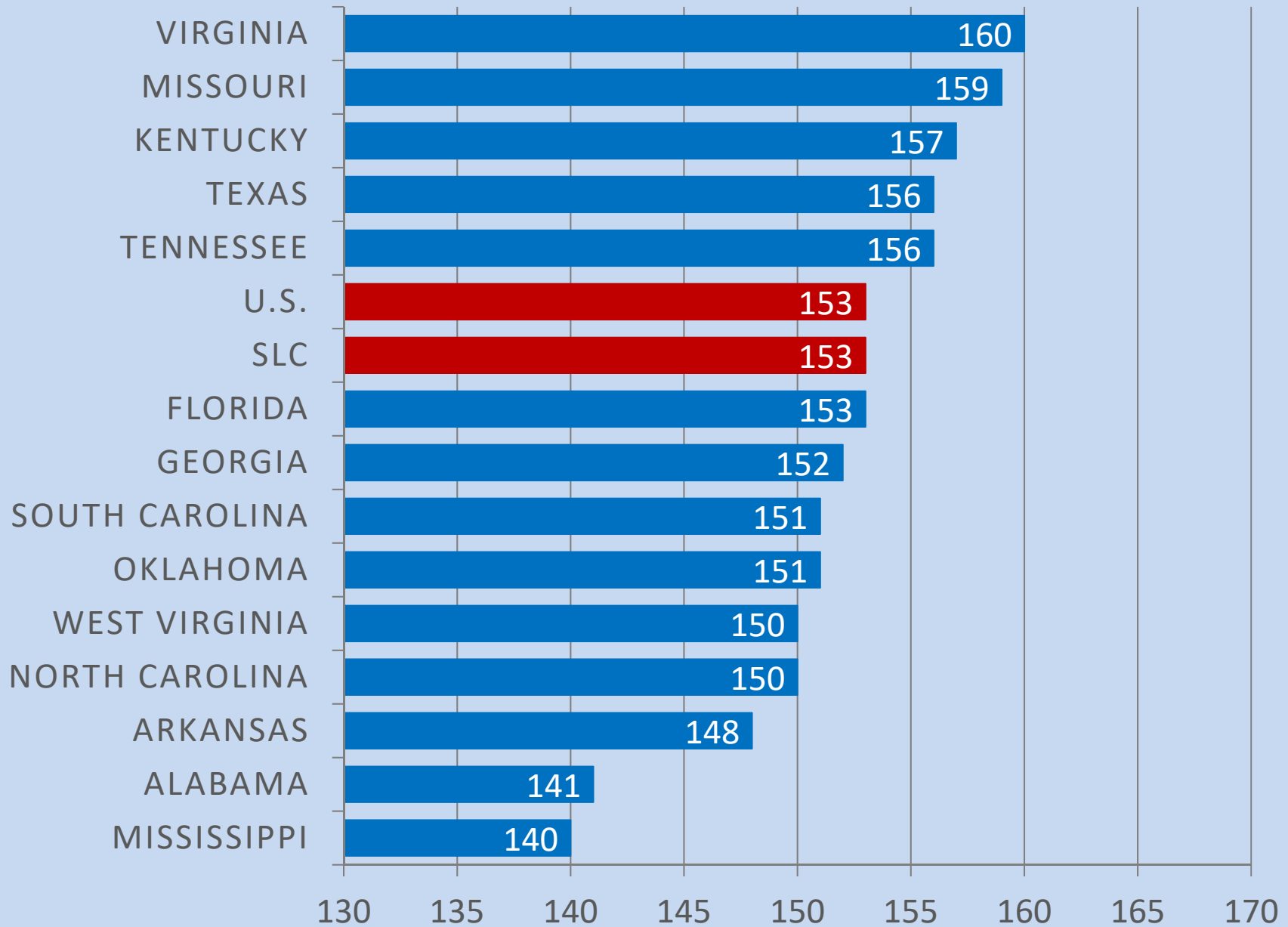
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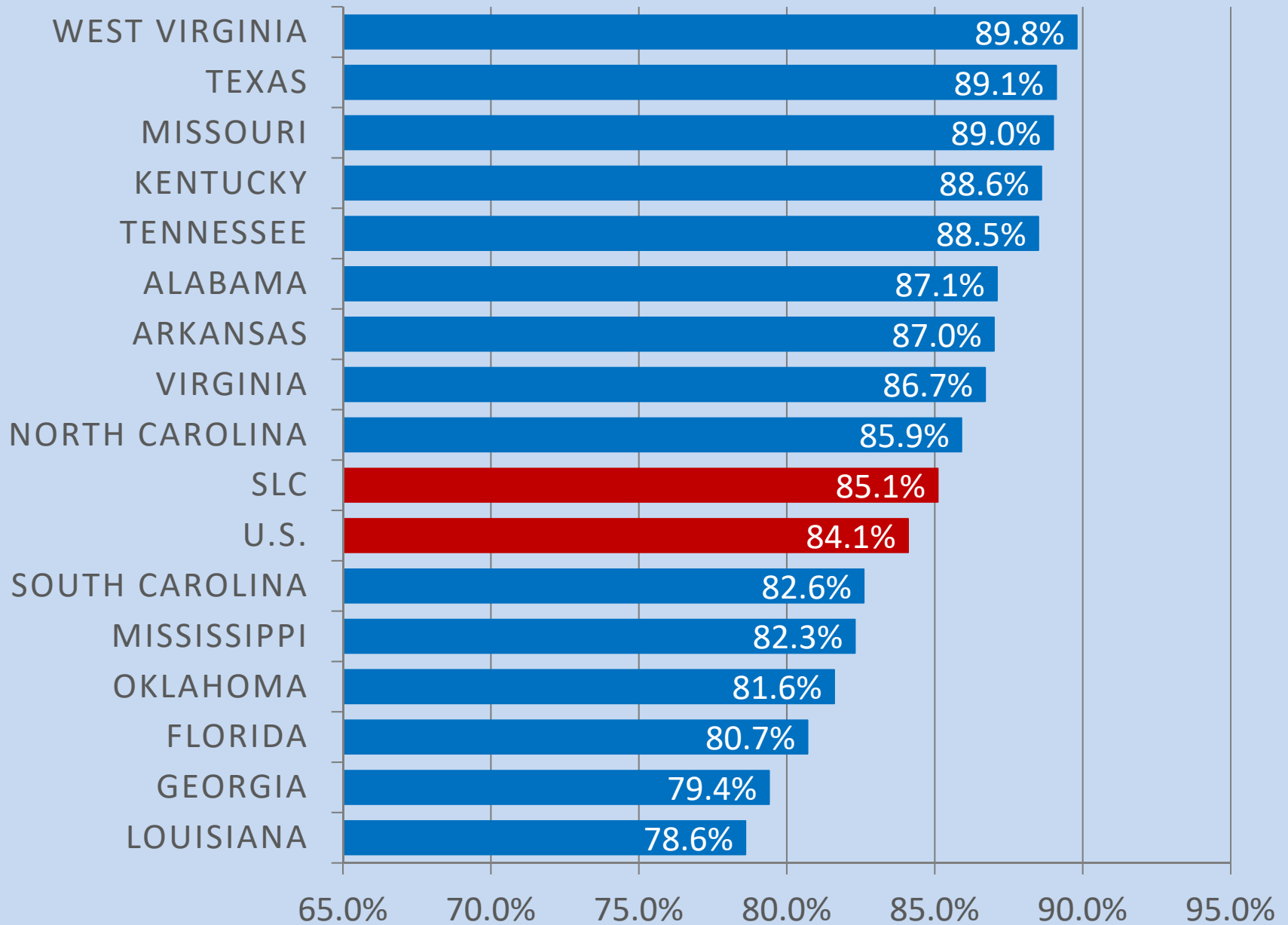
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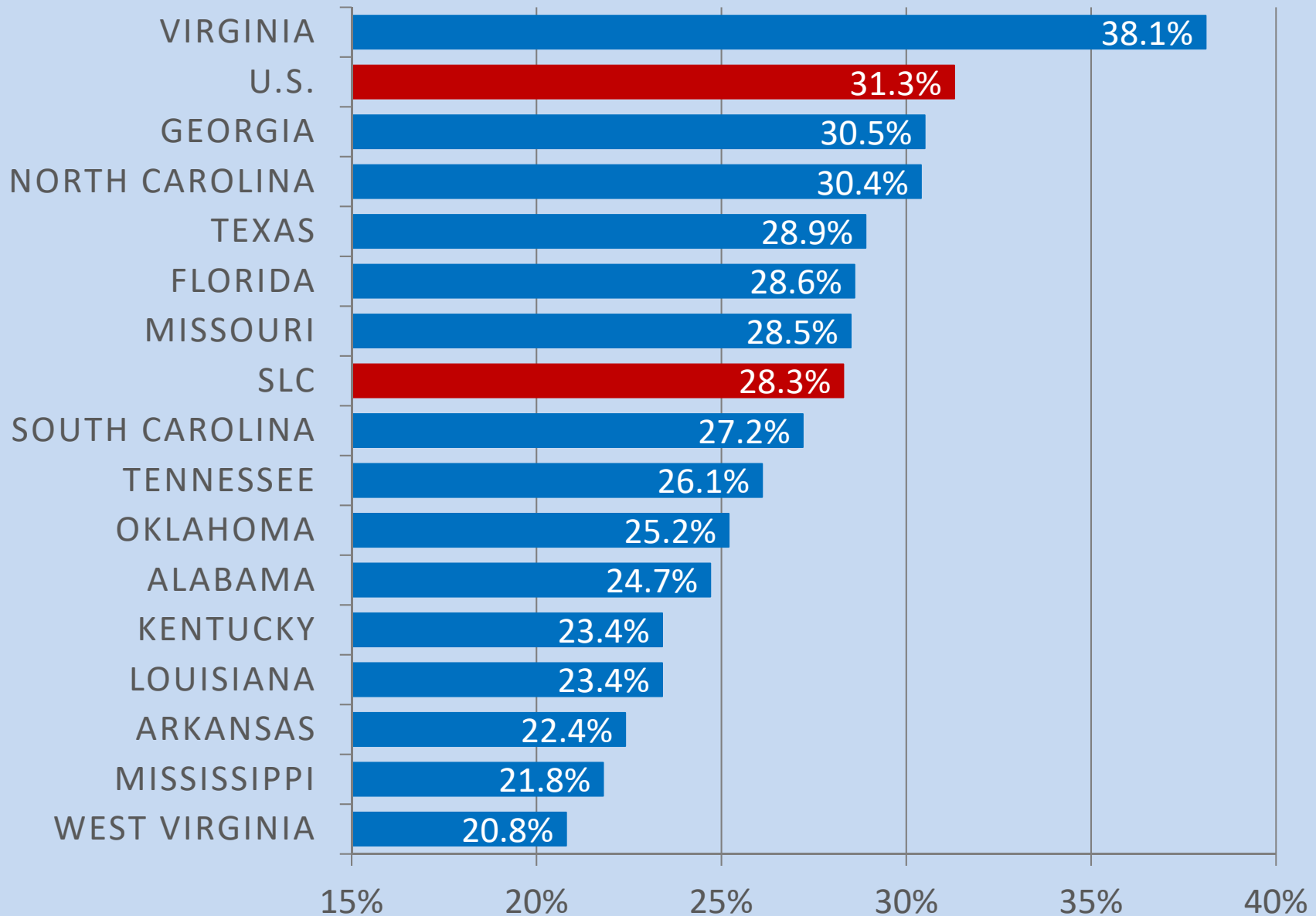
2015-2016 Adjusted Cohort Graduation Rate



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Educational Attainment

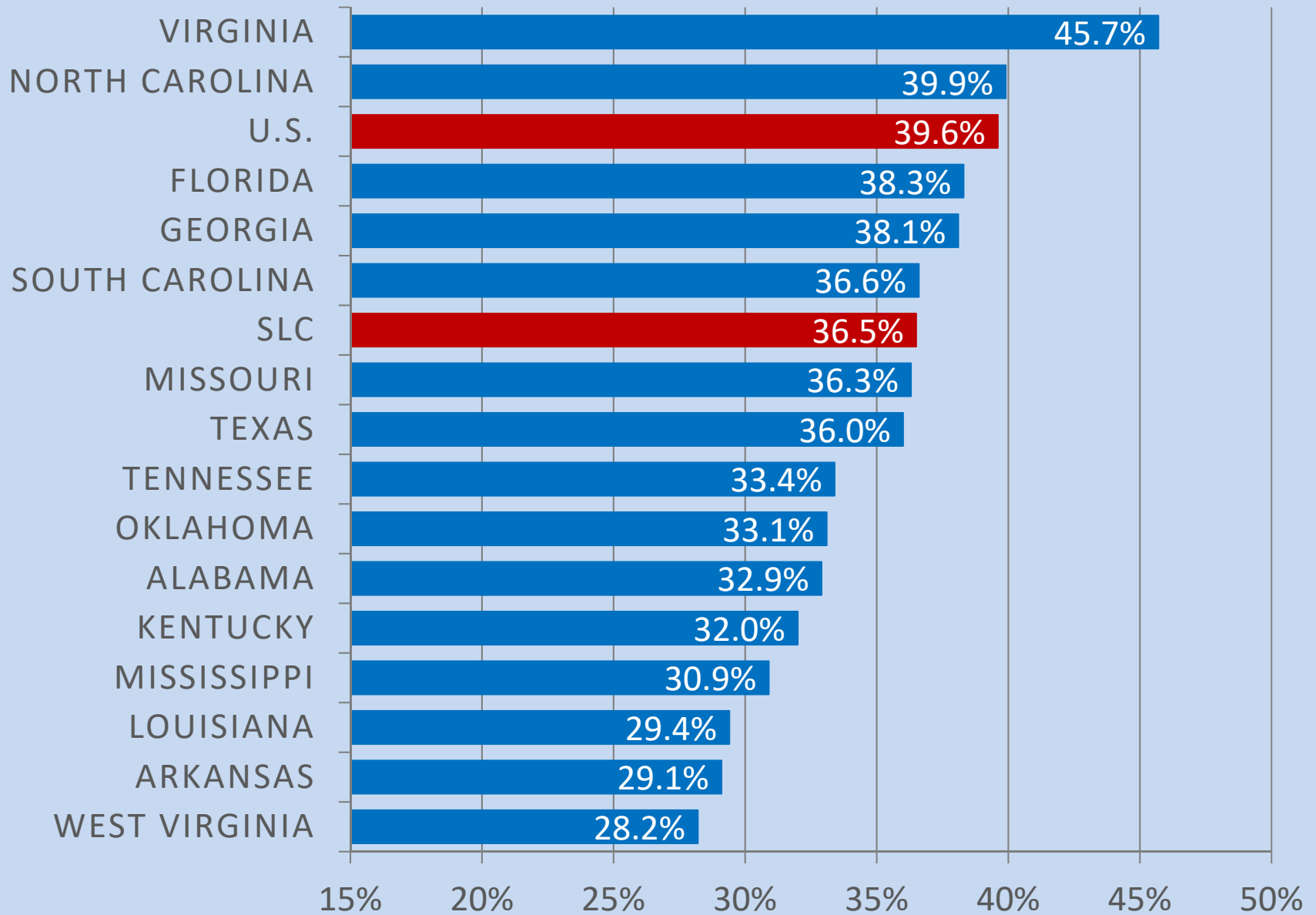
Percentage of Population 25 or older with a Bachelor's Degree (2016)



Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016 American Community Survey.

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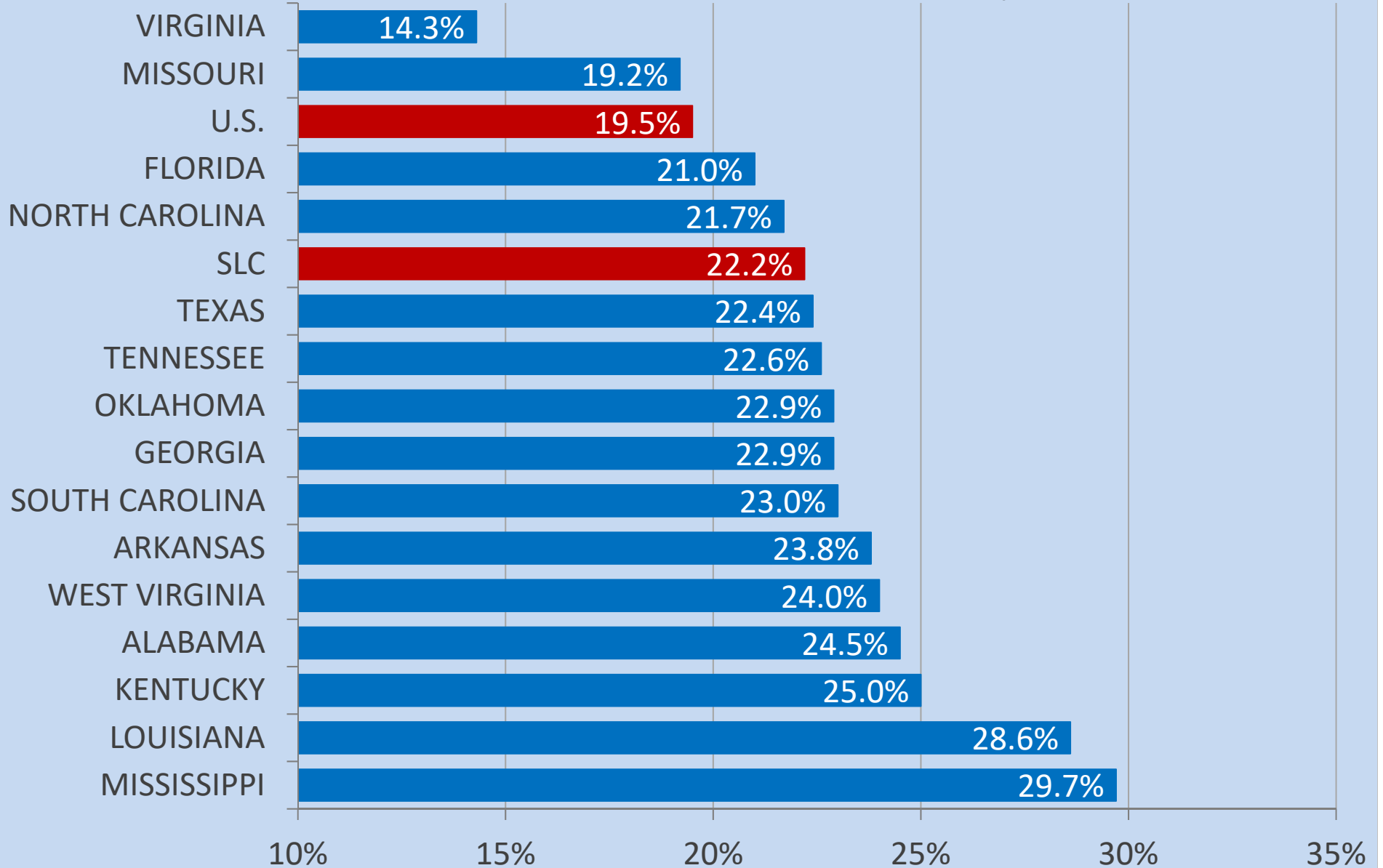
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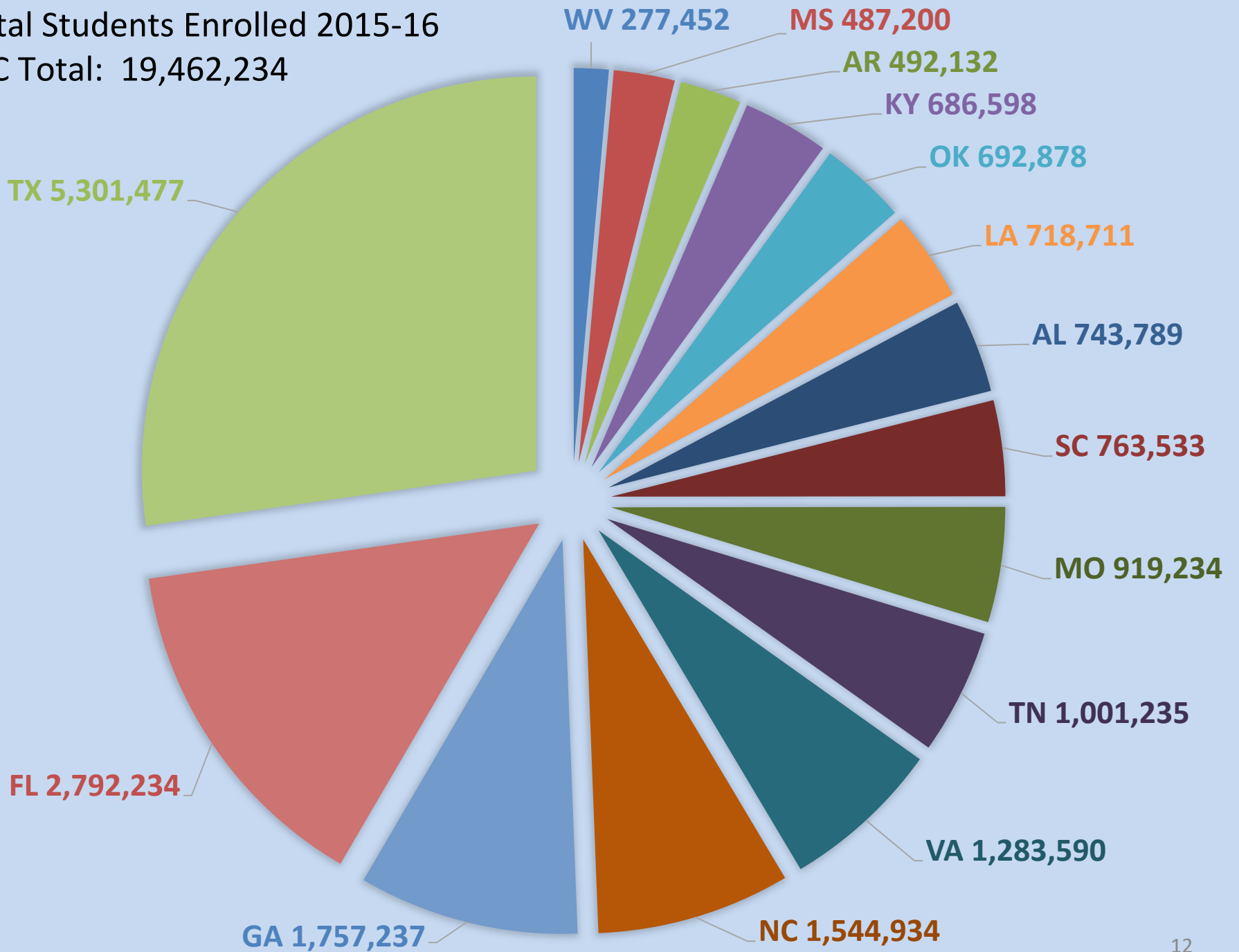
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Child Poverty

Percent of Children Under 18 Years Below Poverty Level (2016)

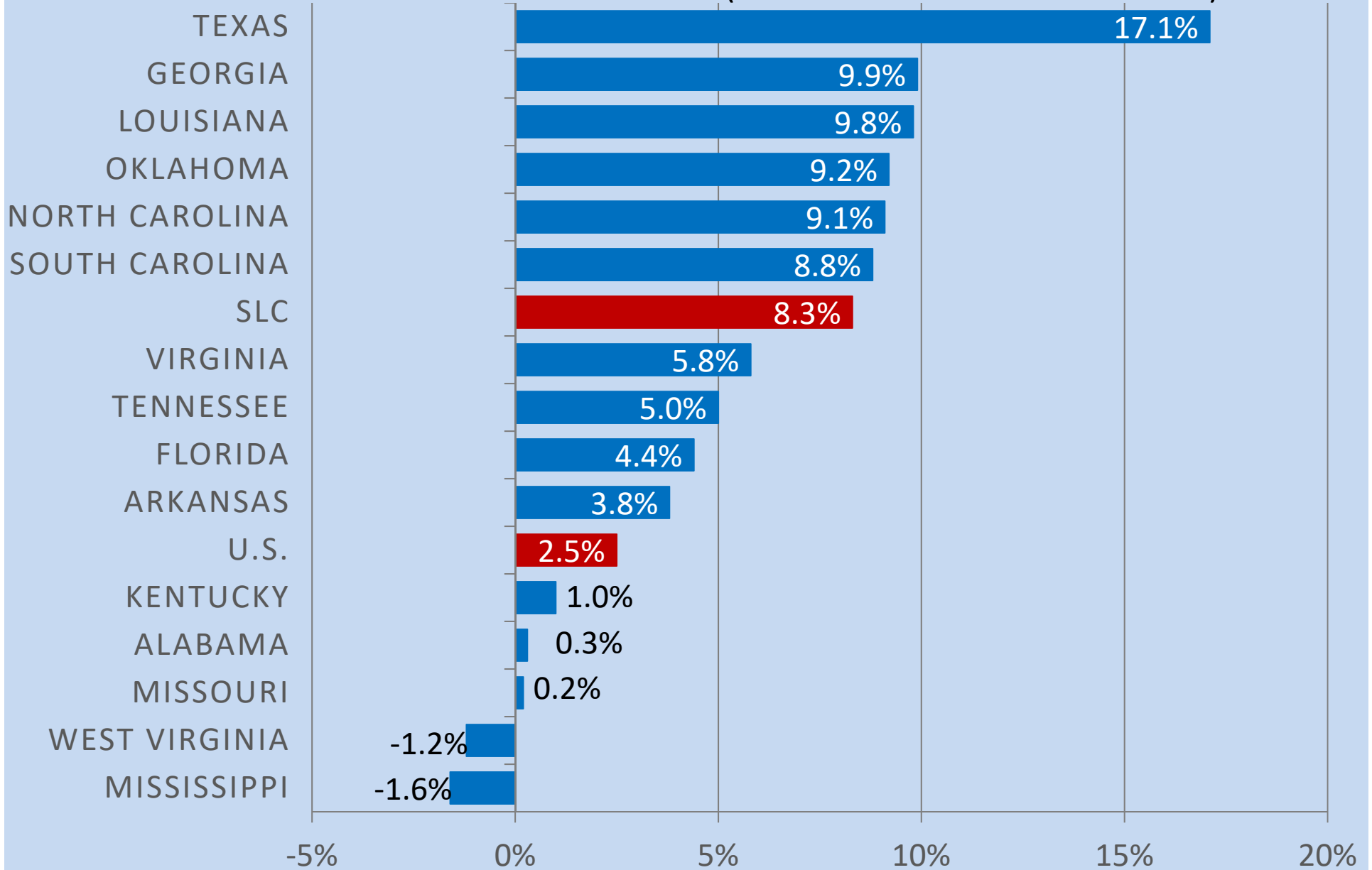


Total Students Enrolled 2015-16
SLC Total: 19,462,234



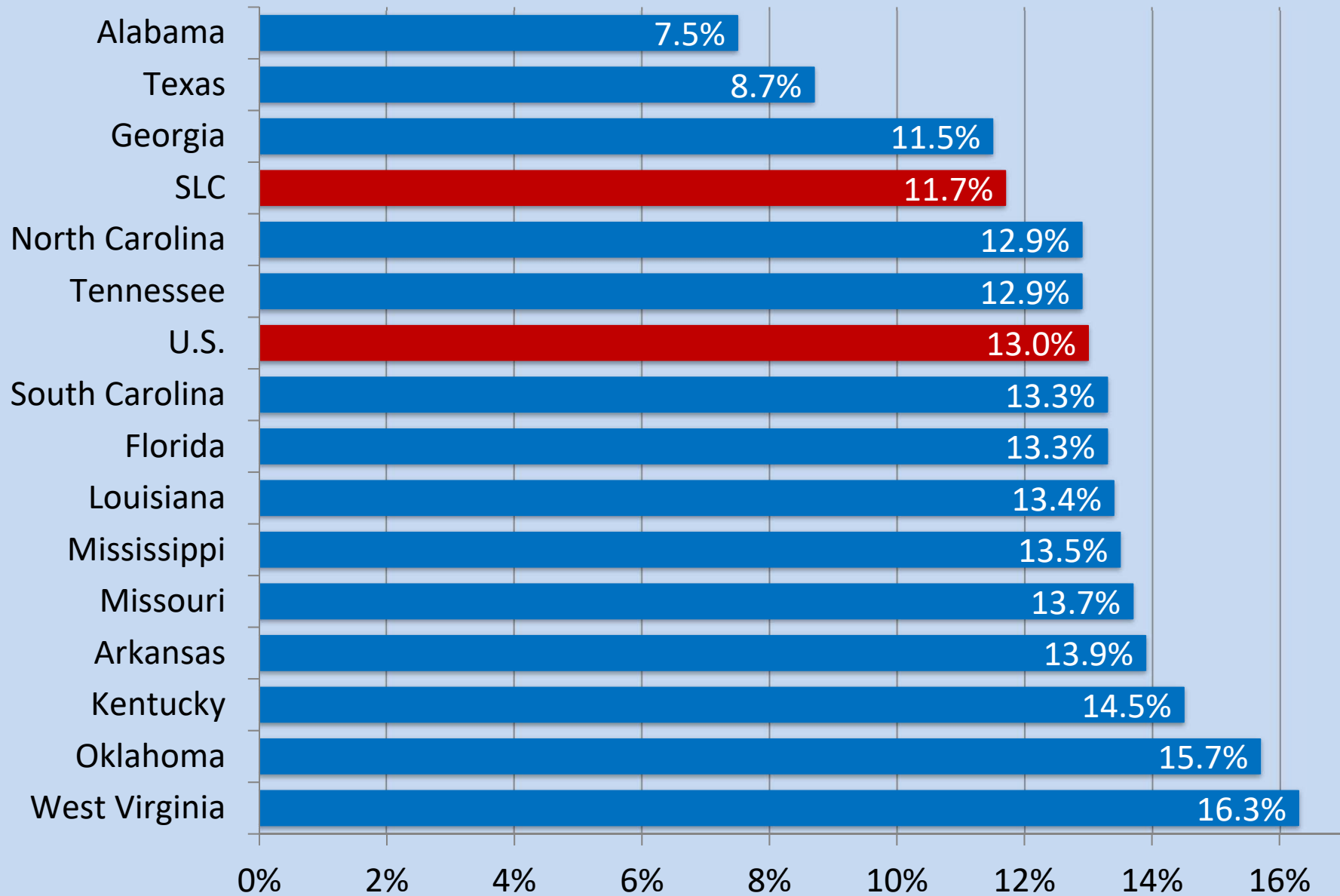
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Student Enrollment 10-Year Increase (between 2005-06 and 2015-16)



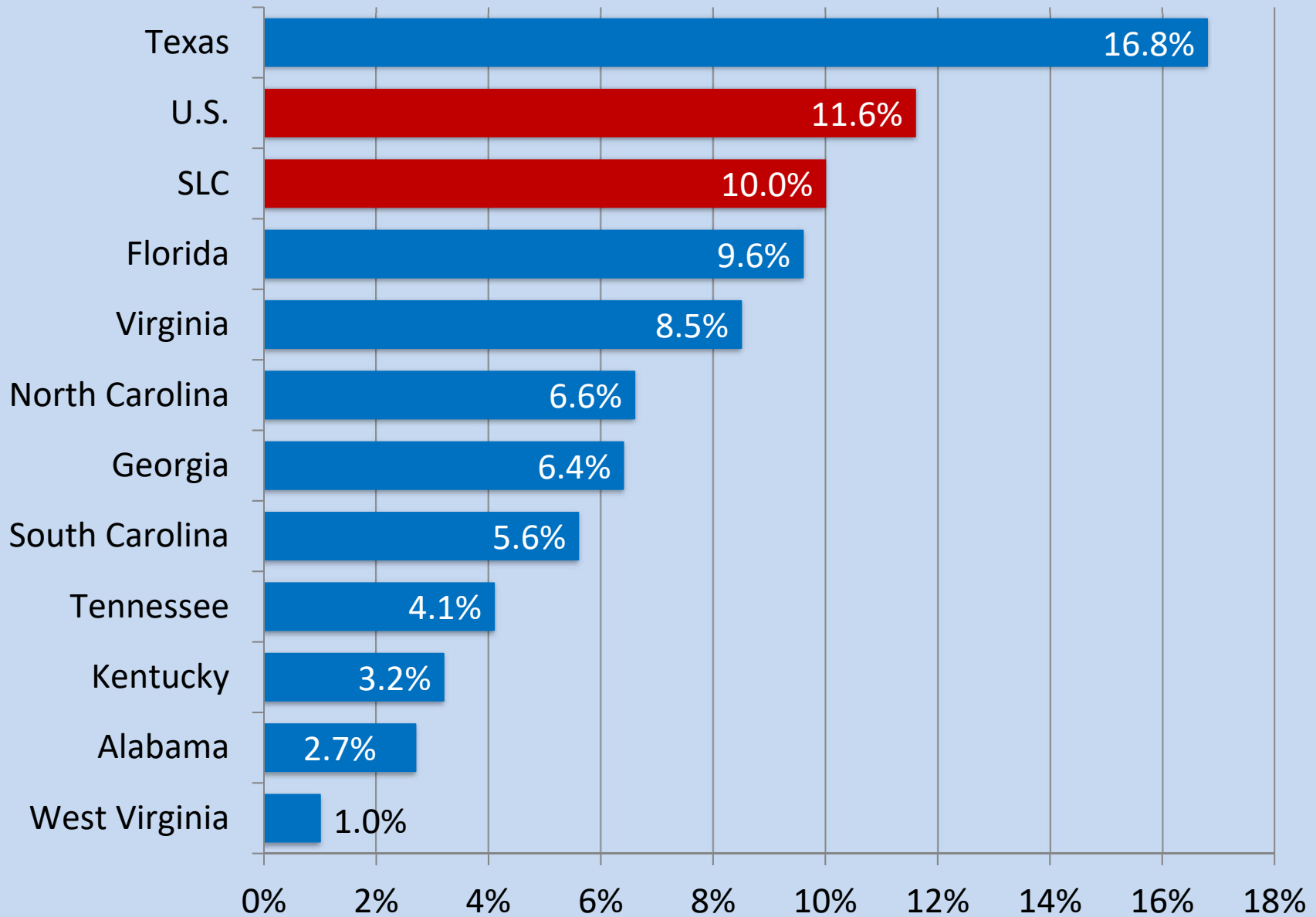
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Percentage of Students with IEPs (2015-16)



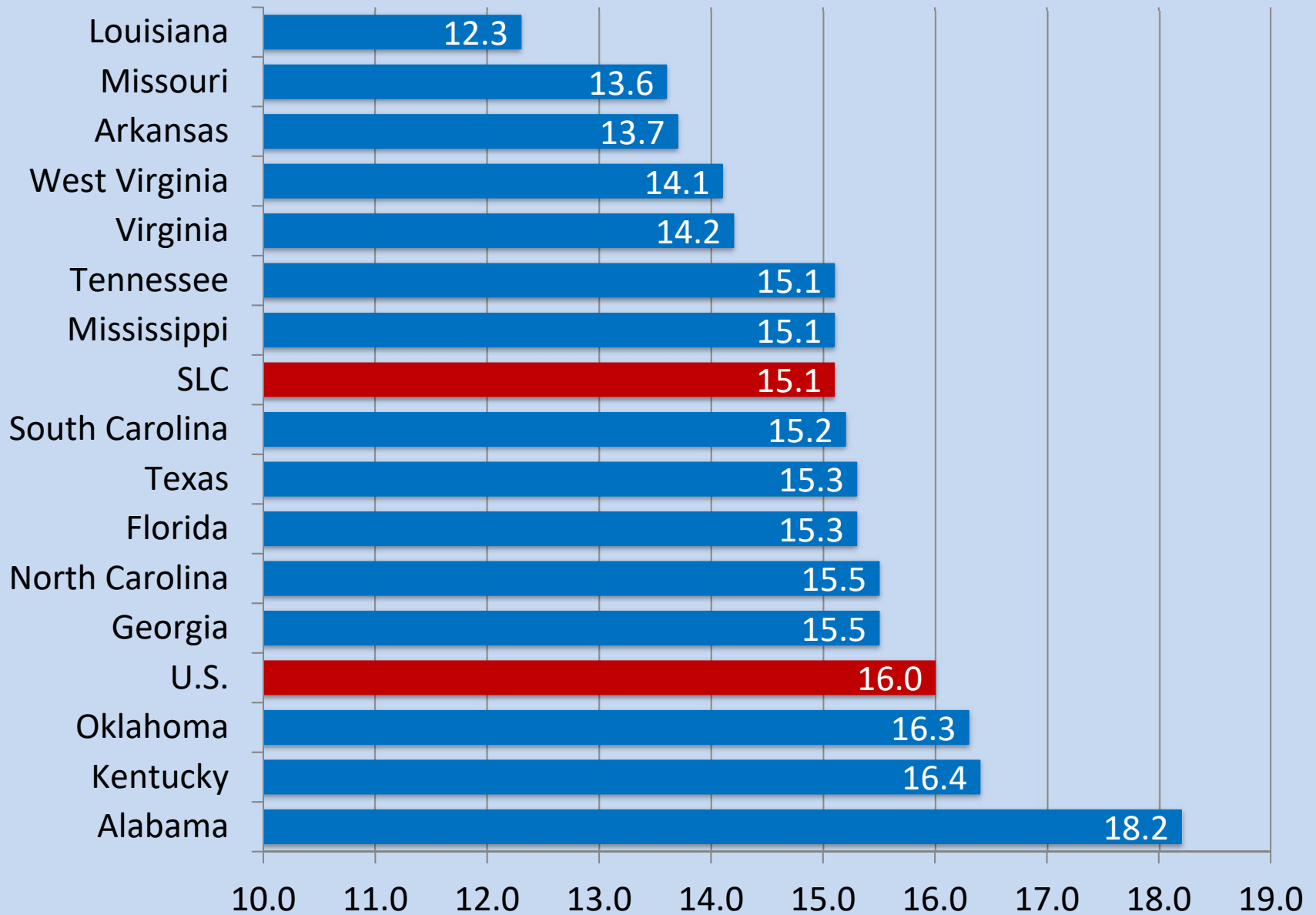
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Percentage of Students in LEP Programs (2015-16)



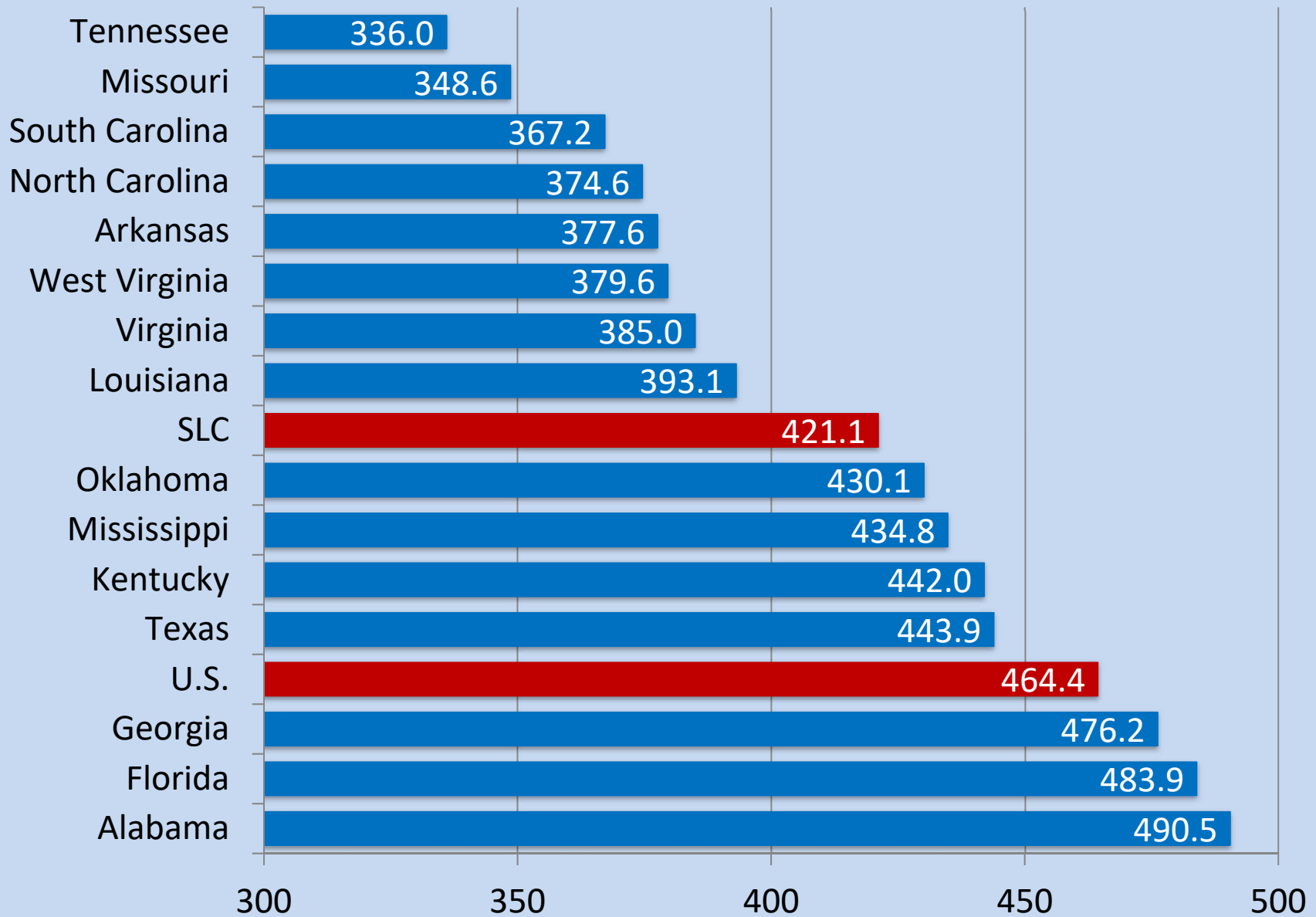
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Pupil-Teacher Ratio (2015-16)



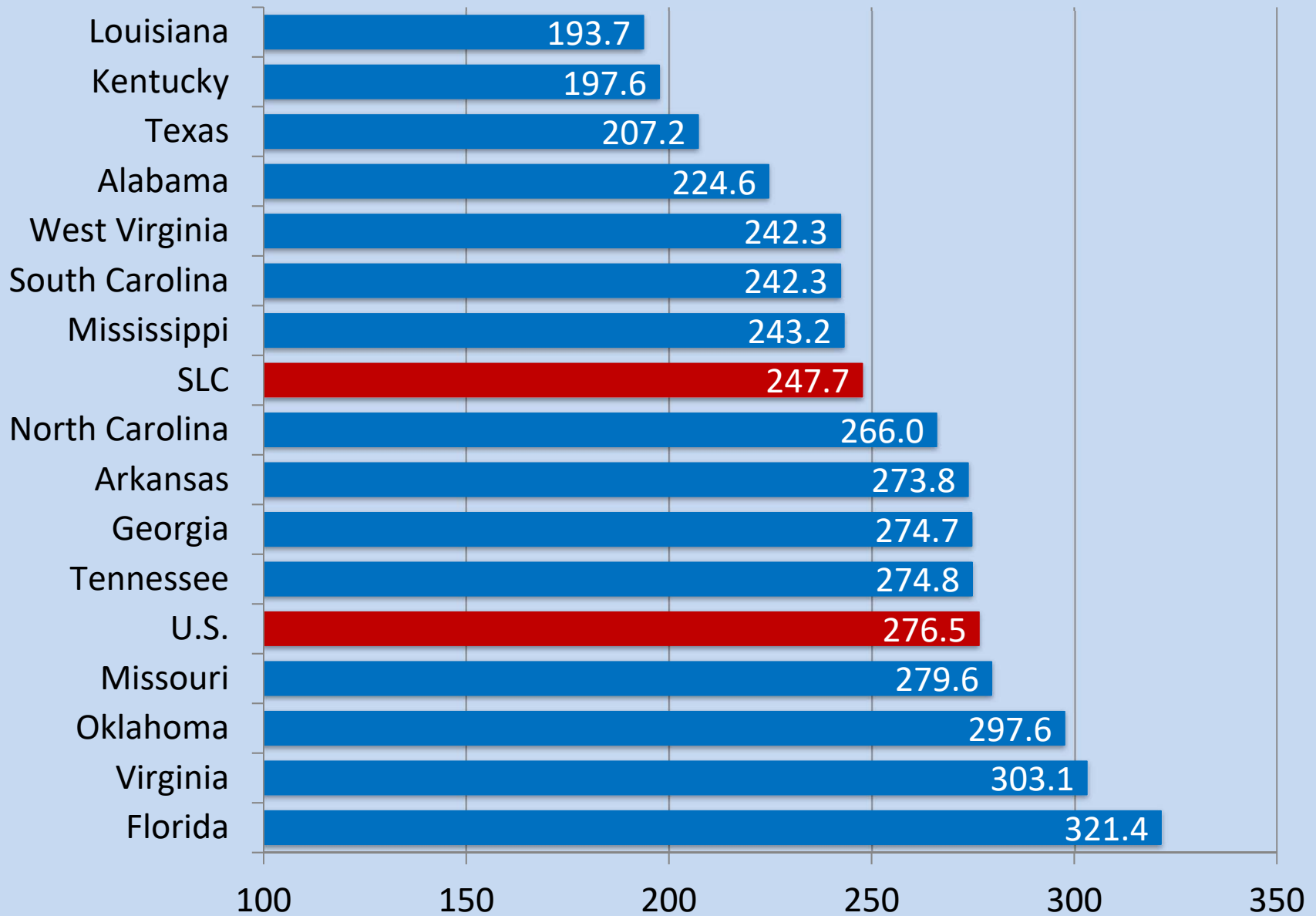
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Student-Guidance Counselor Ratio (2015-16)



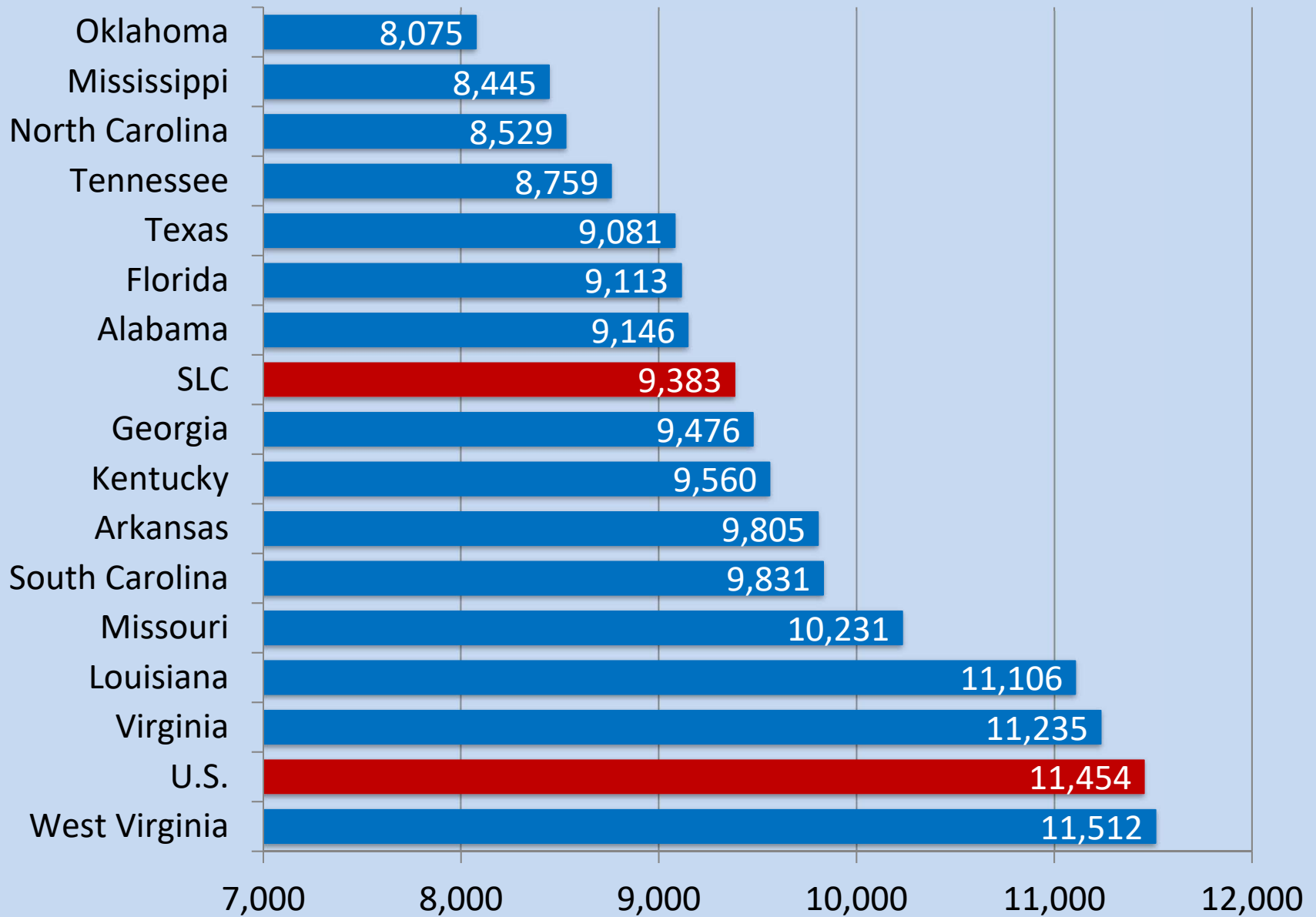
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Student-School Administrator Ratio (2015-16)



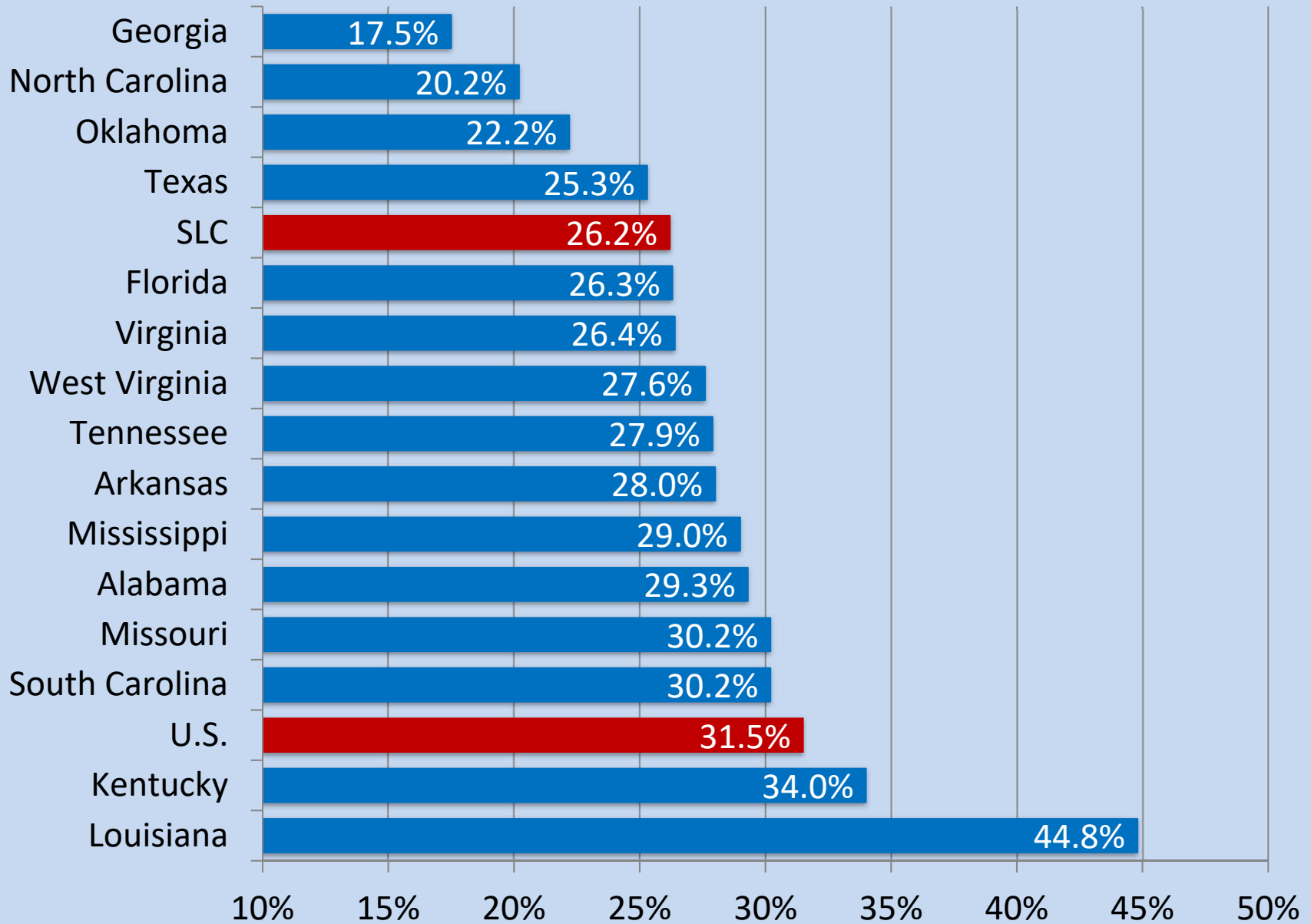
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Current Expenditures Per Student (2014-15)



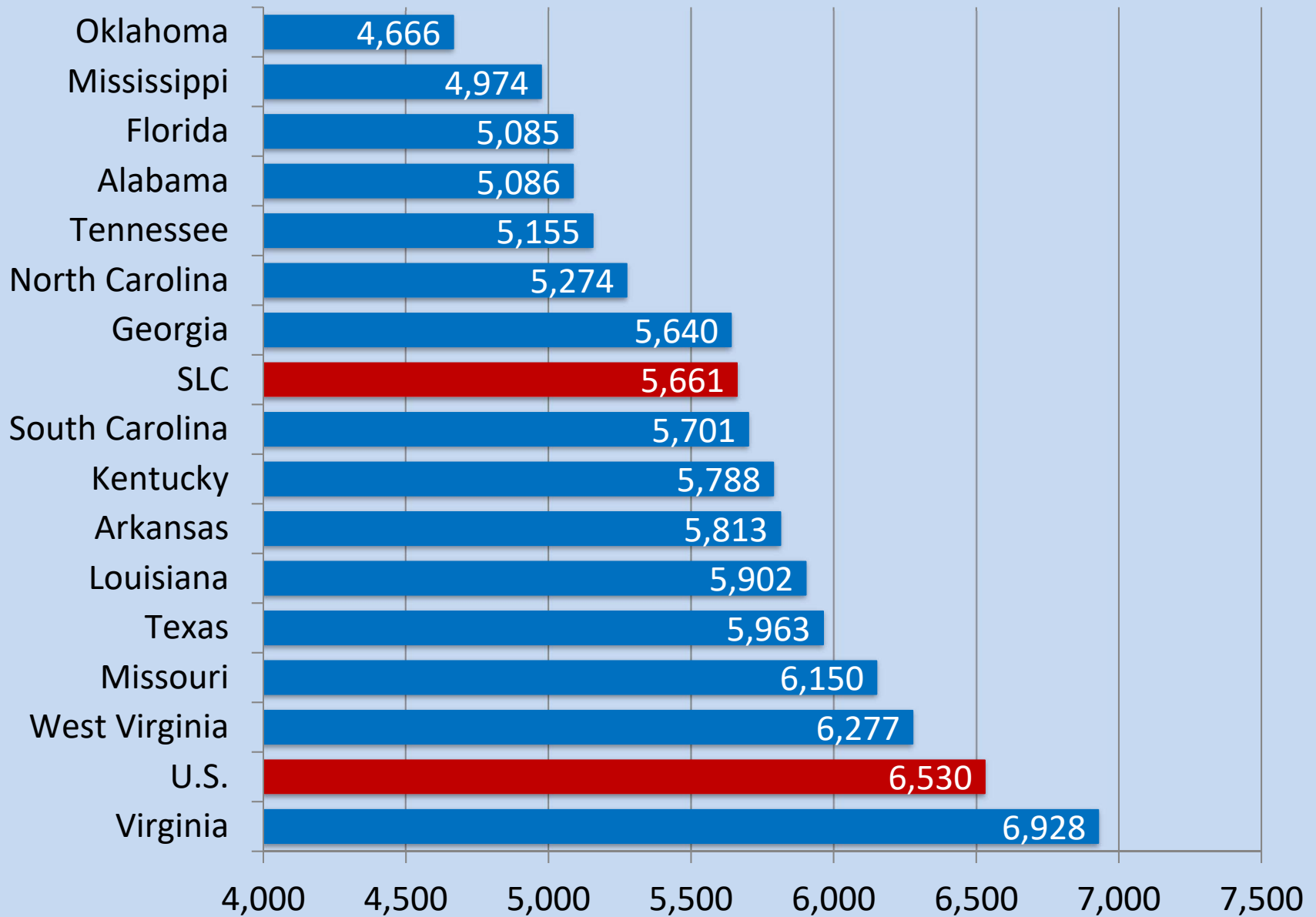
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Current Exp. Per Student 10-Year Increase (between 2004-05 and 2014-15)



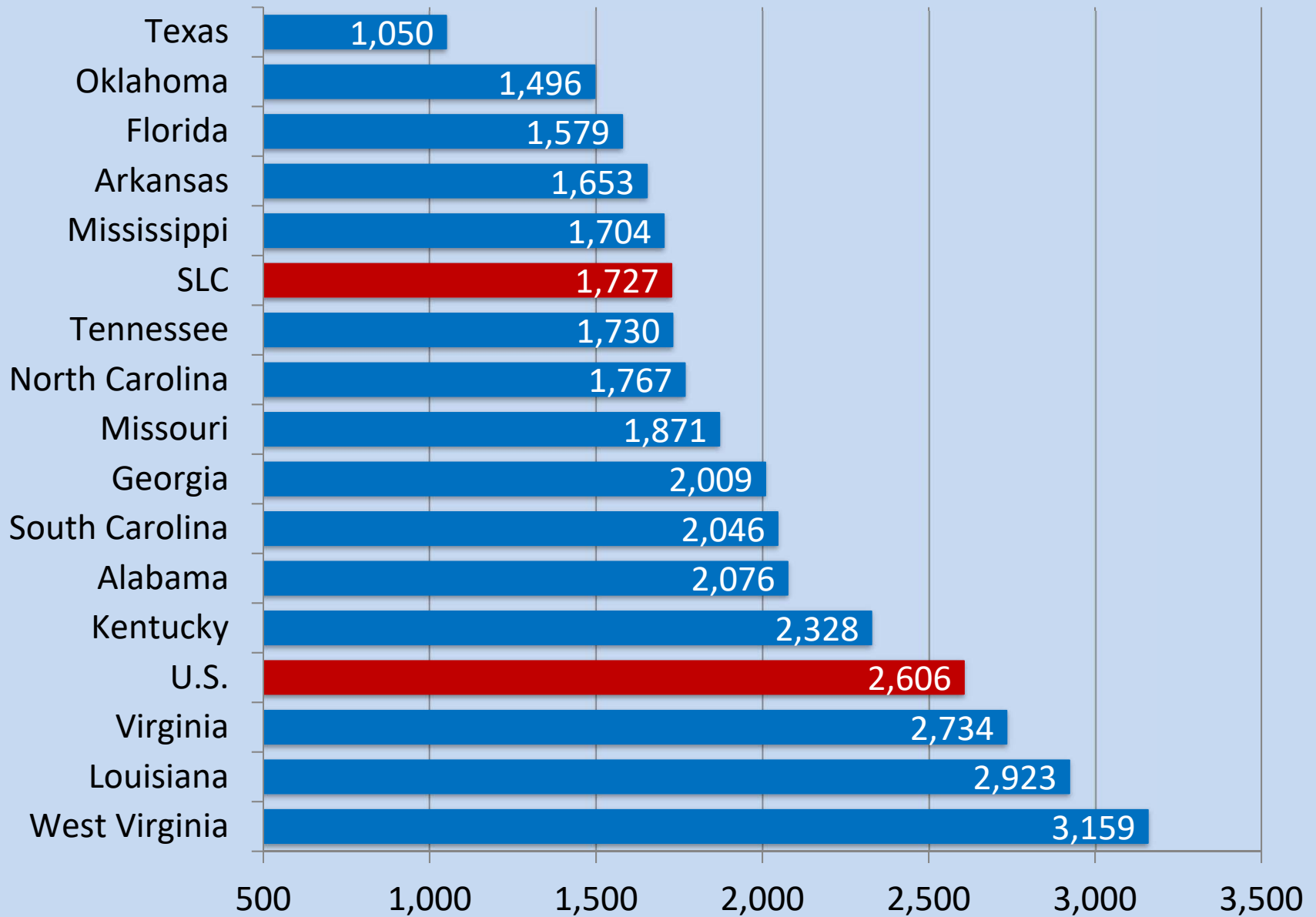
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Total Salary Expenditures Per Student (2014-15)



Source: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, Common Core of Data (CCD).

Total Employee Benefit Expenditures Per Student (2014-15)



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