



# Alaska Youth Risk Behavior Survey

## Sampling and Response Rates

Sample Description: (Same for both samples)

School Level -

All regular public schools containing grades 9, 10, 11, or 12 were included in the sampling frame. Schools were selected systematically with probability proportional to enrollment in grades 9 through 12 using a random start.

Class Level -

All classes meeting during a particular period of the day were included in the sampling frame. Systematic equal probability sampling with a random start was used to select classes from each school that participated in the survey.

### Traditional HS 2007

Response Rates:

Schools - 88%

Students - 68%

Overall response rate - 88% \* 68% = 60%

38 of 43 sampled schools participated

1,320 of the 1,952 sampled students submitted questionnaires.

1,318 questionnaires were usable after data editing.

### Traditional HS 2009

Response Rates:

Schools - 93%

Students - 64%

Overall response rate - 93% \* 64% = 62%

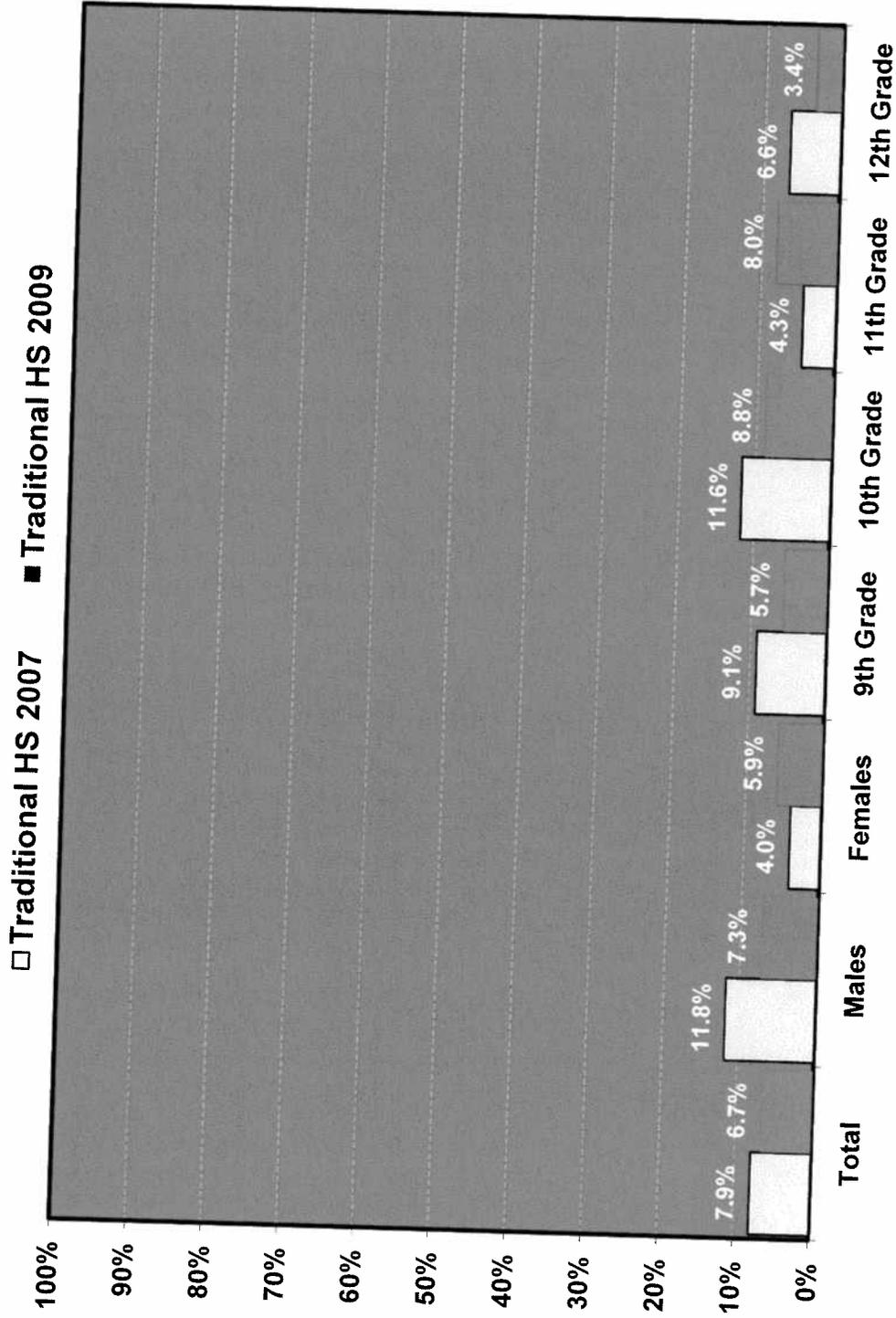
43 of 47 sampled schools participated

1,377 of the 2,135 sampled students submitted questionnaires.

1,373 questionnaires were usable after data editing.

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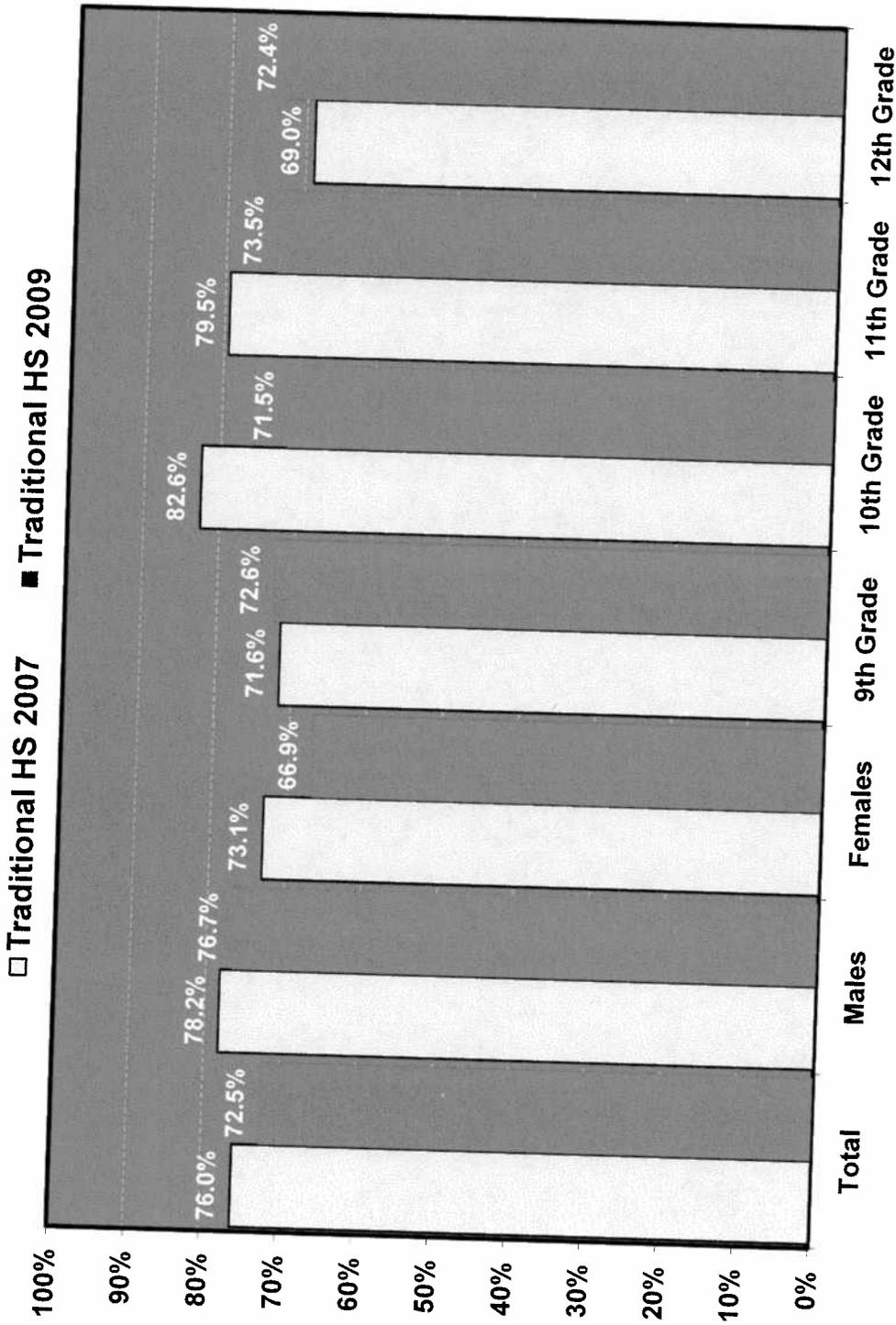
Percentage of students who received grades of mostly Ds and Fs during the past 12 months



Question: 8 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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Among students who rode a bicycle during the past 12 months, the percentage who never or rarely wore a bicycle helmet

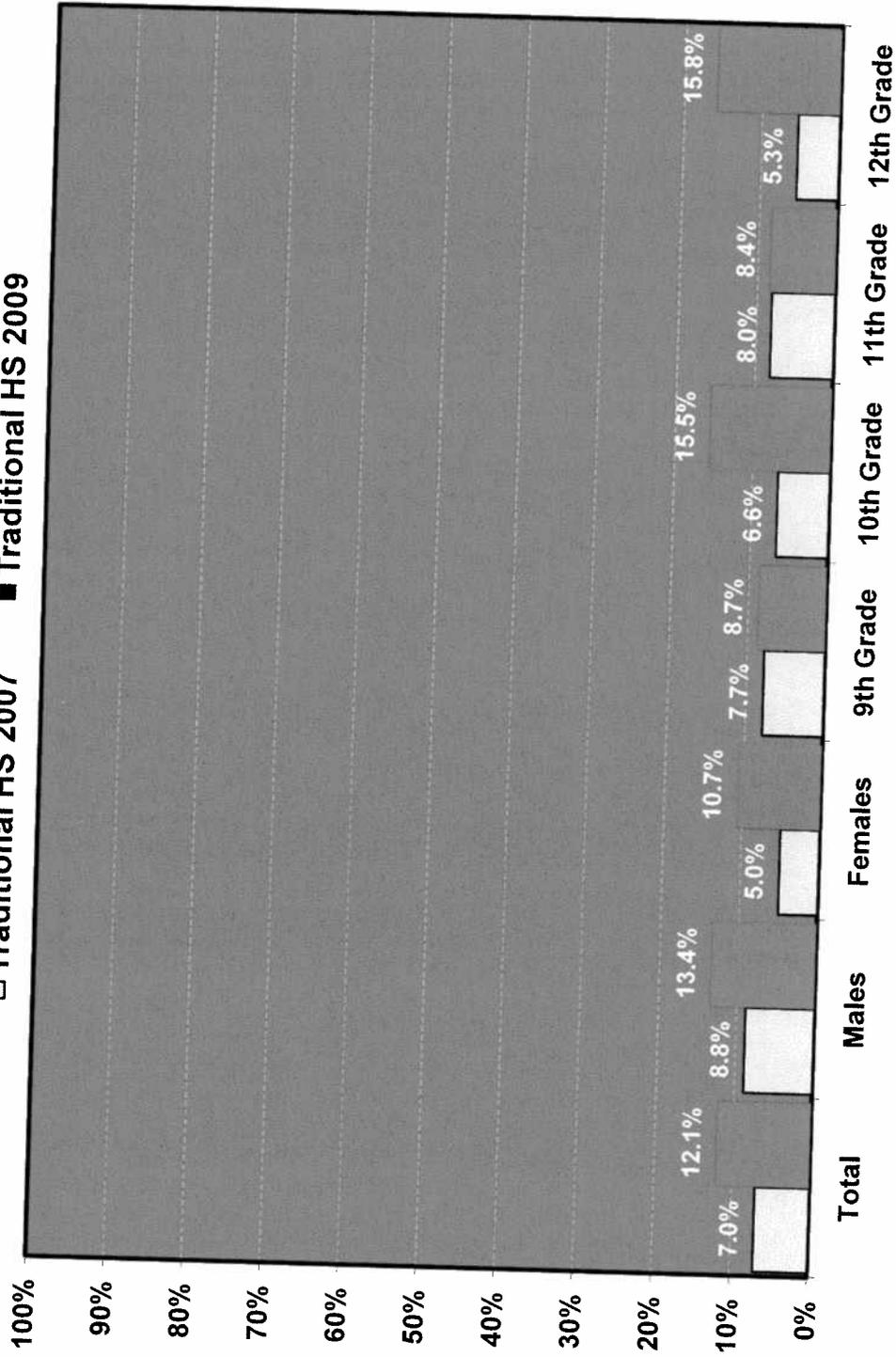


Question: 9 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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Percentage of students who never or rarely wear a seat belt when riding in a car driven by someone else

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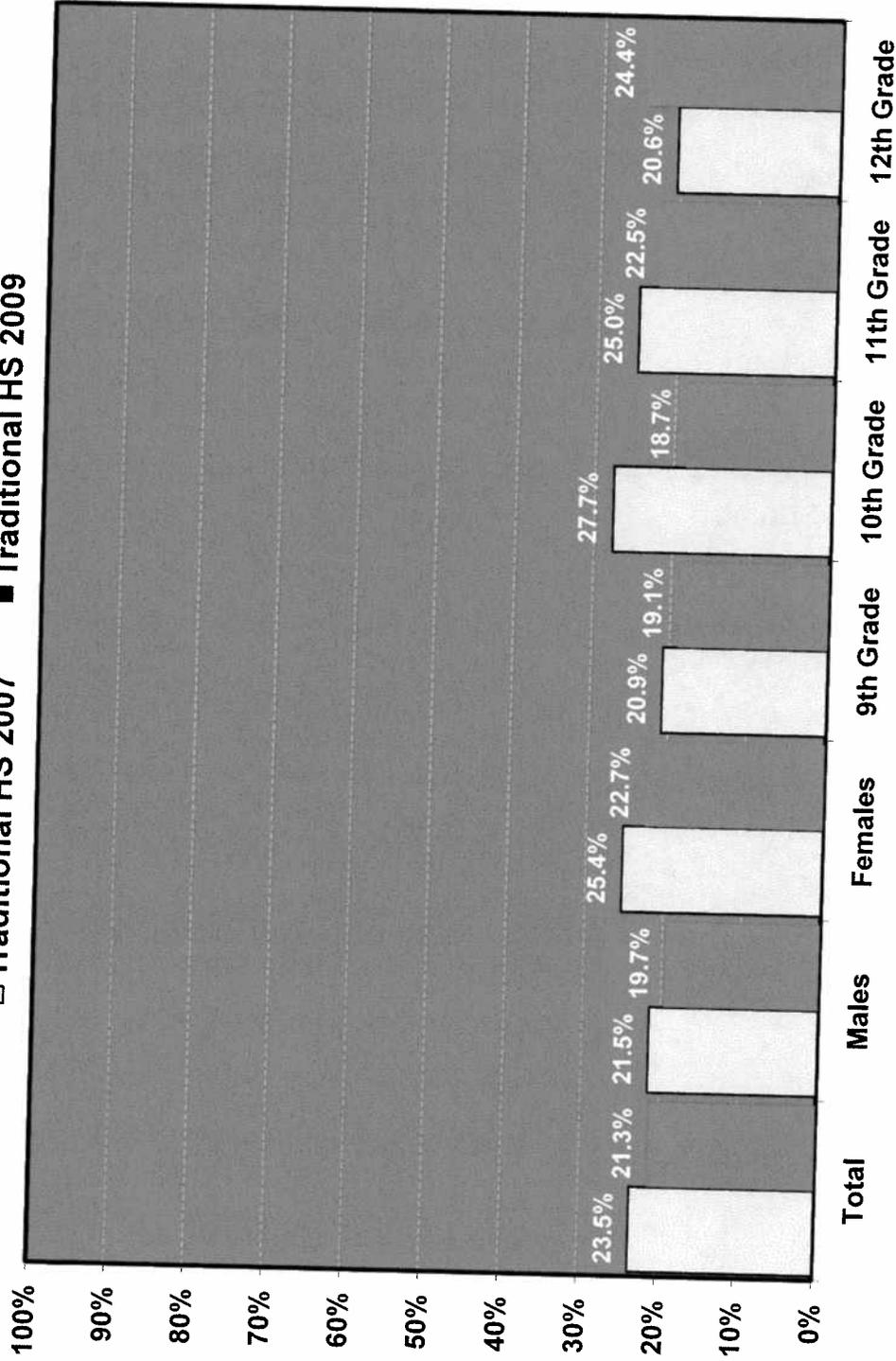


Question: 10 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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Percentage of students who rode one or more times during the past 30 days in a car or other vehicle driven by someone who had been drinking

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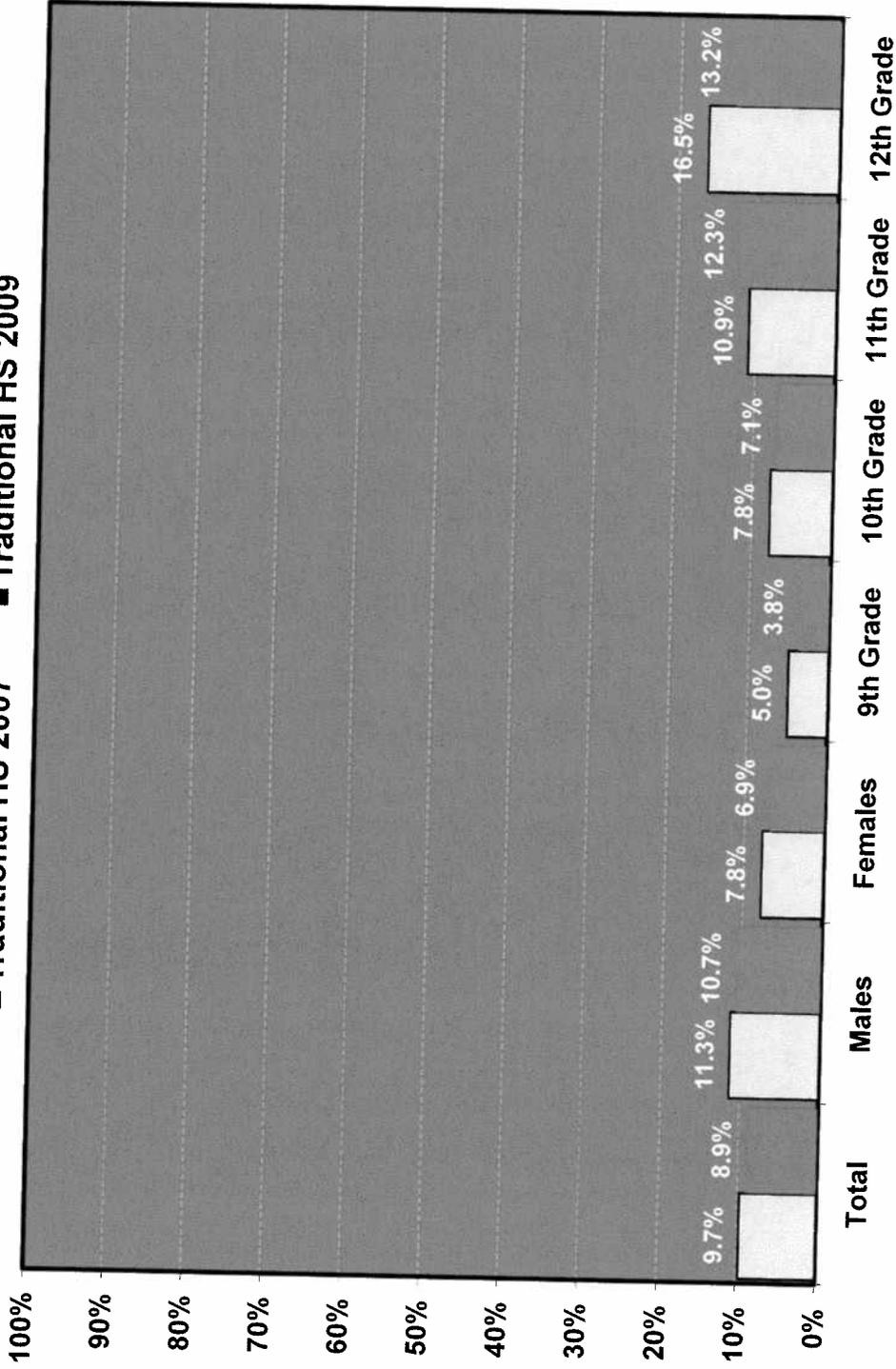


Question: 11 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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Percentage of students who drove a car or other vehicle one or more times during the past 30 days when they had been drinking

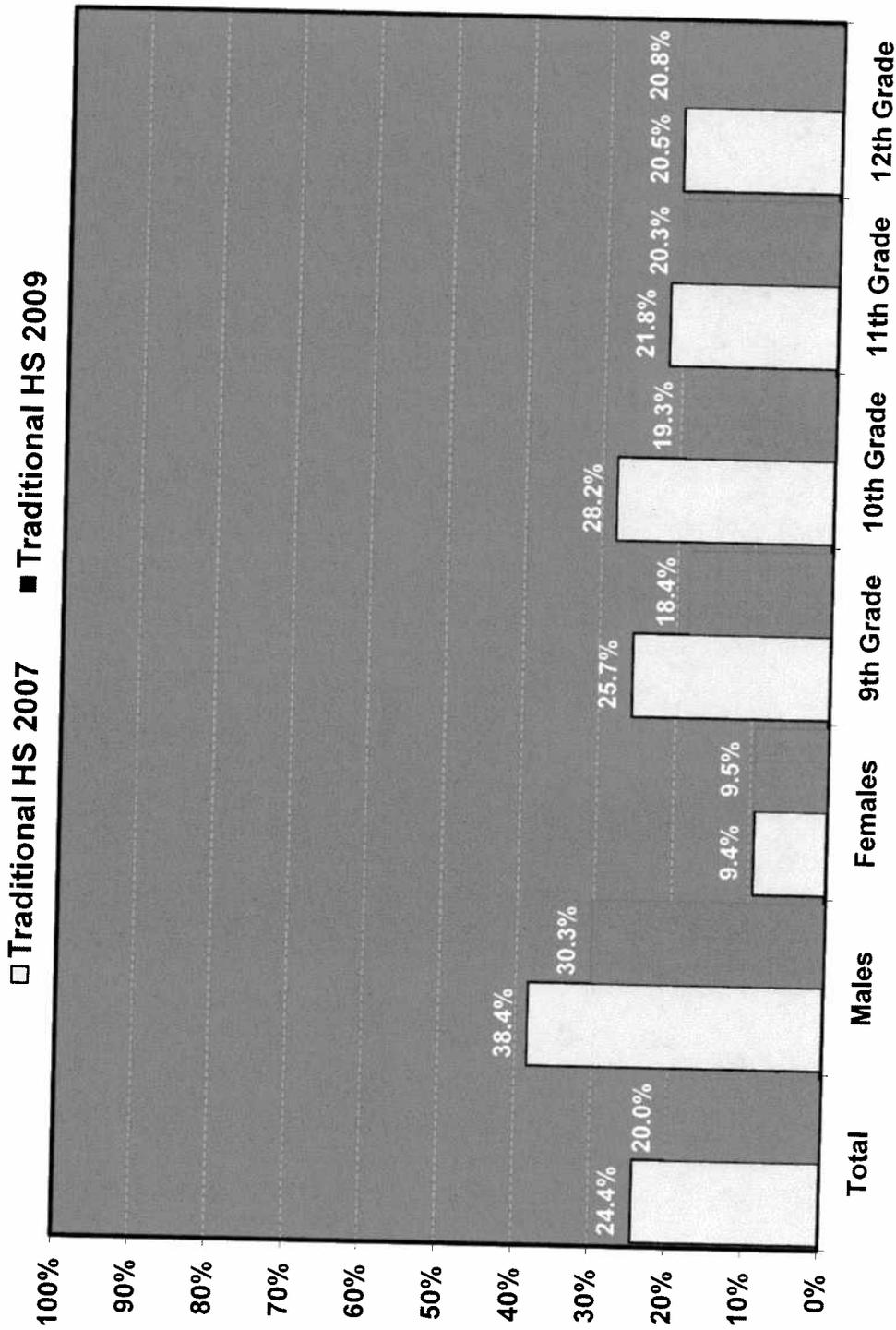
□ Traditional HS 2007   ■ Traditional HS 2009



Question: 12 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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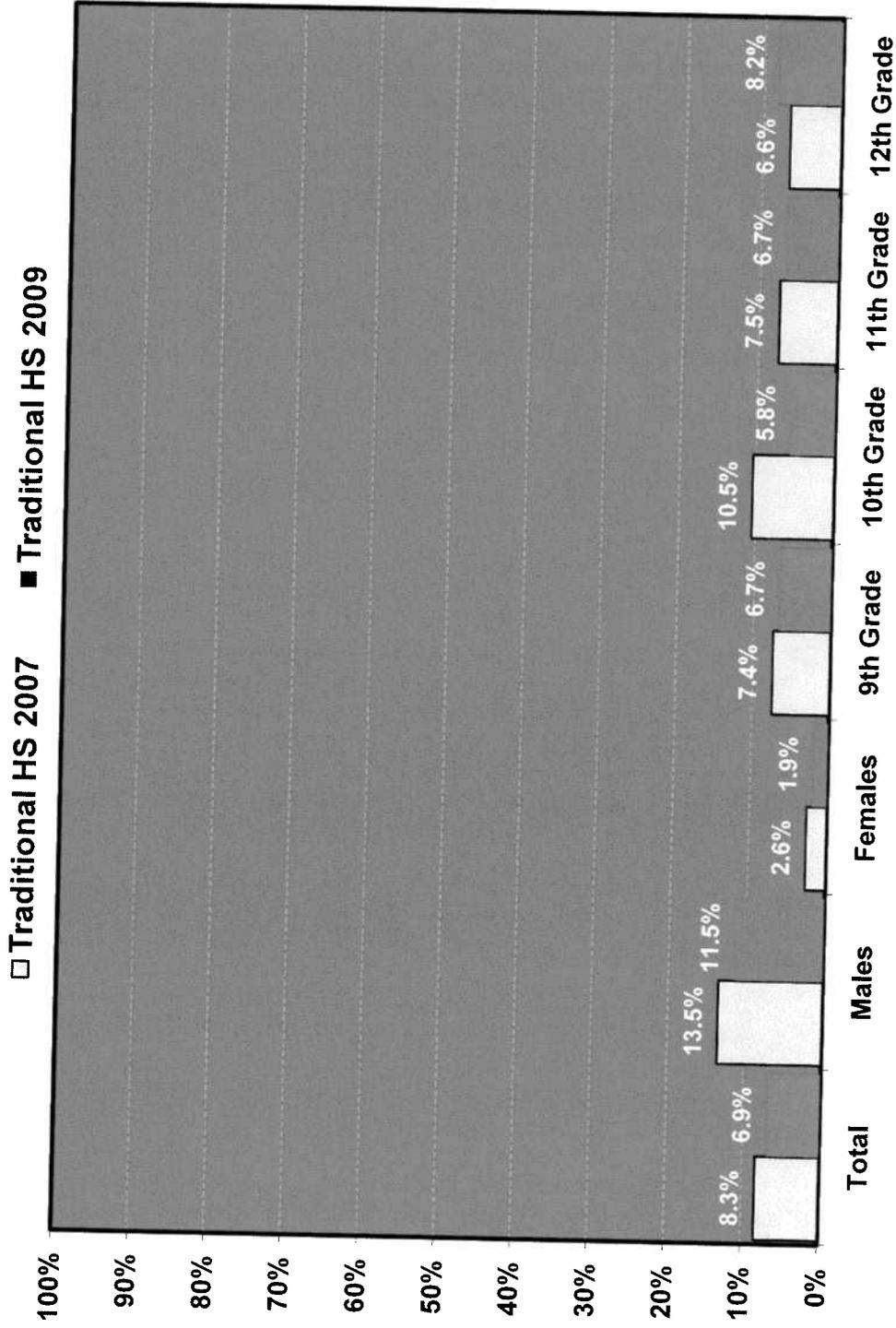
Percentage of students who carried a weapon such as a gun, knife, or club on one or more of the past 30 days



Question: 13 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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Percentage of students who carried a gun on one or more of the past 30 days

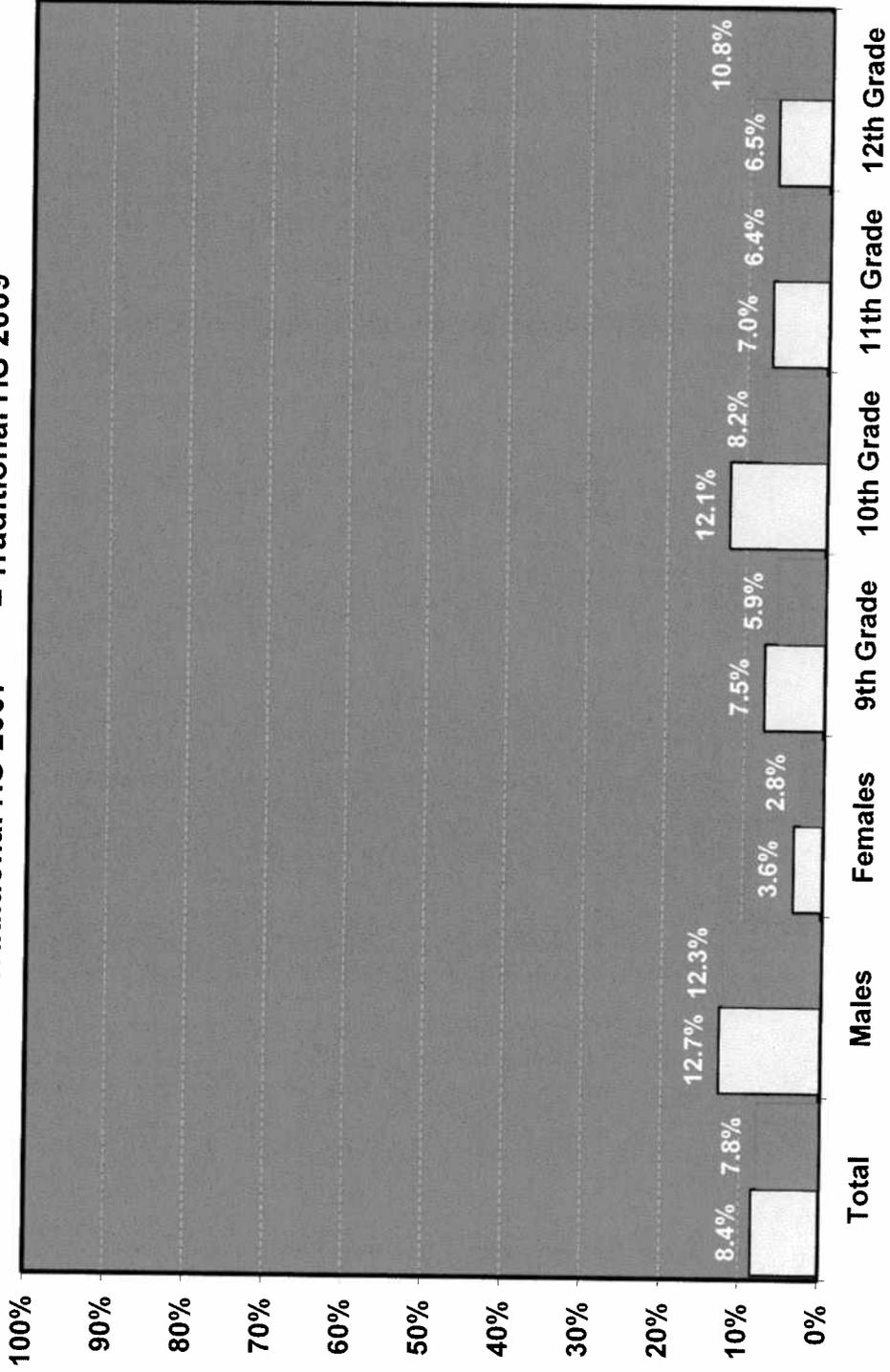


Question: 14 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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Percentage of students who carried a weapon such as a gun, knife, or club on school property on one or more of the past 30 days

□ Traditional HS 2007    ■ Traditional HS 2009

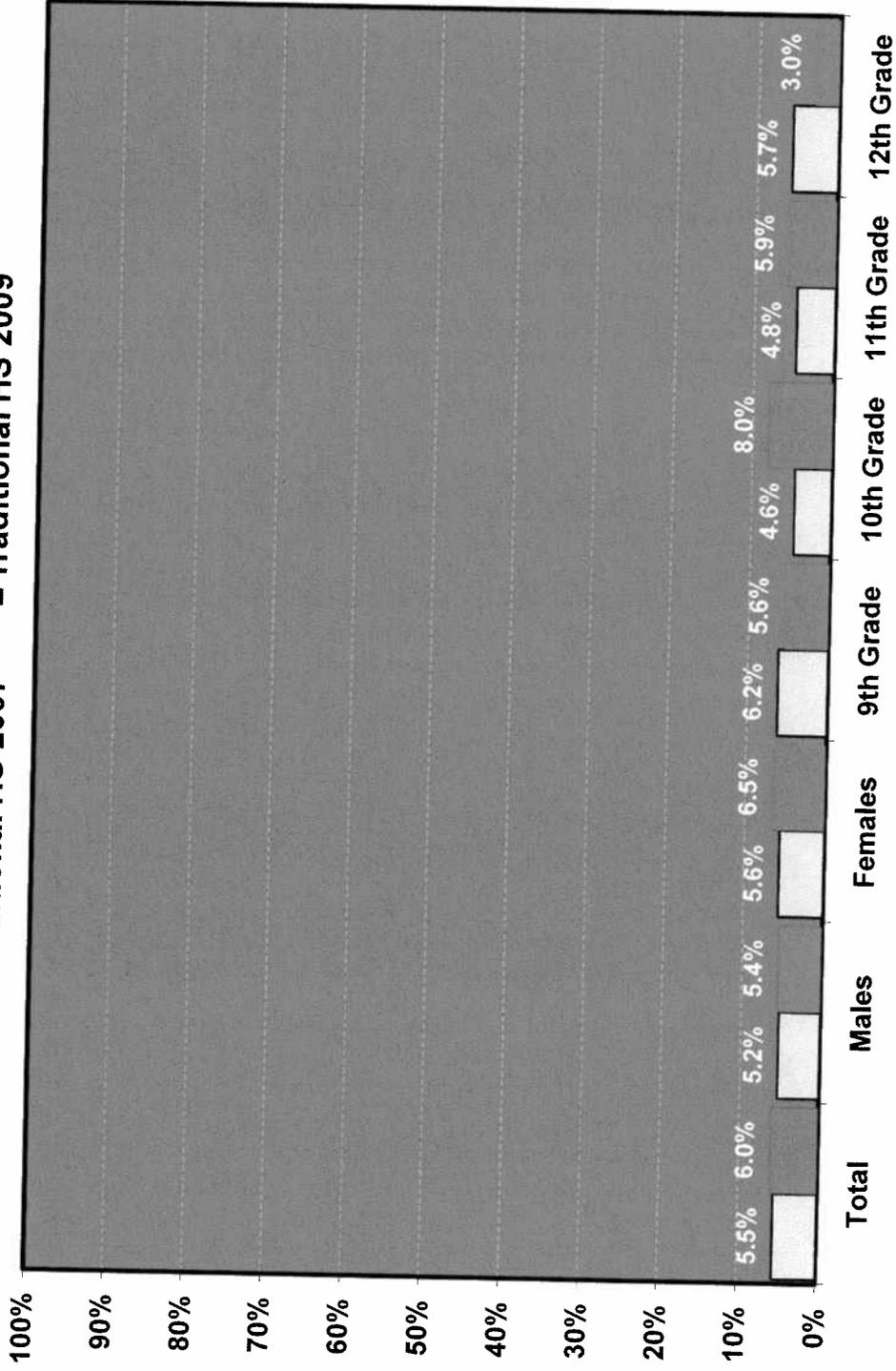


Question: 15 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade.  
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Percentage of students who did not go to school on one or more of the past 30 days because they felt unsafe at school or on their way to or from school

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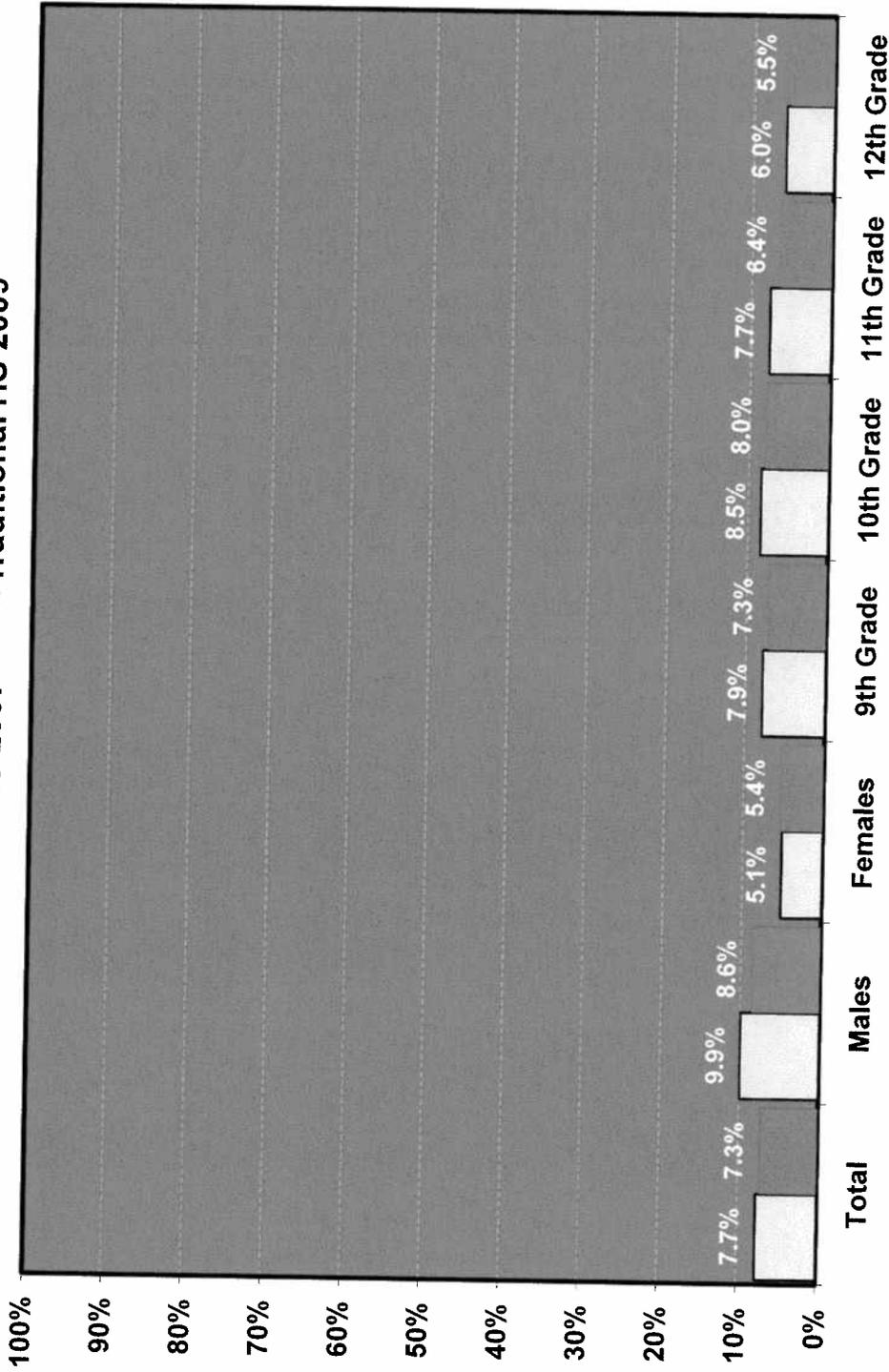


Question: 16 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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Percentage of students who had been threatened or injured with a weapon on school property one or more times during the past 12 months

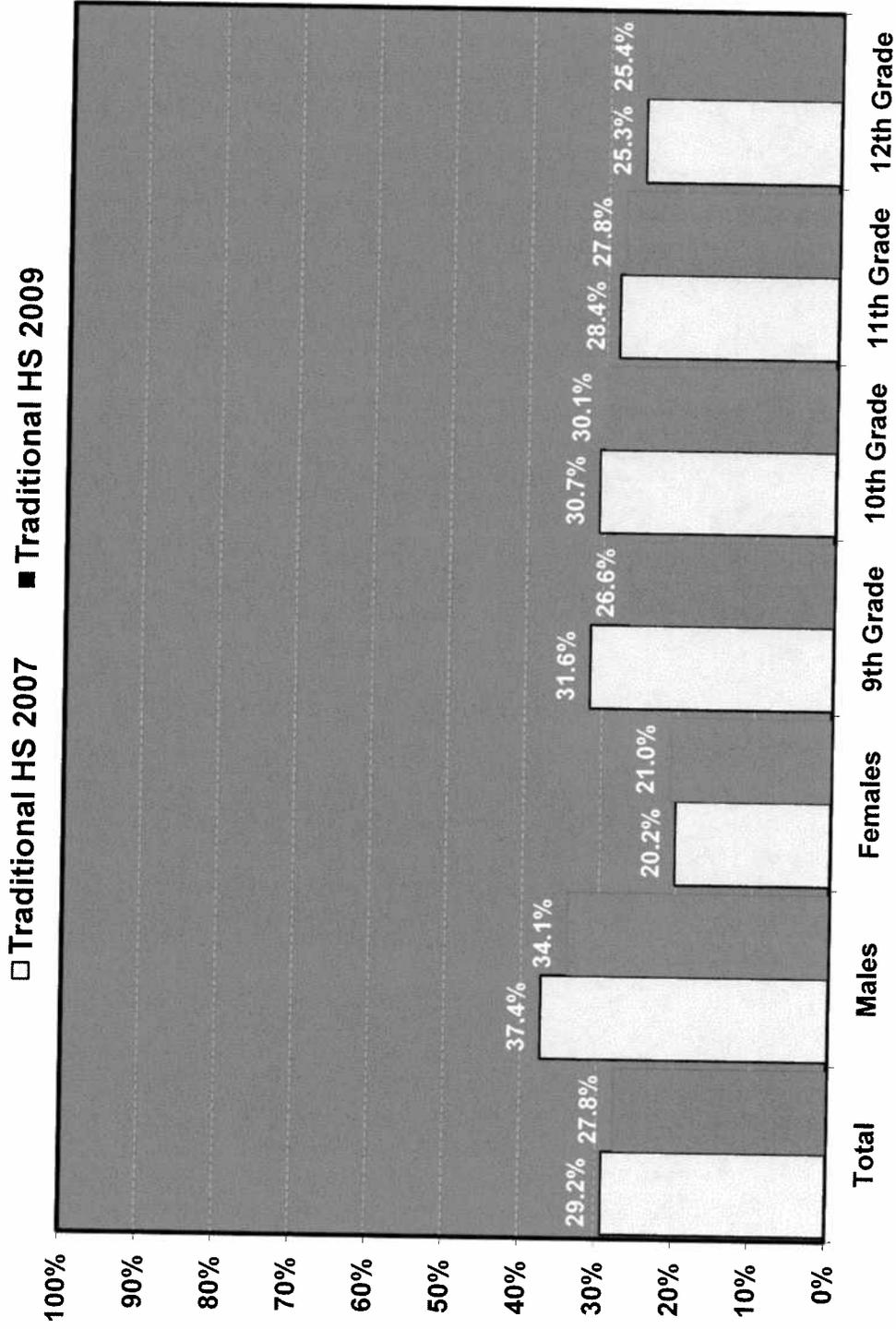
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Question: 17 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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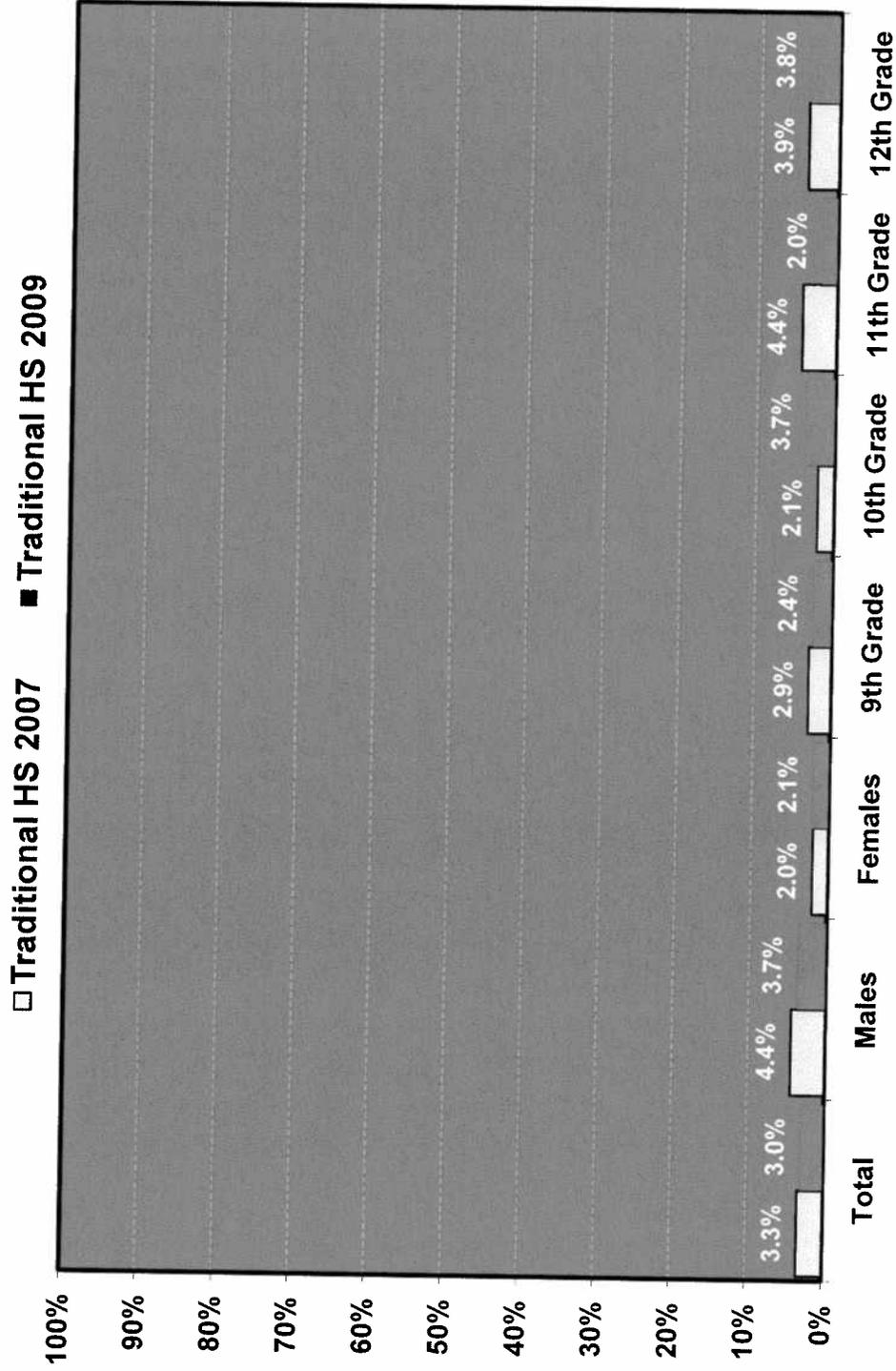
Percentage of students who were in a physical fight one or more times during the past 12 months



Question: 18 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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Percentage of students who were in a physical fight one or more times during the past 12 months in which they were injured and had to be treated by a doctor or nurse

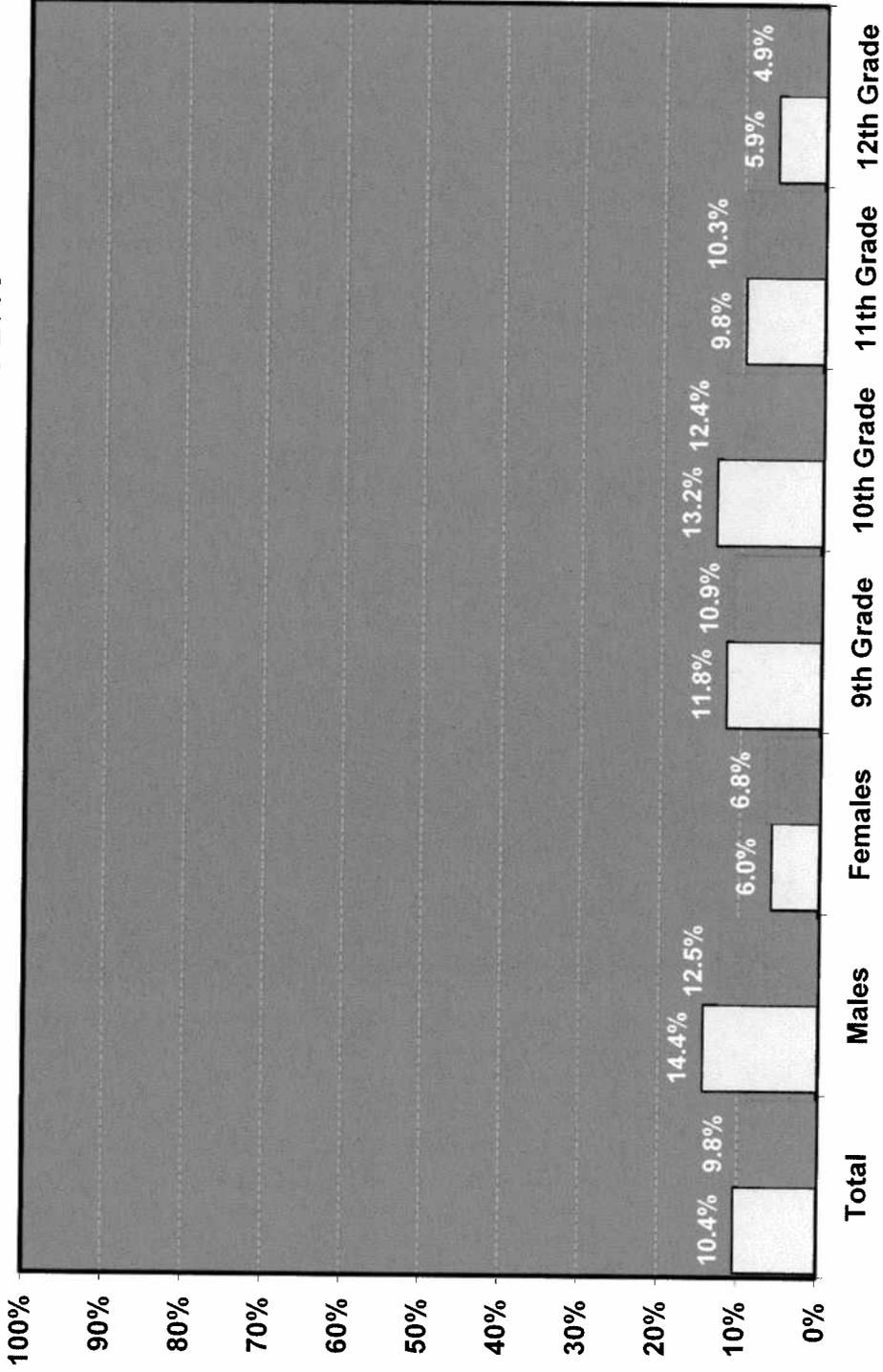


Question: 19 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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Percentage of students who were in a physical fight on school property one or more times during the past 12 months

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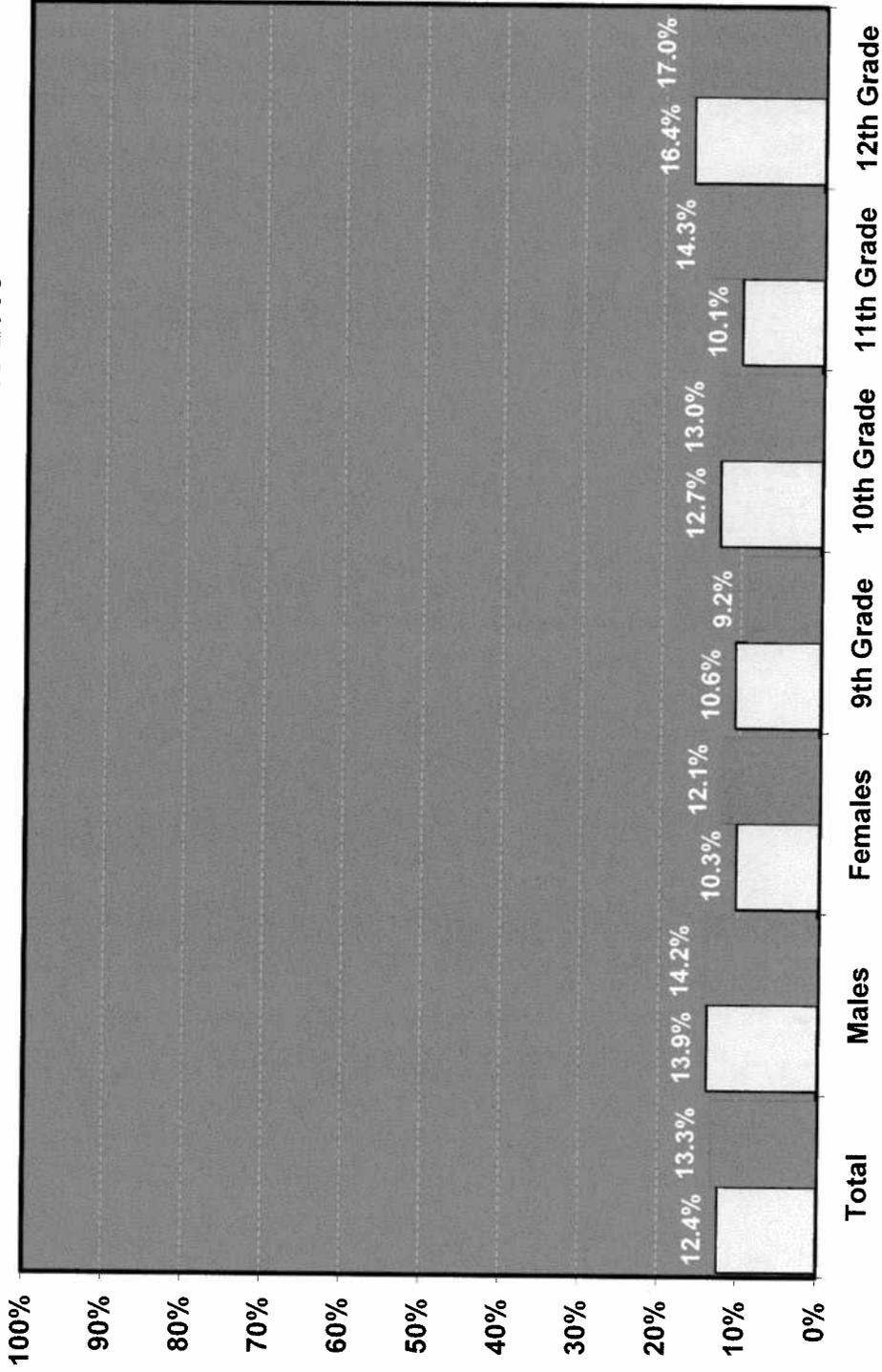


Question: 20 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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Percentage of students who were ever hit, slapped, or physically hurt on purpose by their boyfriend or girlfriend during the past 12 months

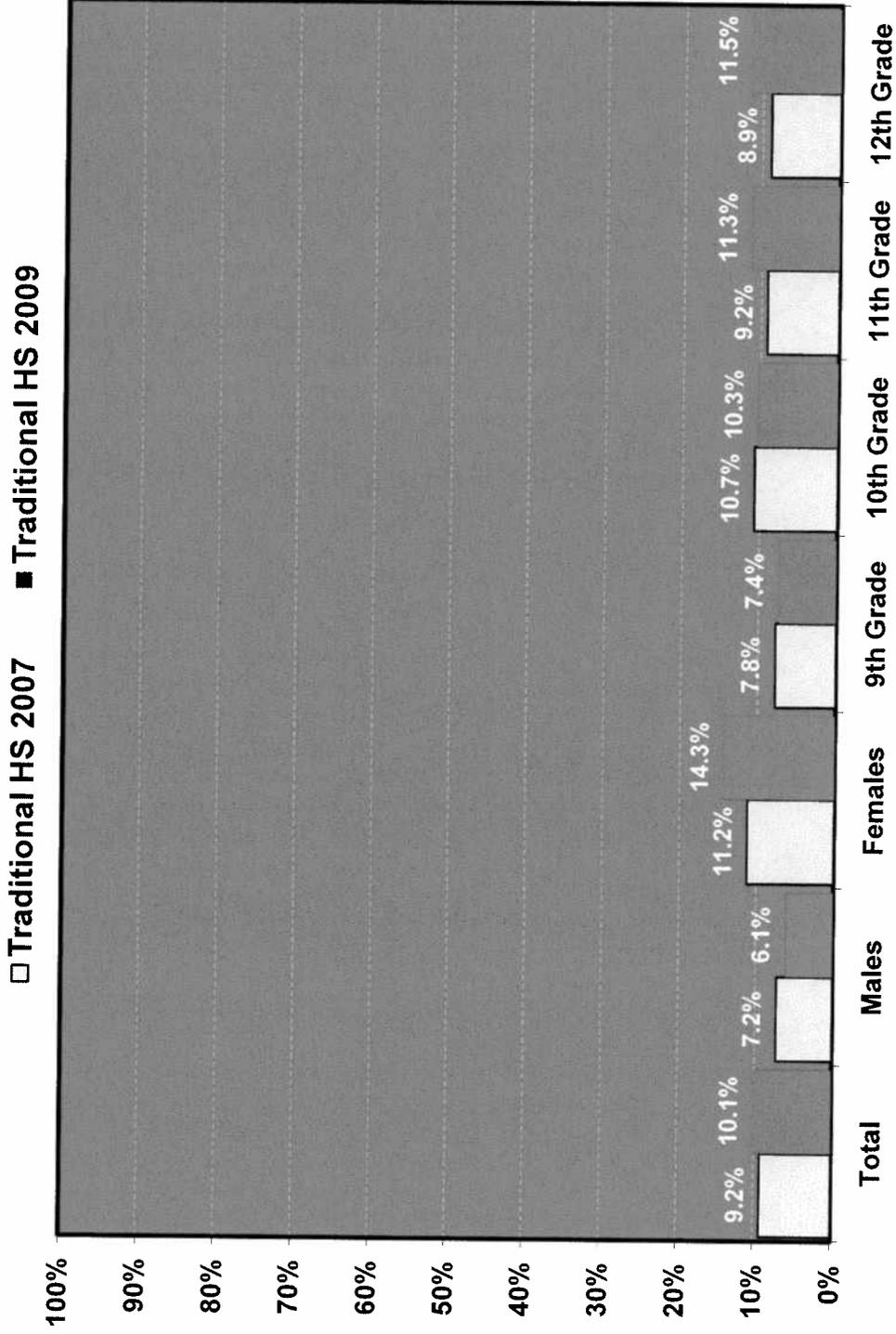
□ Traditional HS 2007 ■ Traditional HS 2009



Question: 21 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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Percentage of students who have ever been physically forced to have sexual intercourse when they did not want to

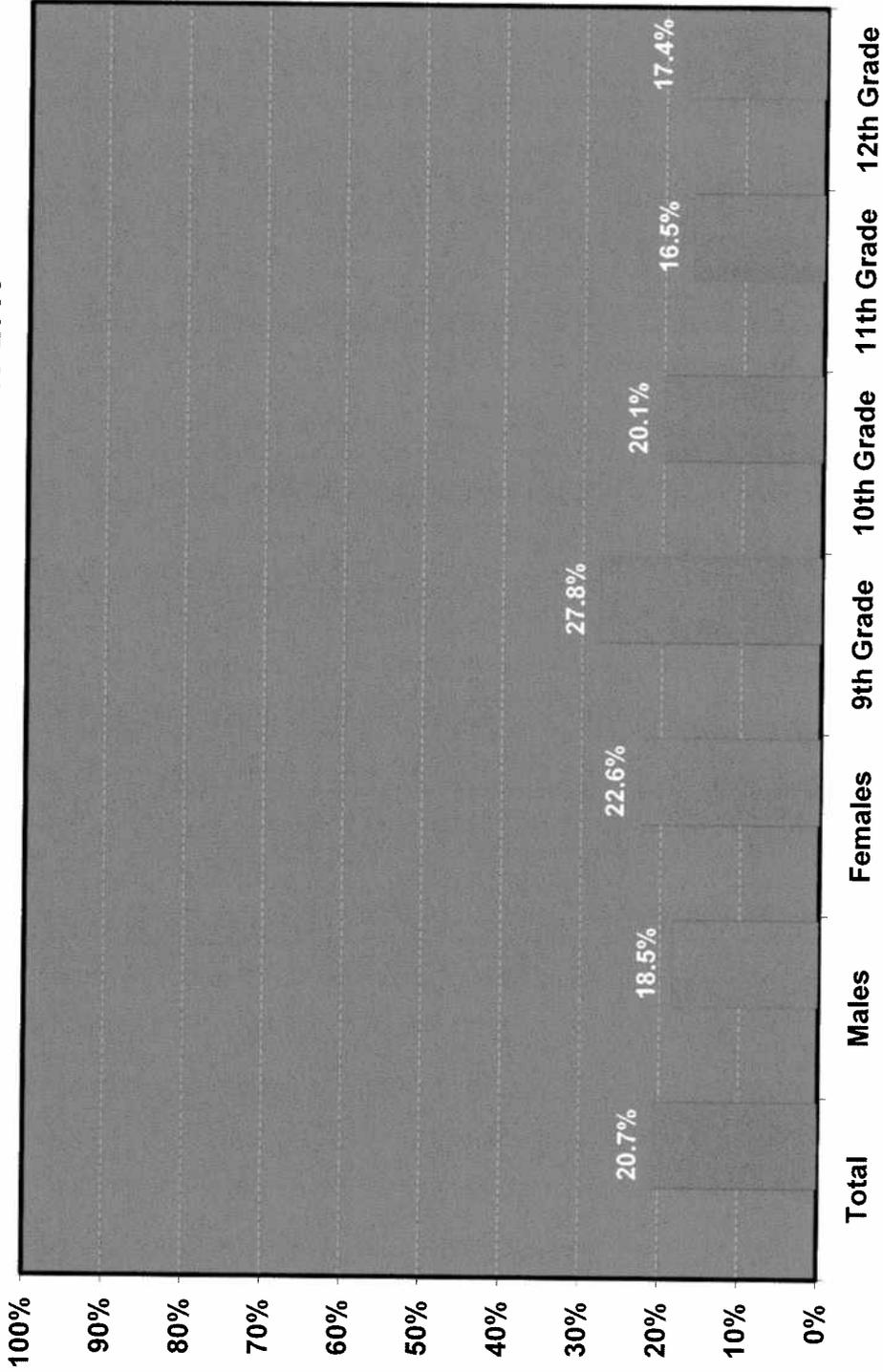


Question: 22 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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Percentage of students who had ever been bullied on school property during the past 12 months

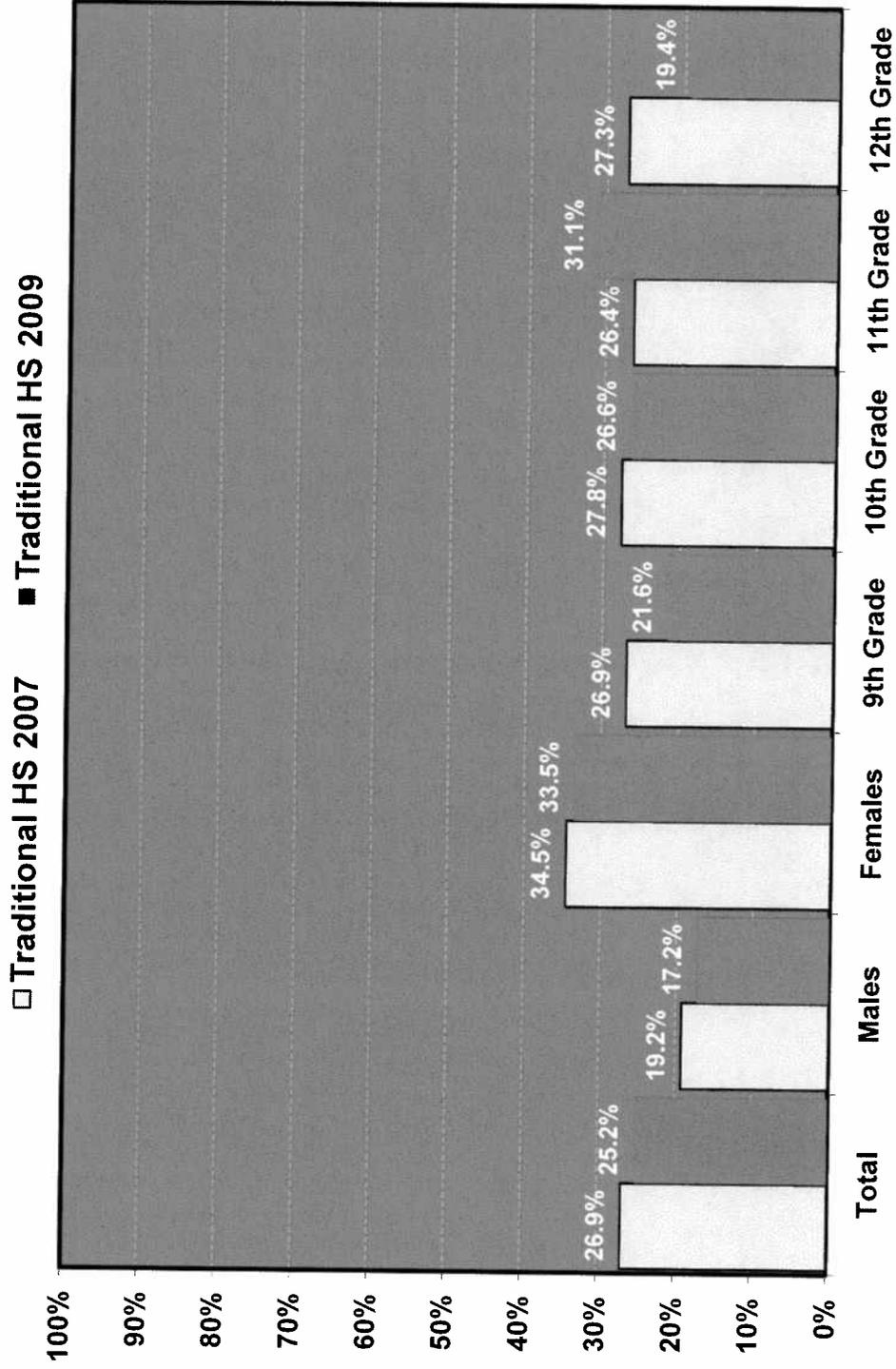
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Question: 23 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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Percentage of students who felt so sad or hopeless almost every day for two weeks or more in a row that they stopped doing some usual activities during the past 12 months

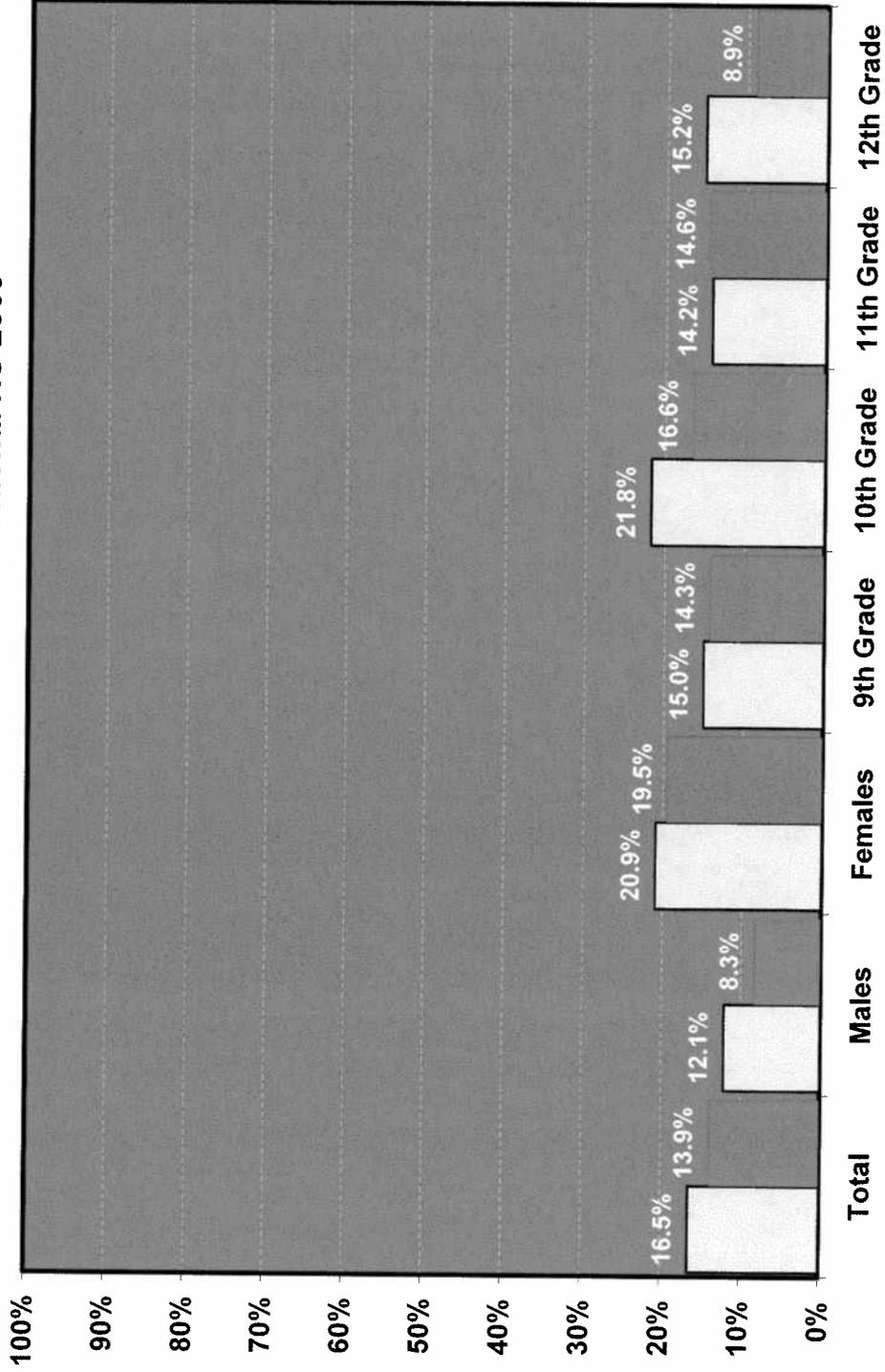


Question: 24 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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Percentage of students who seriously considered attempting suicide during the past 12 months

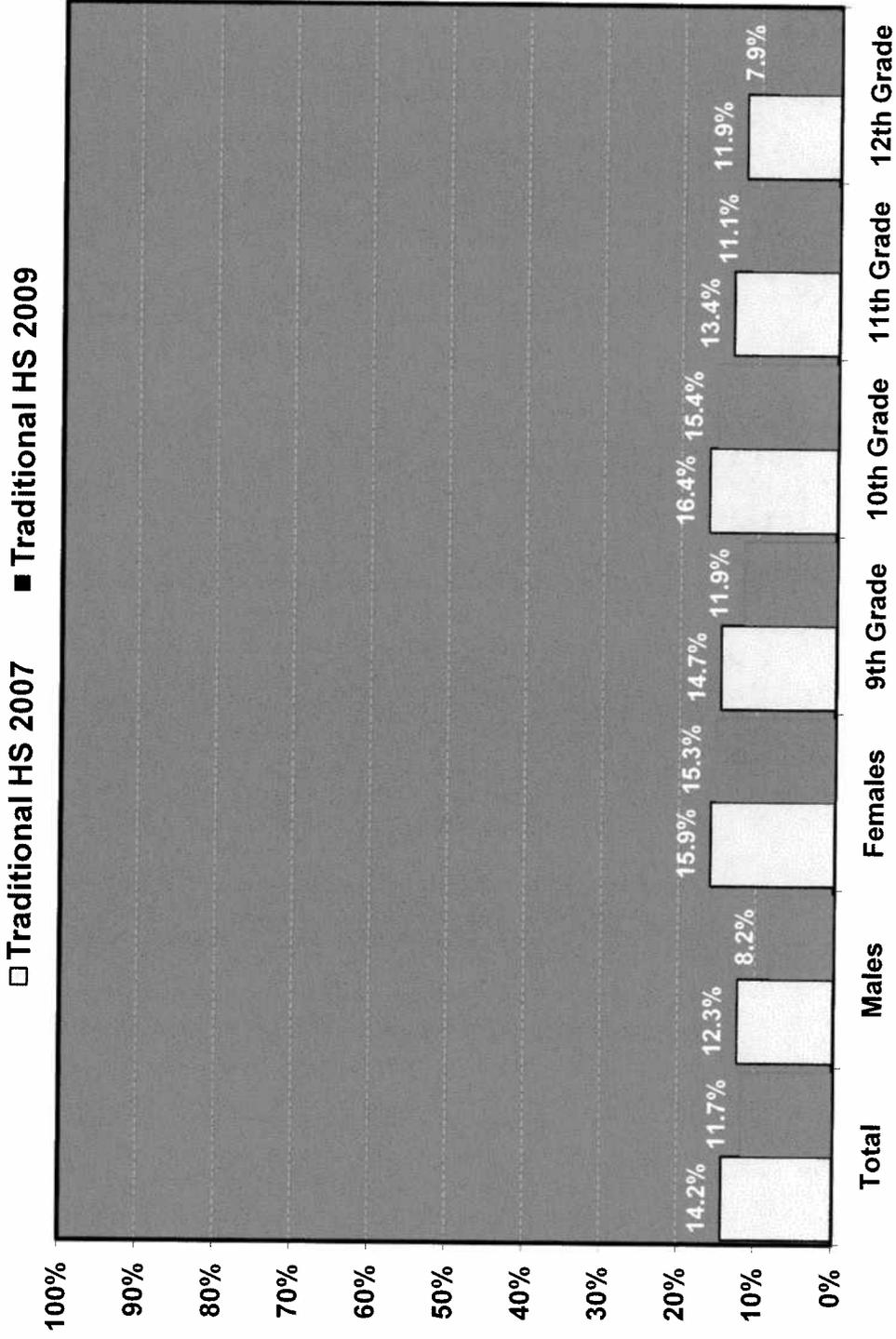
□ Traditional HS 2007    ■ Traditional HS 2009



Question: 25 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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Percentage of students who made a plan about how they would attempt suicide during the past 12 months

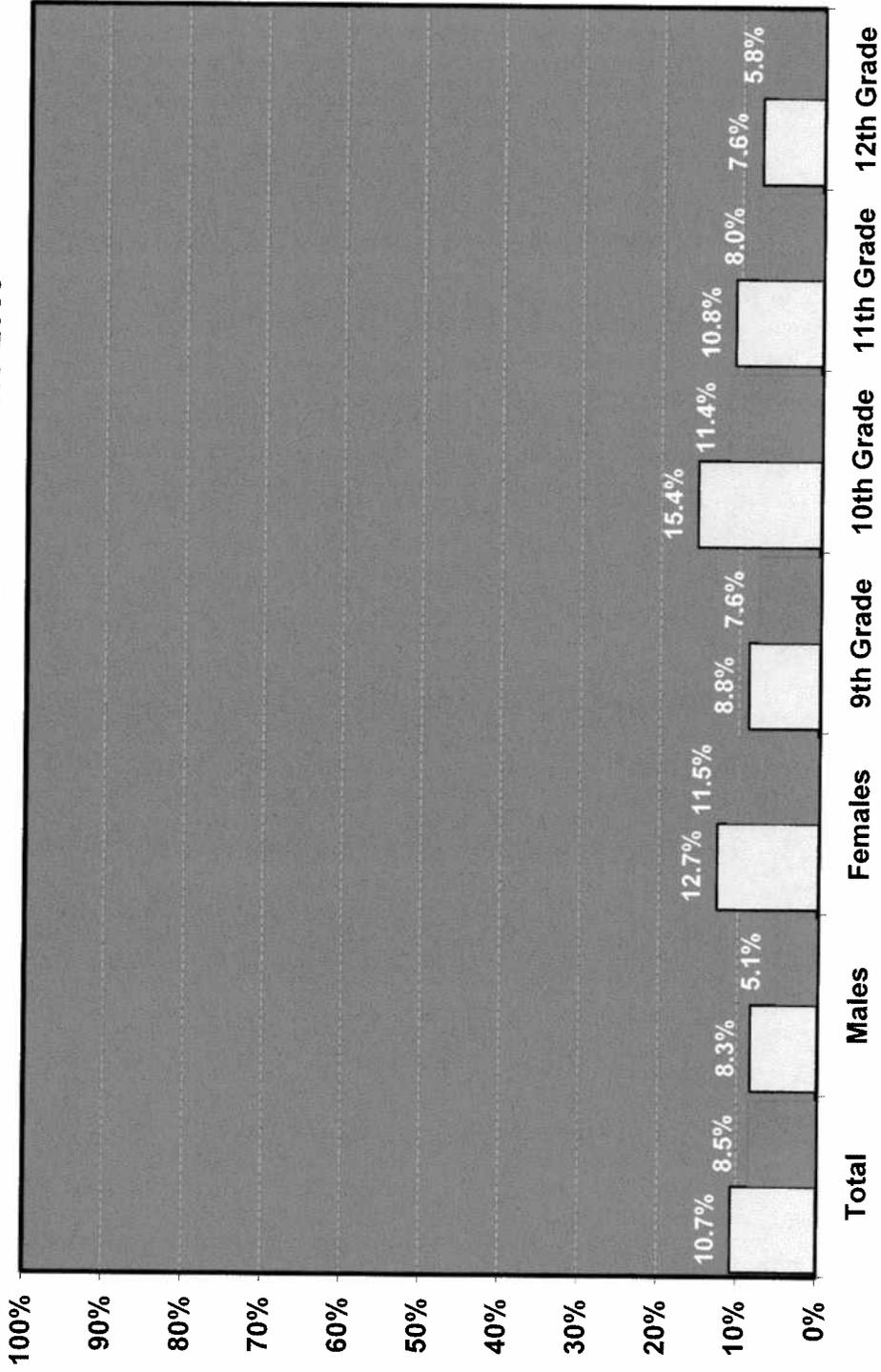


Question: 26 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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Percentage of students who actually attempted suicide one or more times during the past 12 months

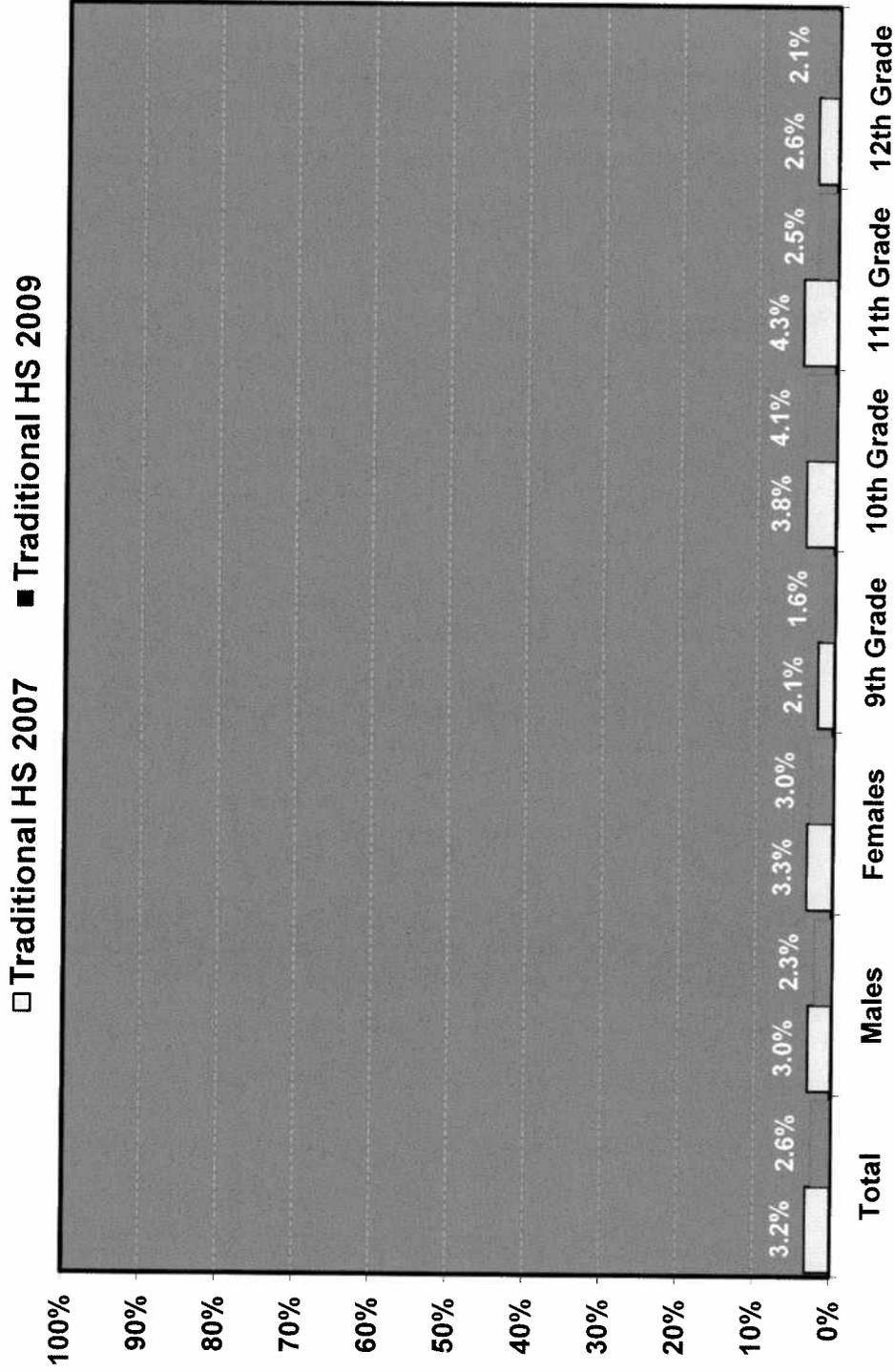
□ Traditional HS 2007    ■ Traditional HS 2009



Question: 27 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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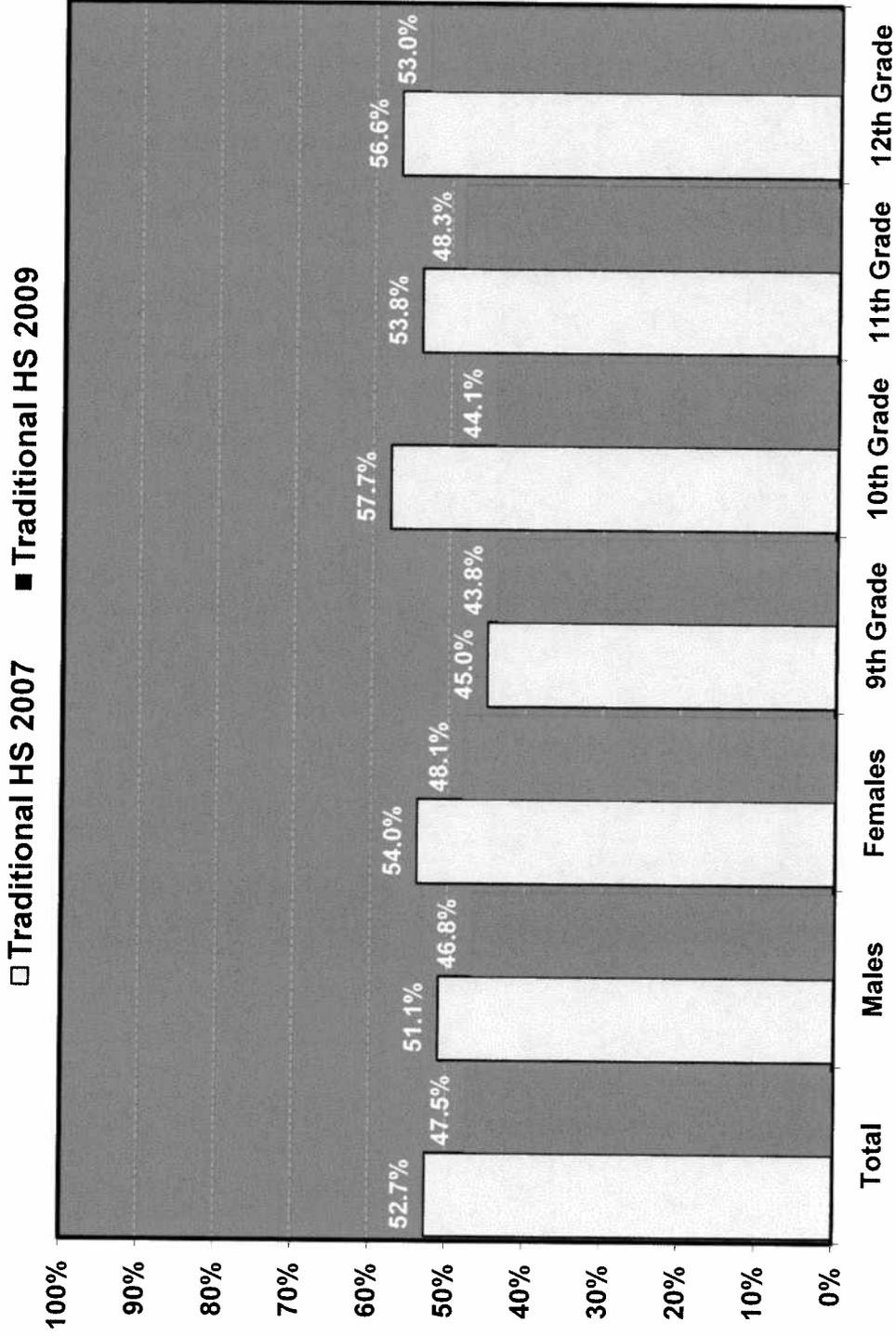
Percentage of students who made a suicide attempt during the past 12 months that resulted in an injury, poisoning, or overdose that had to be treated by a doctor or nurse



Question: 28 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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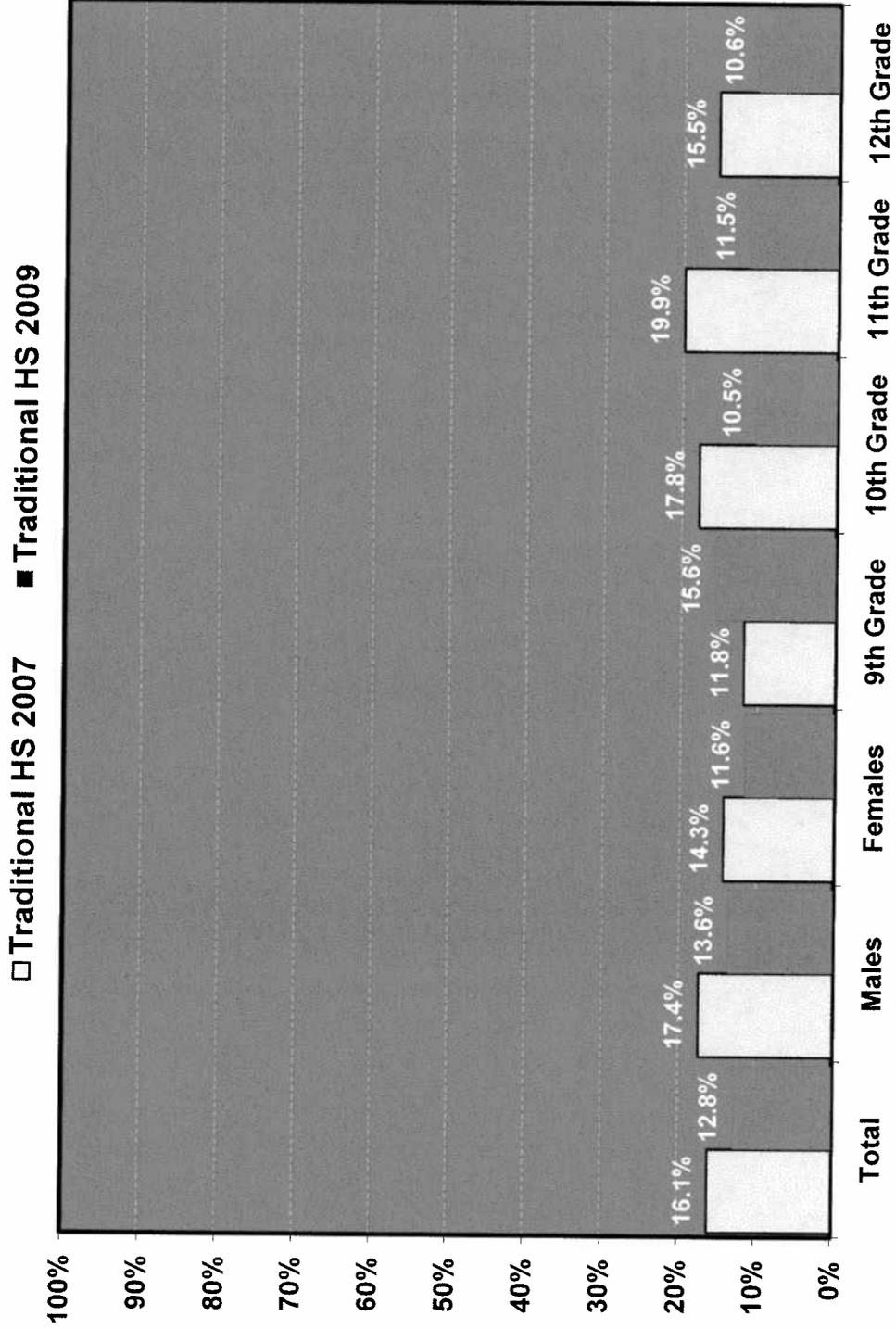
Percentage of students who ever tried cigarette smoking, even one or two puffs



Question: 29 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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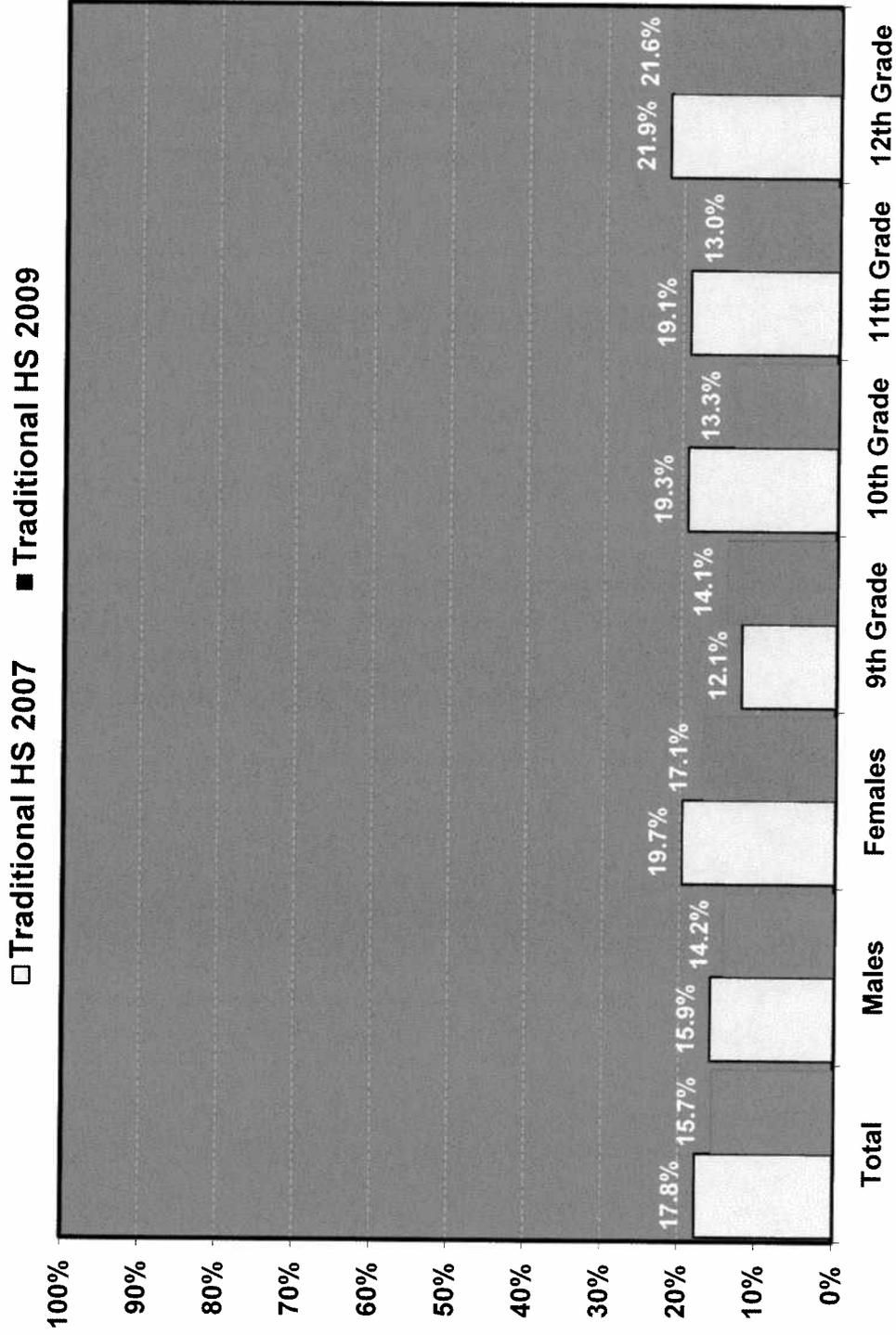
Percentage of students who smoked a whole cigarette for the first time before age 13 years



Question: 30 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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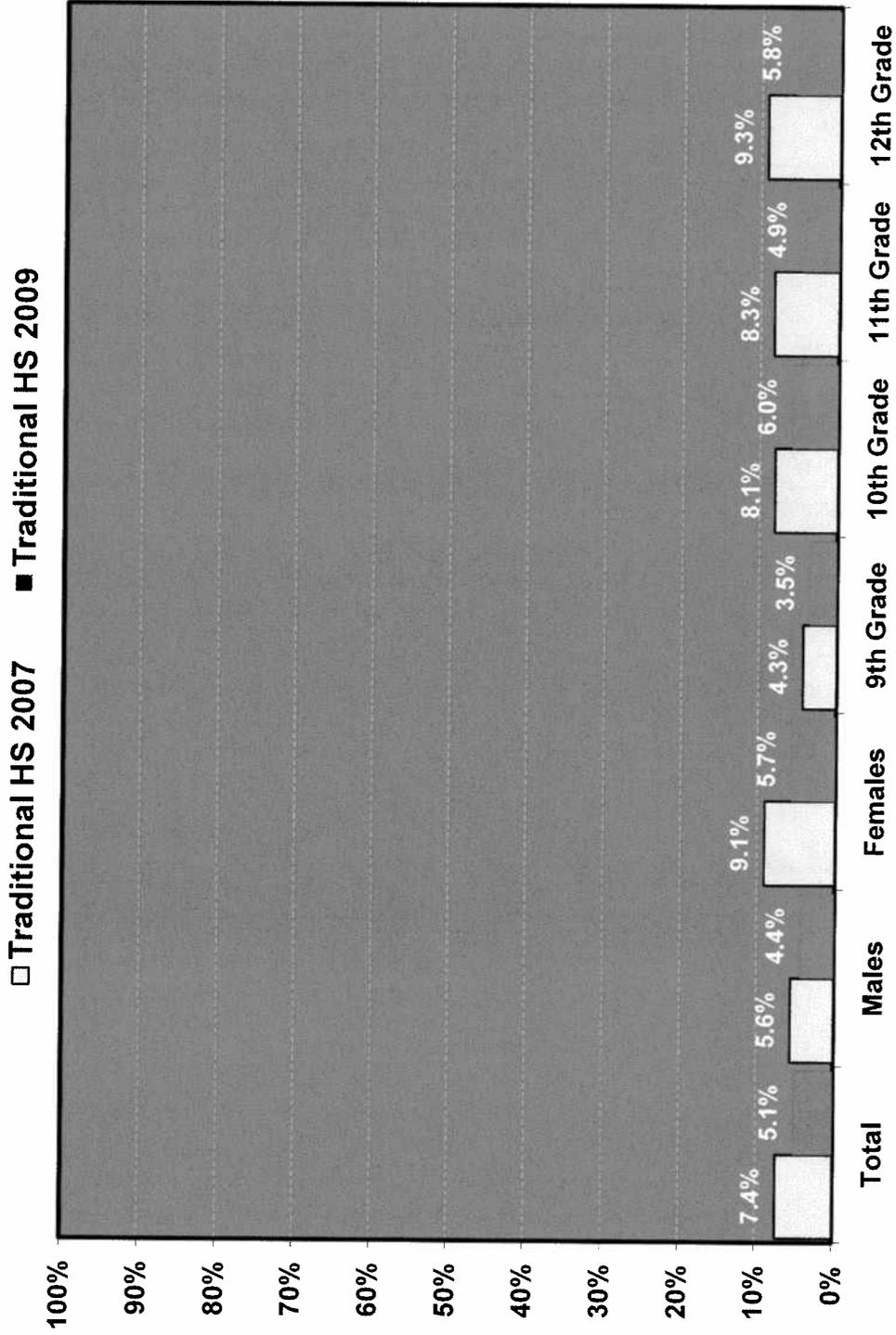
Percentage of students who smoked cigarettes on one or more of the past 30 days



Question: 31 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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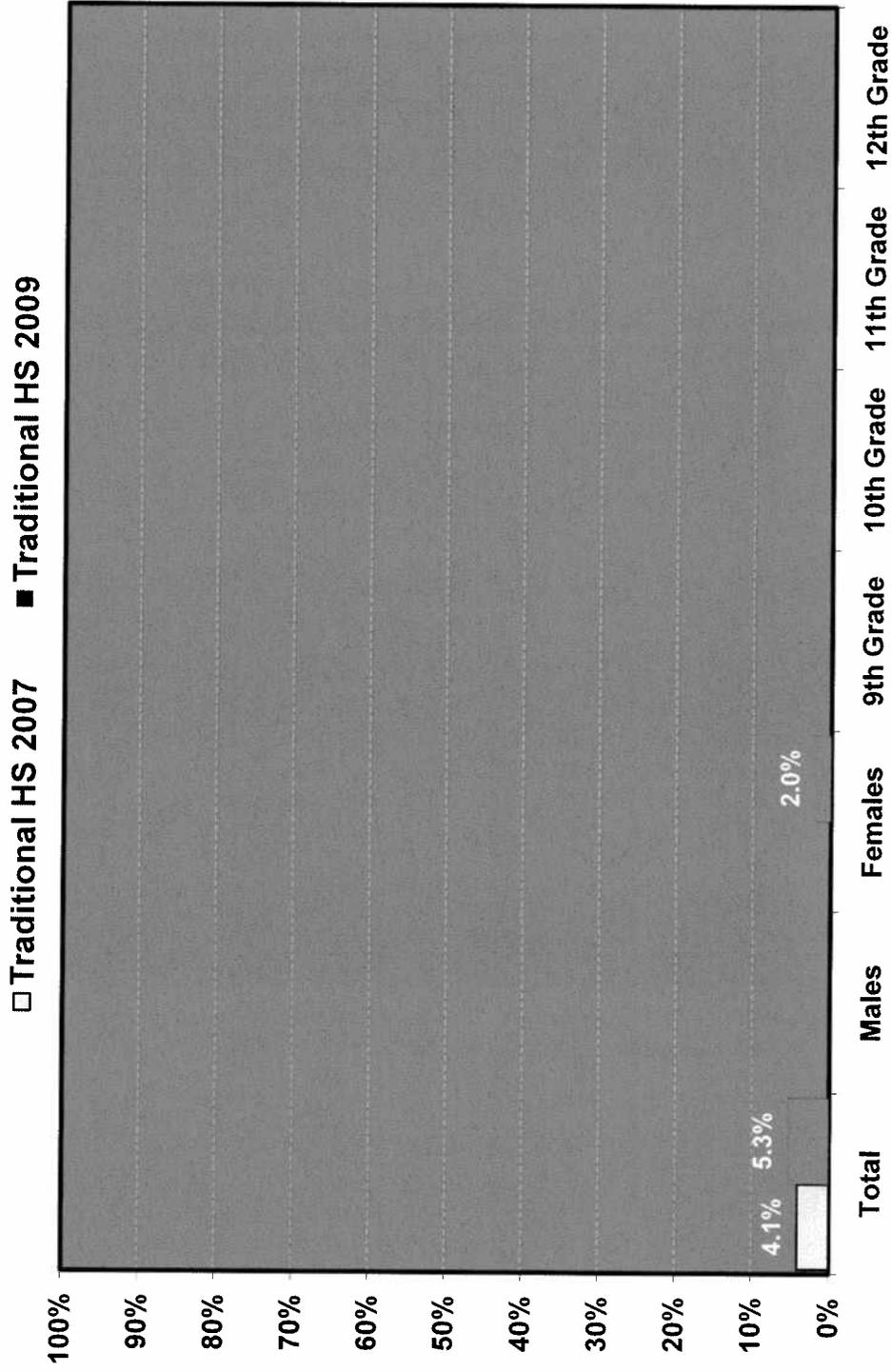
Percentage of students who smoked cigarettes on 20 or more of the past 30 days



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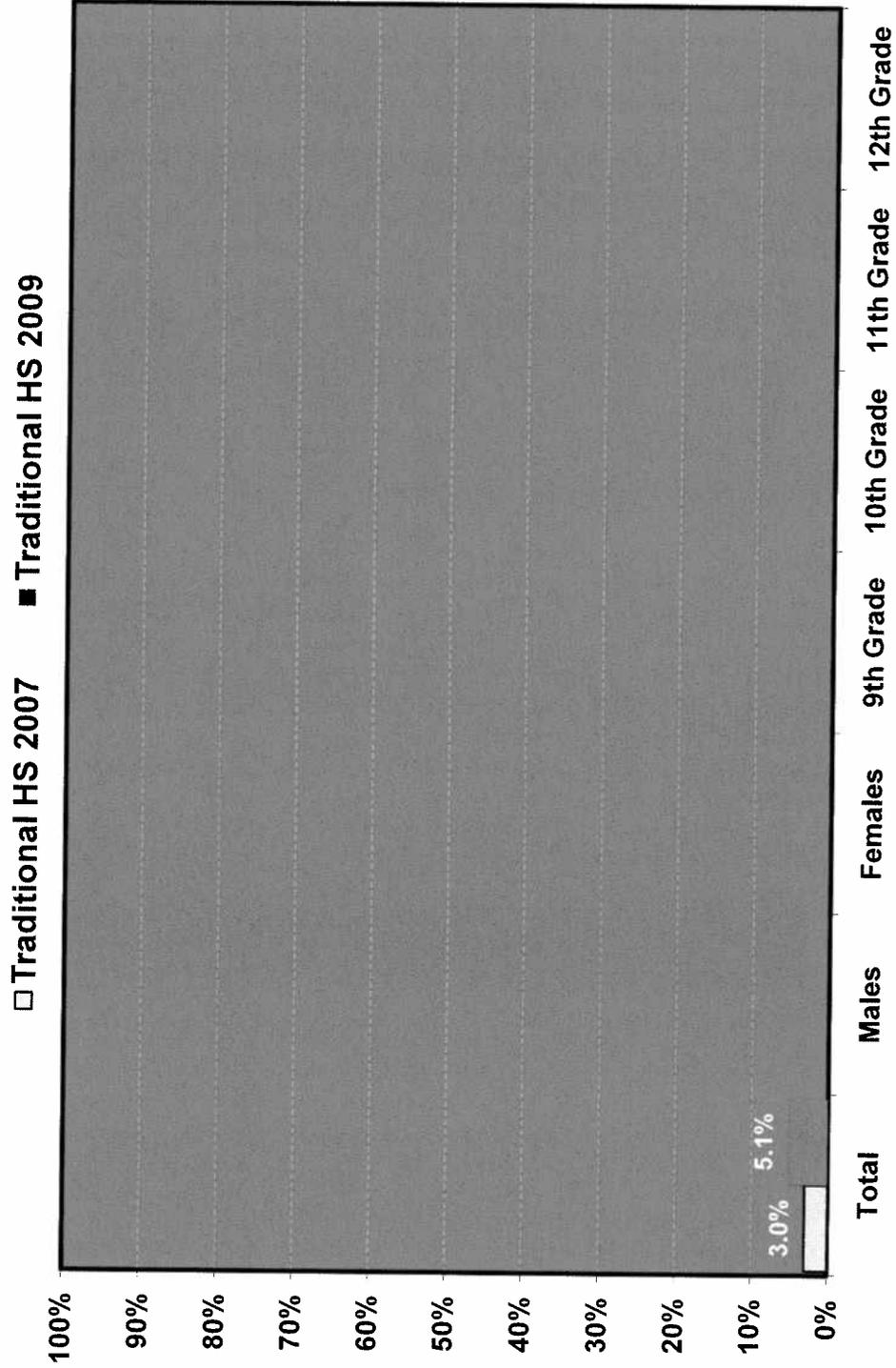
Among students who reported current cigarette use, the percentage who smoked more than 10 cigarettes per day on the days they smoked during the past 30 days



Question: 32 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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Among students who were less than 18 years of age and who reported current cigarette use, the percentage who usually got their own cigarettes by buying them in a store or gas station during the past 30 days

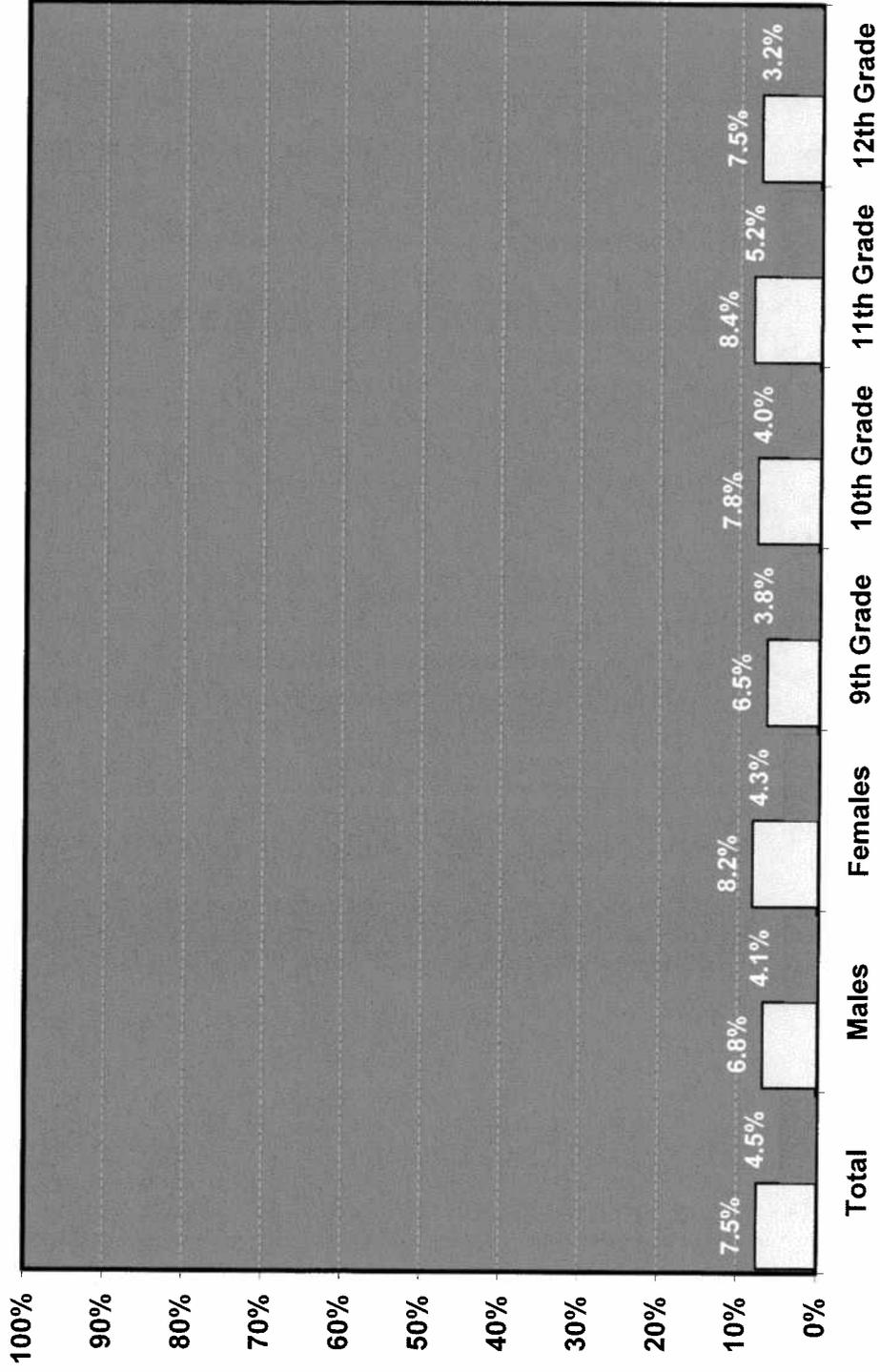


Question: 33 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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Percentage of students who smoked cigarettes on school property on one or more of the past 30 days

□ Traditional HS 2007    ■ Traditional HS 2009

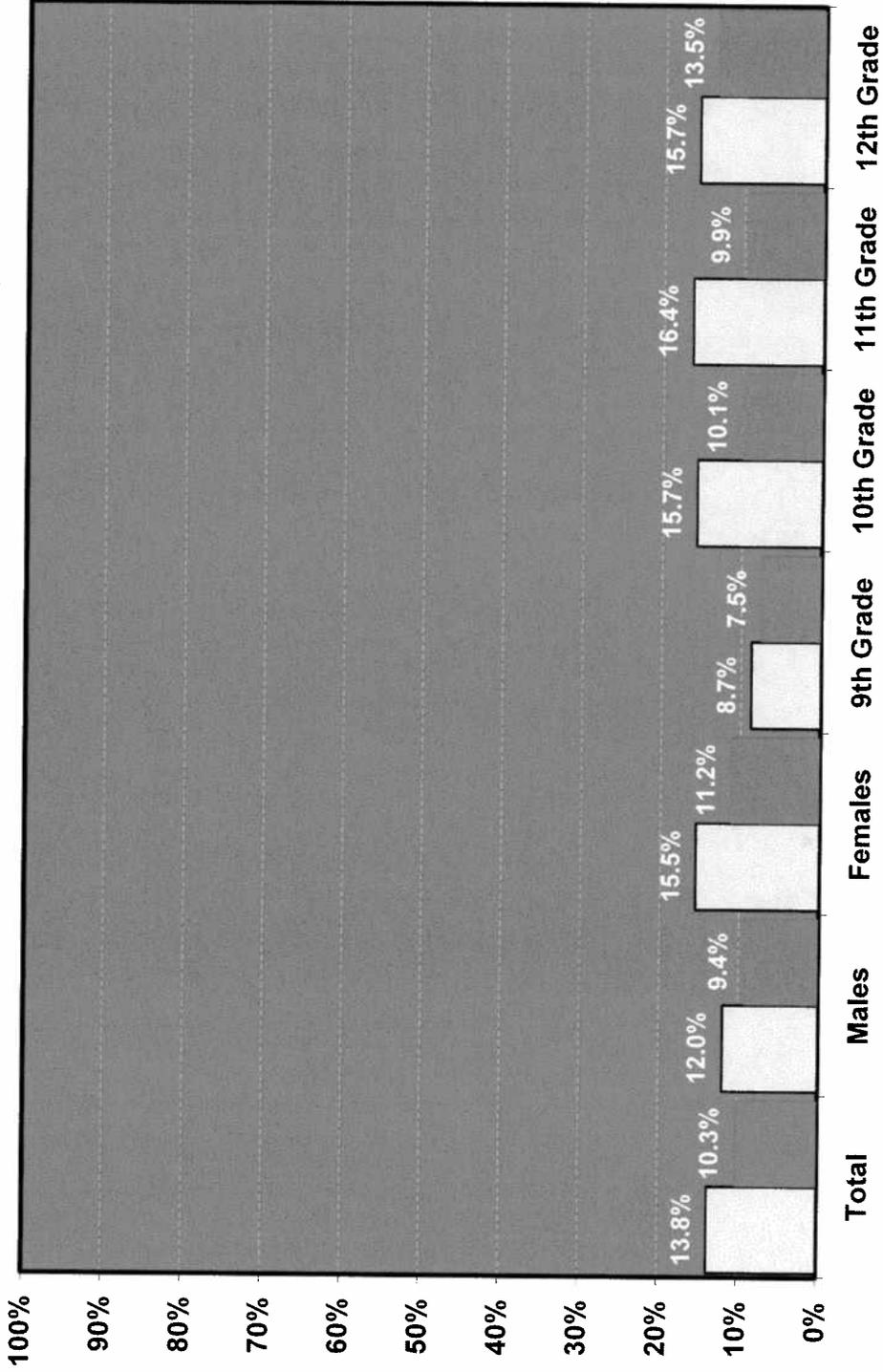


Question: 34 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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Percentage of students who ever smoked cigarettes daily, that is, at least one cigarette every day for 30 days

□ Traditional HS 2007 ■ Traditional HS 2009

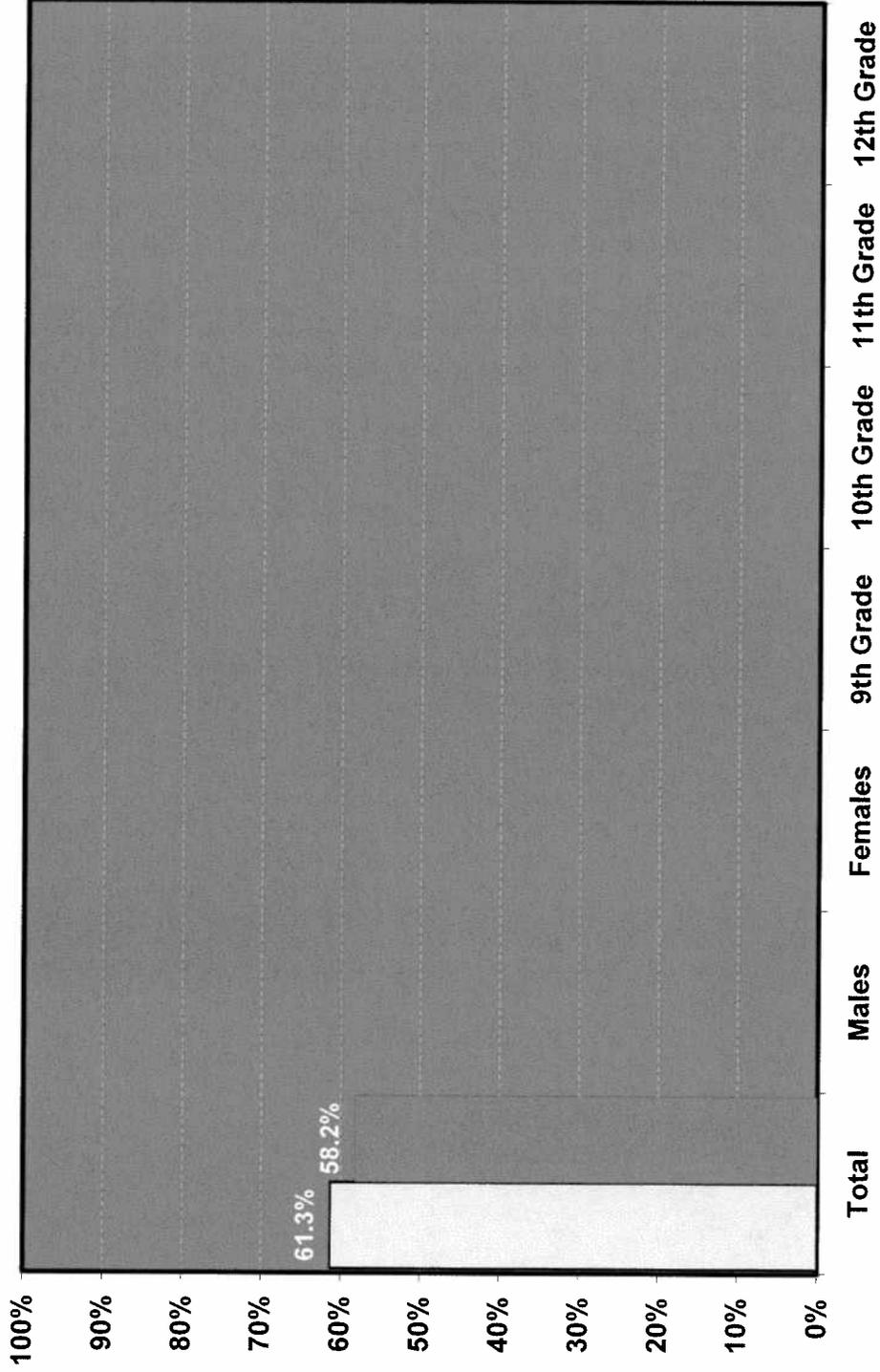


Question: 35 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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Among students who reported current cigarette use, the percentage who ever tried to quit smoking cigarettes during the past 12 months

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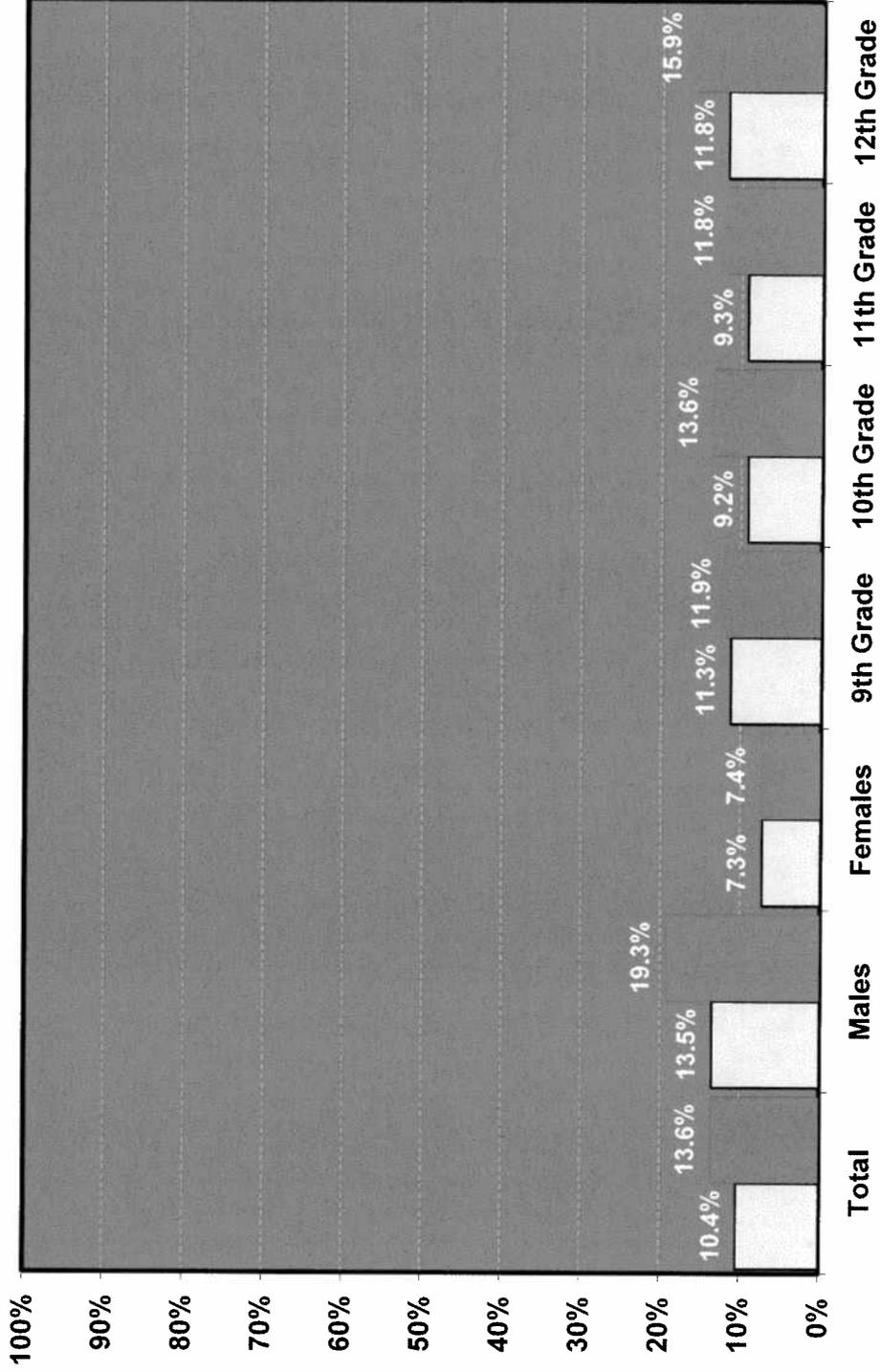


Question: 36 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade.  
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Percentage of students who used chewing tobacco, snuff, or dip on one or more of the past 30 days

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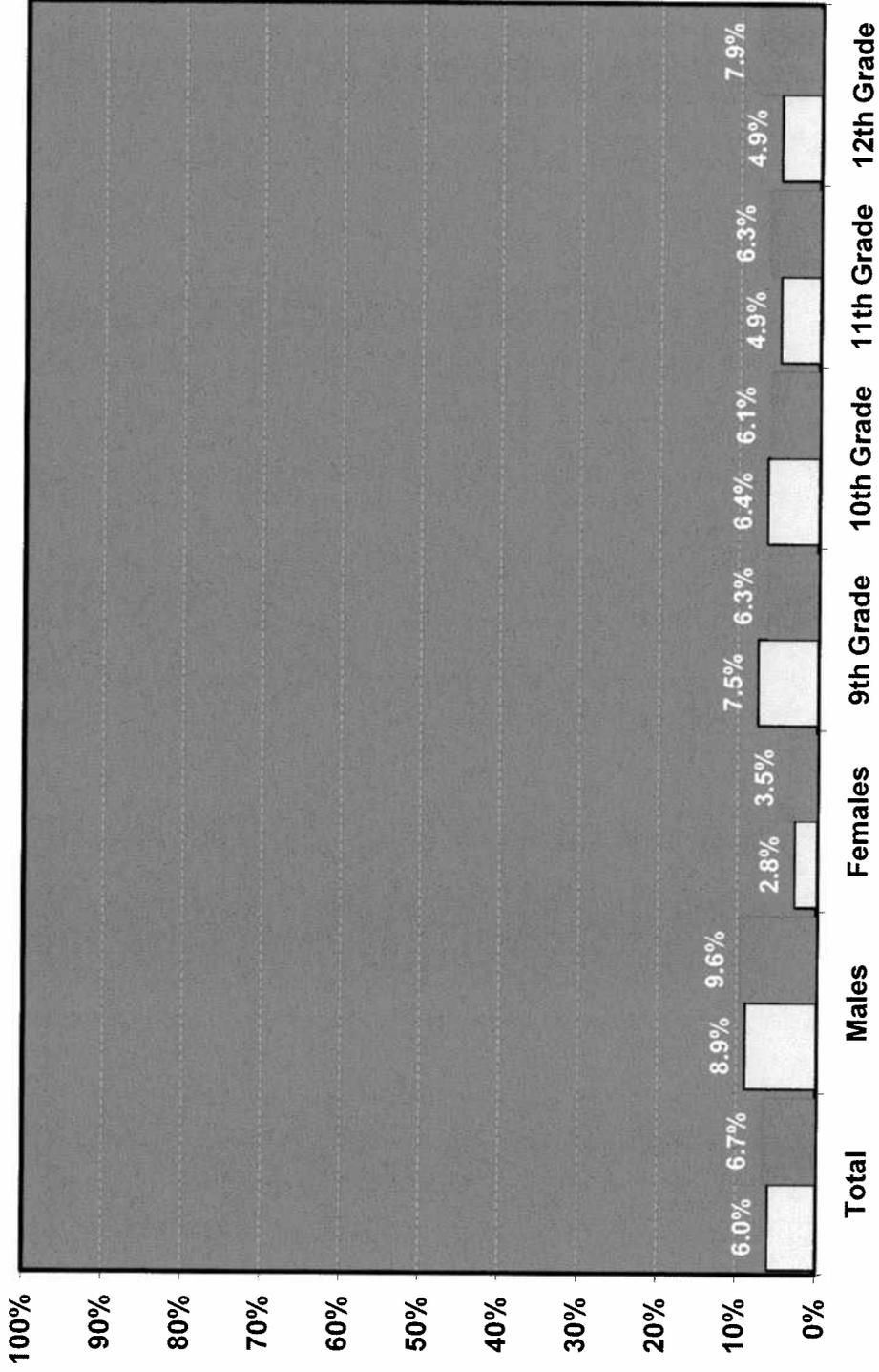


Question: 37 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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Percentage of students who used chewing tobacco, snuff, or dip on school property on one or more of the past 30 days

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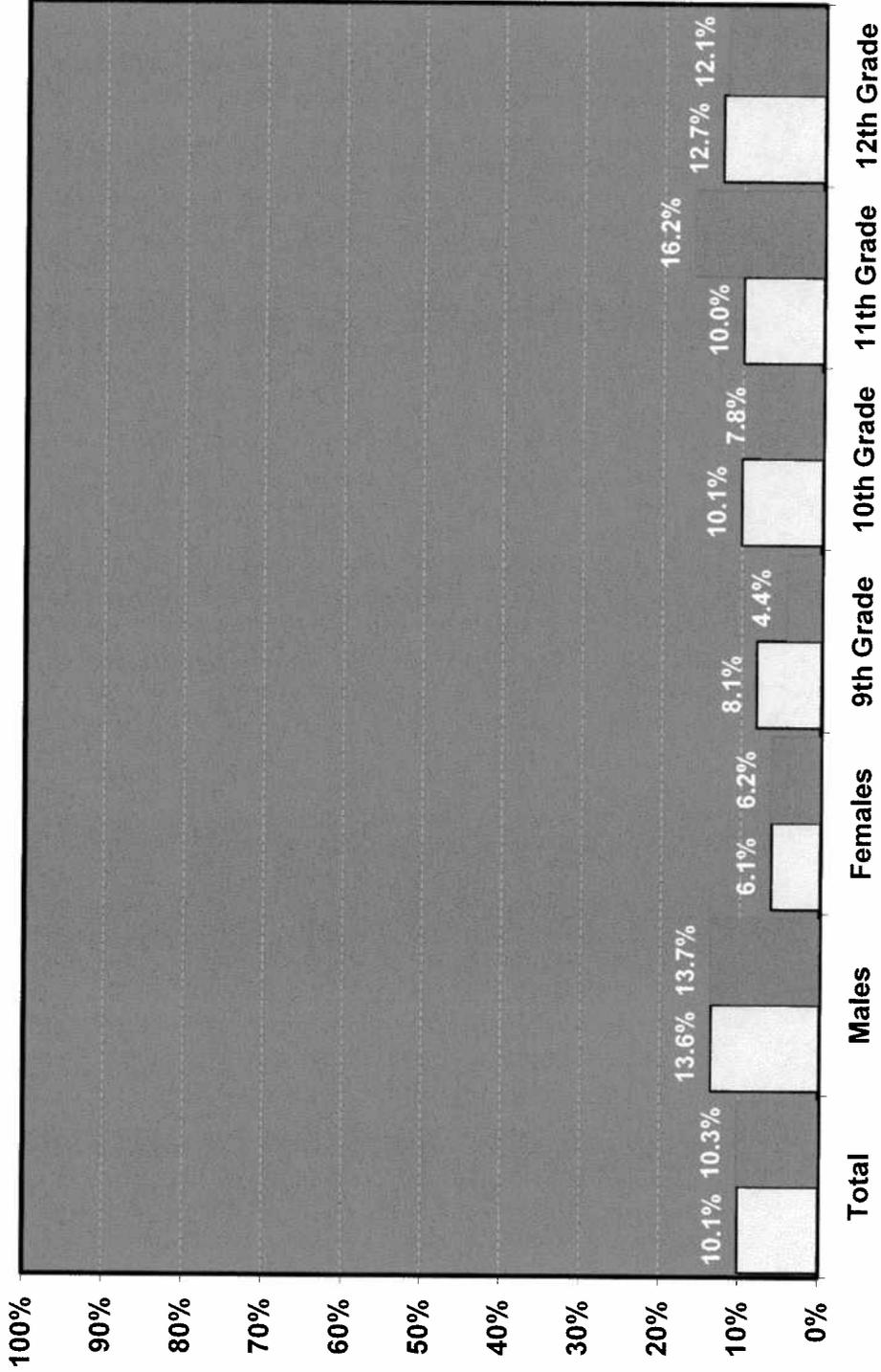


Question: 38 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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Percentage of students who smoked cigars, cigarillos, or little cigars on one or more of the past 30 days

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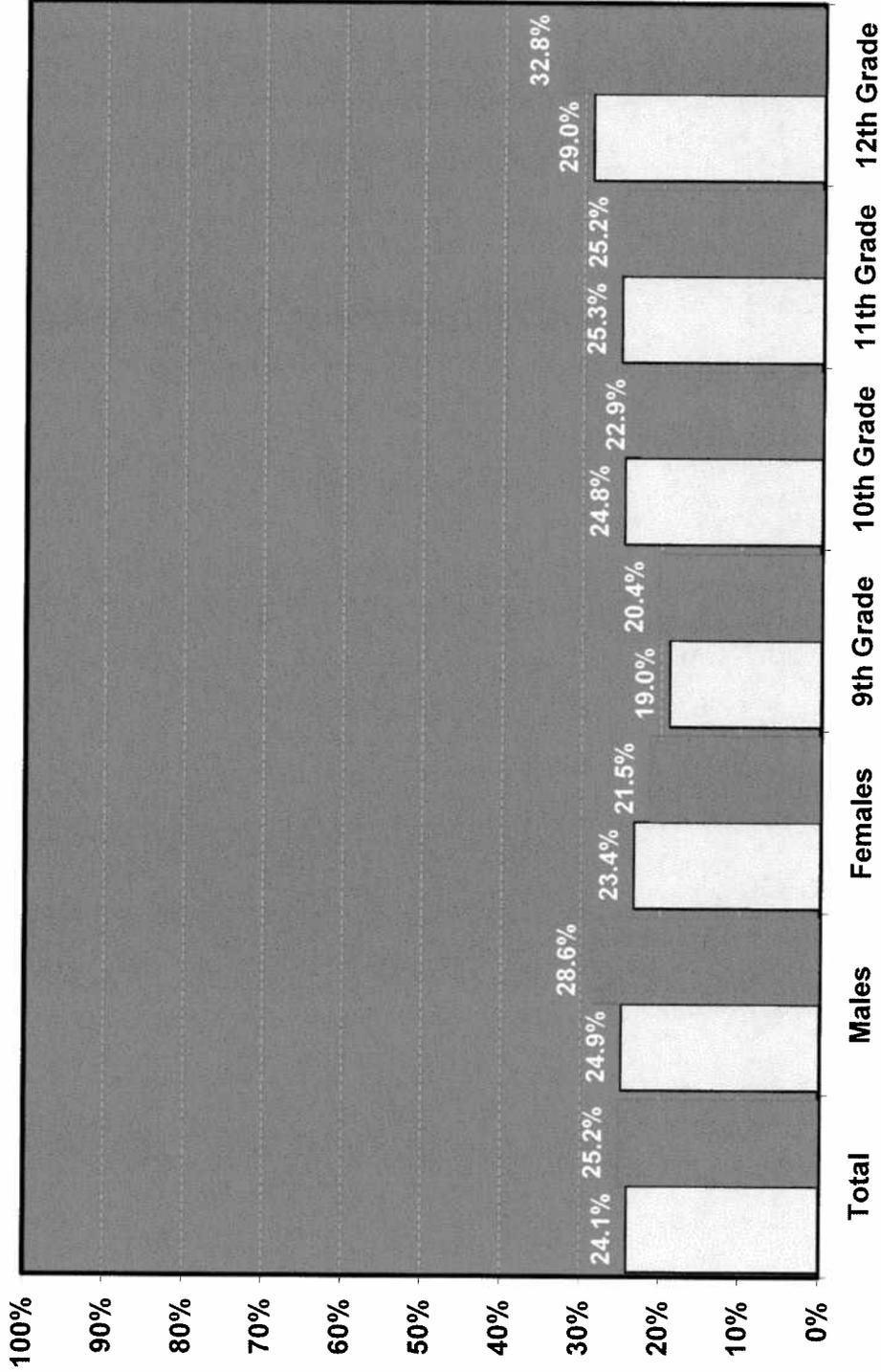


Question: 39 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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Percentage of students who smoked cigarettes or cigars or used chewing tobacco, snuff, or dip on one or more days of the past 30 days

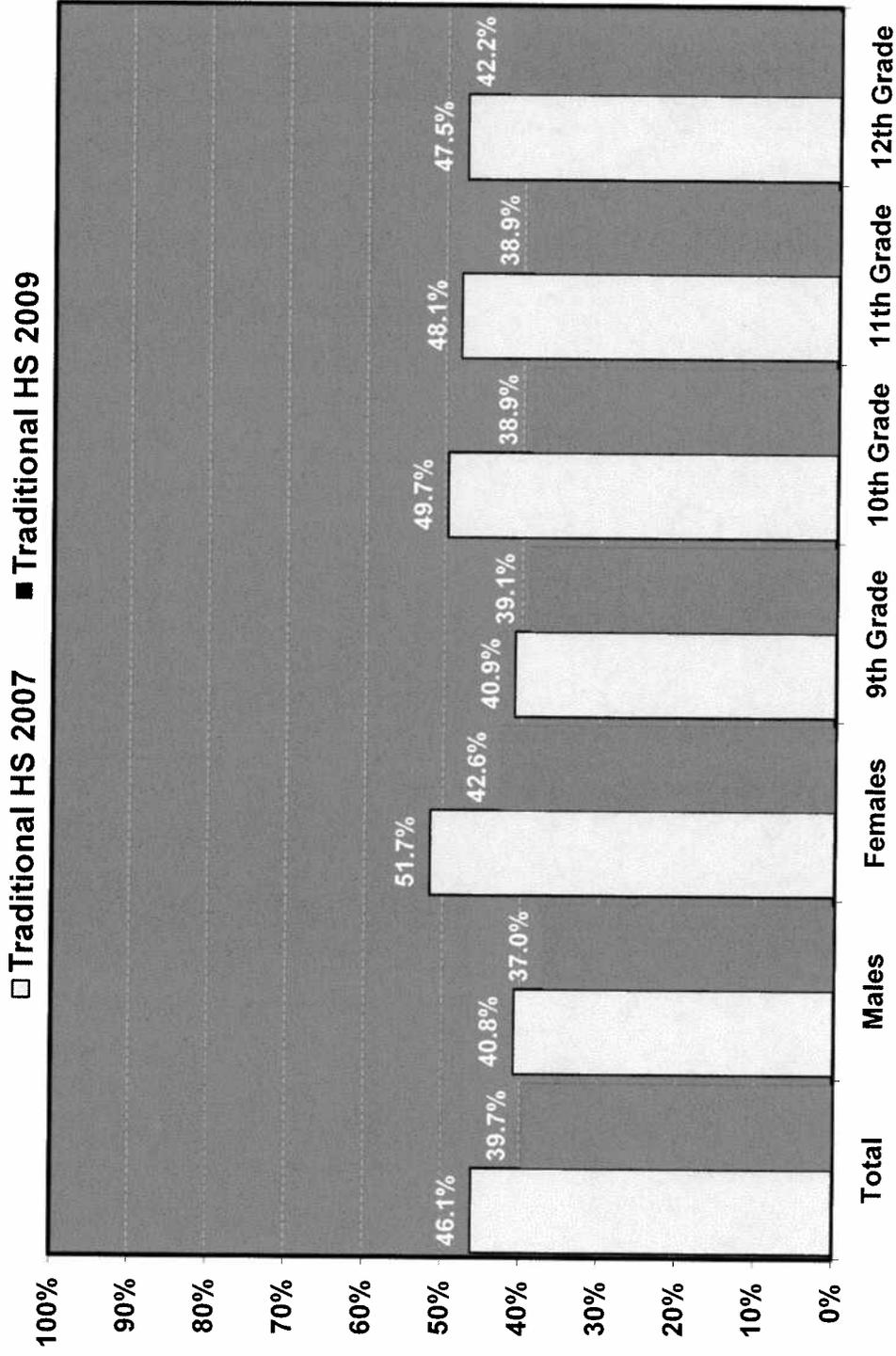
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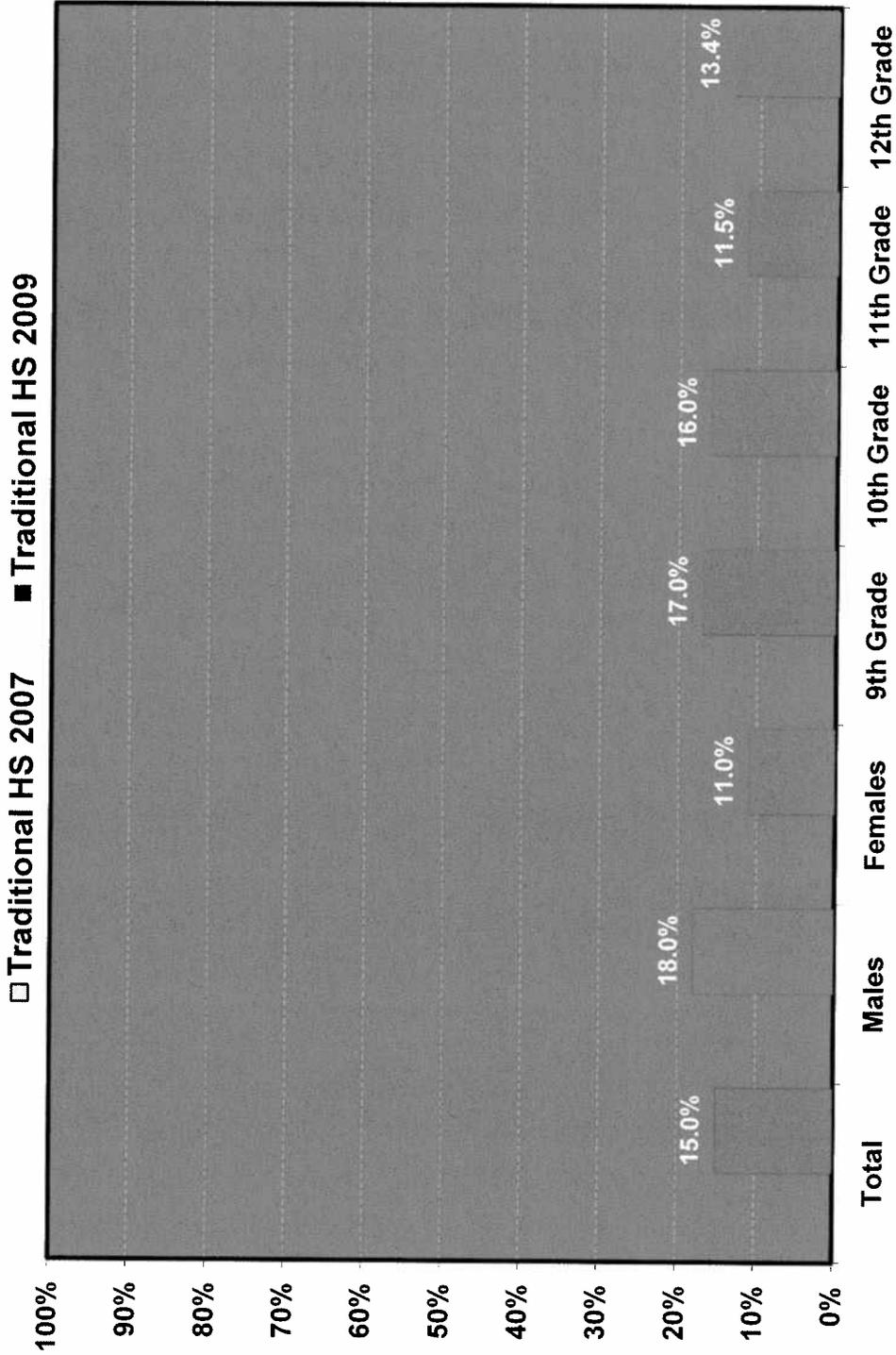
Percentage of students who were in the same room with someone who was smoking in the past week



Question: 40 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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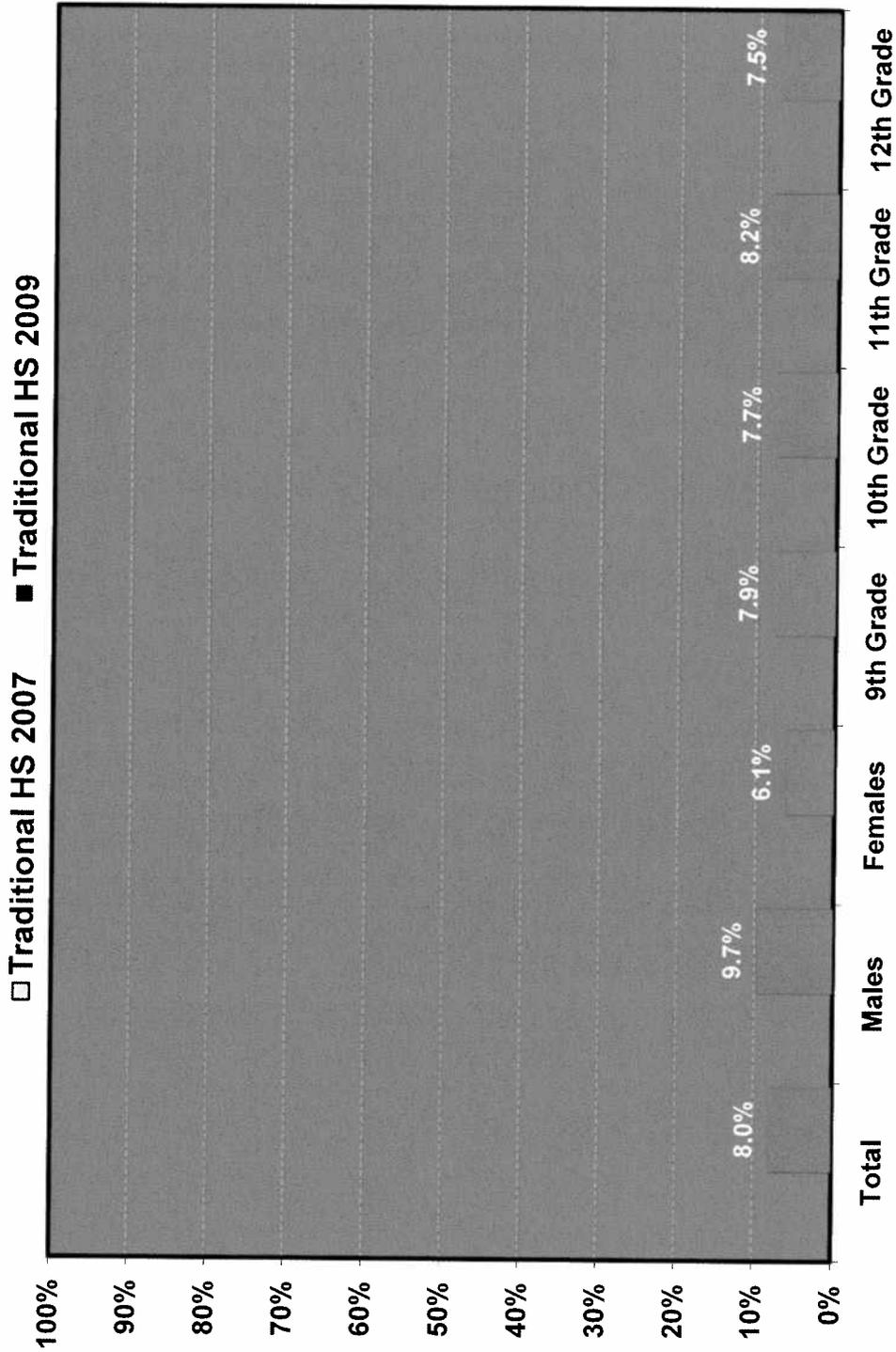
Percentage of students who think smoking one or more packs of cigarettes per day is no or slight risk



Question: 41 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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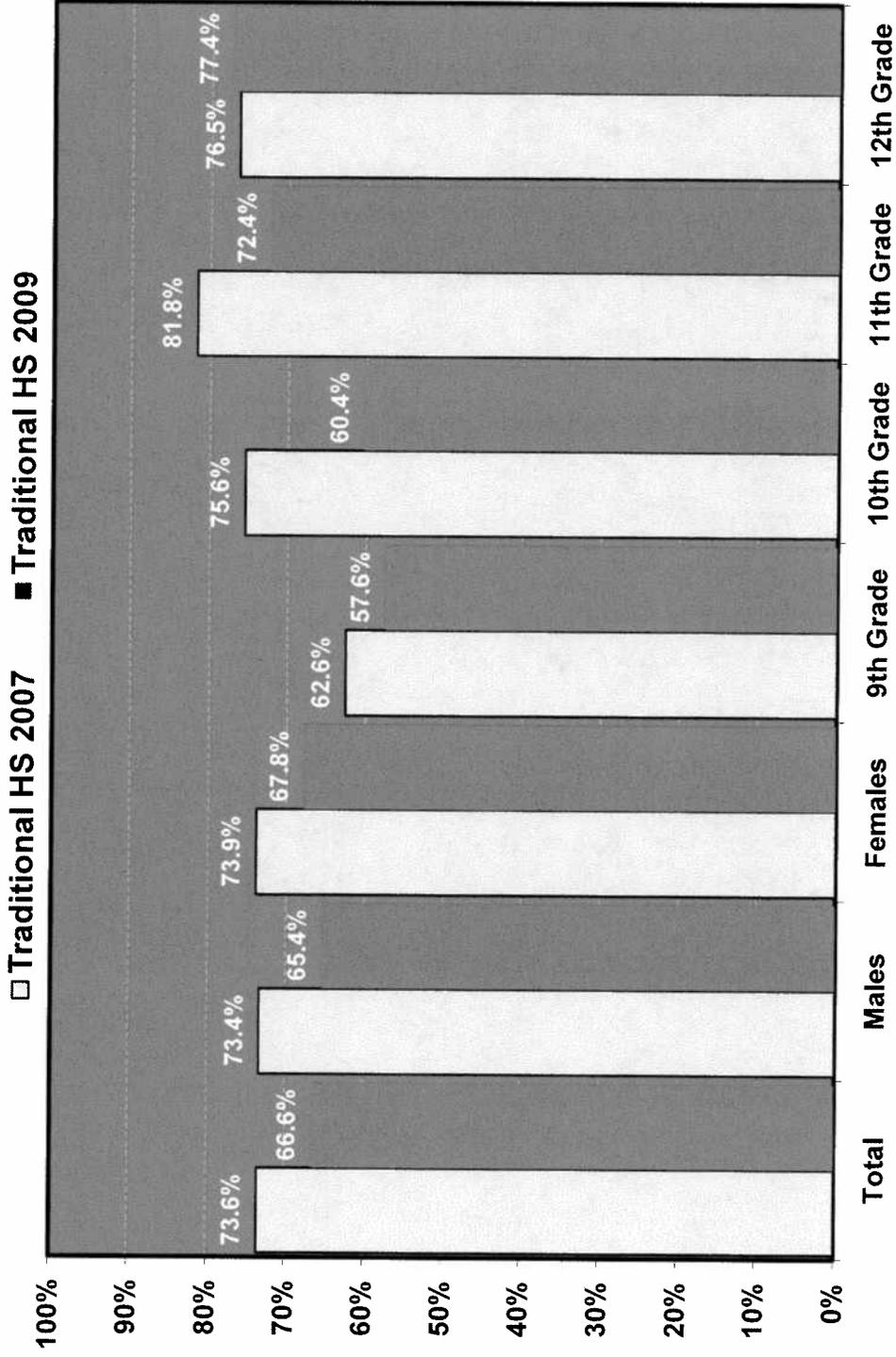
Percentage of students who think smoking one or more packs of cigarettes per day is no risk



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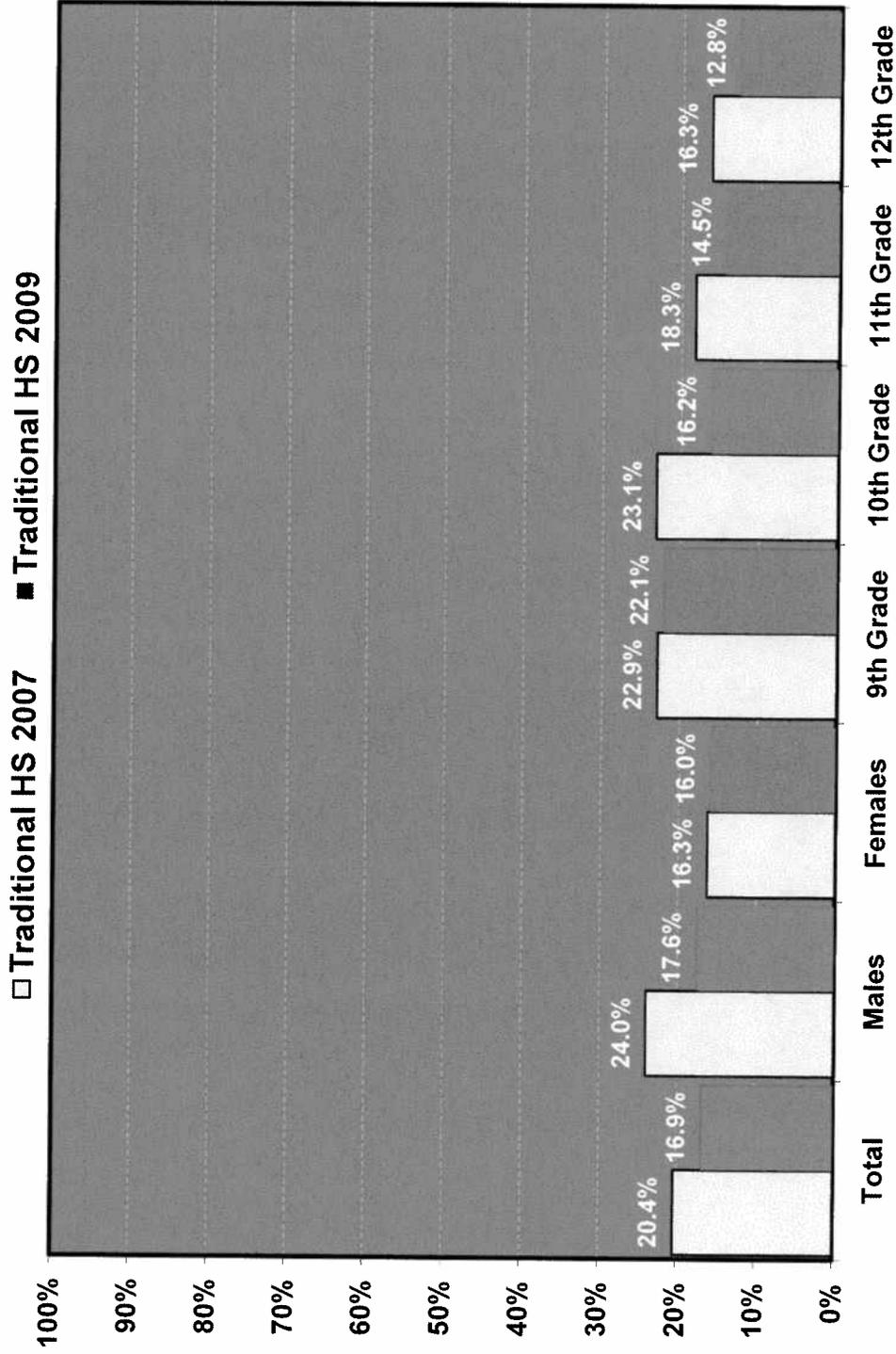
Percentage of students who had at least one drink of alcohol on one or more days during their life



Question: 42 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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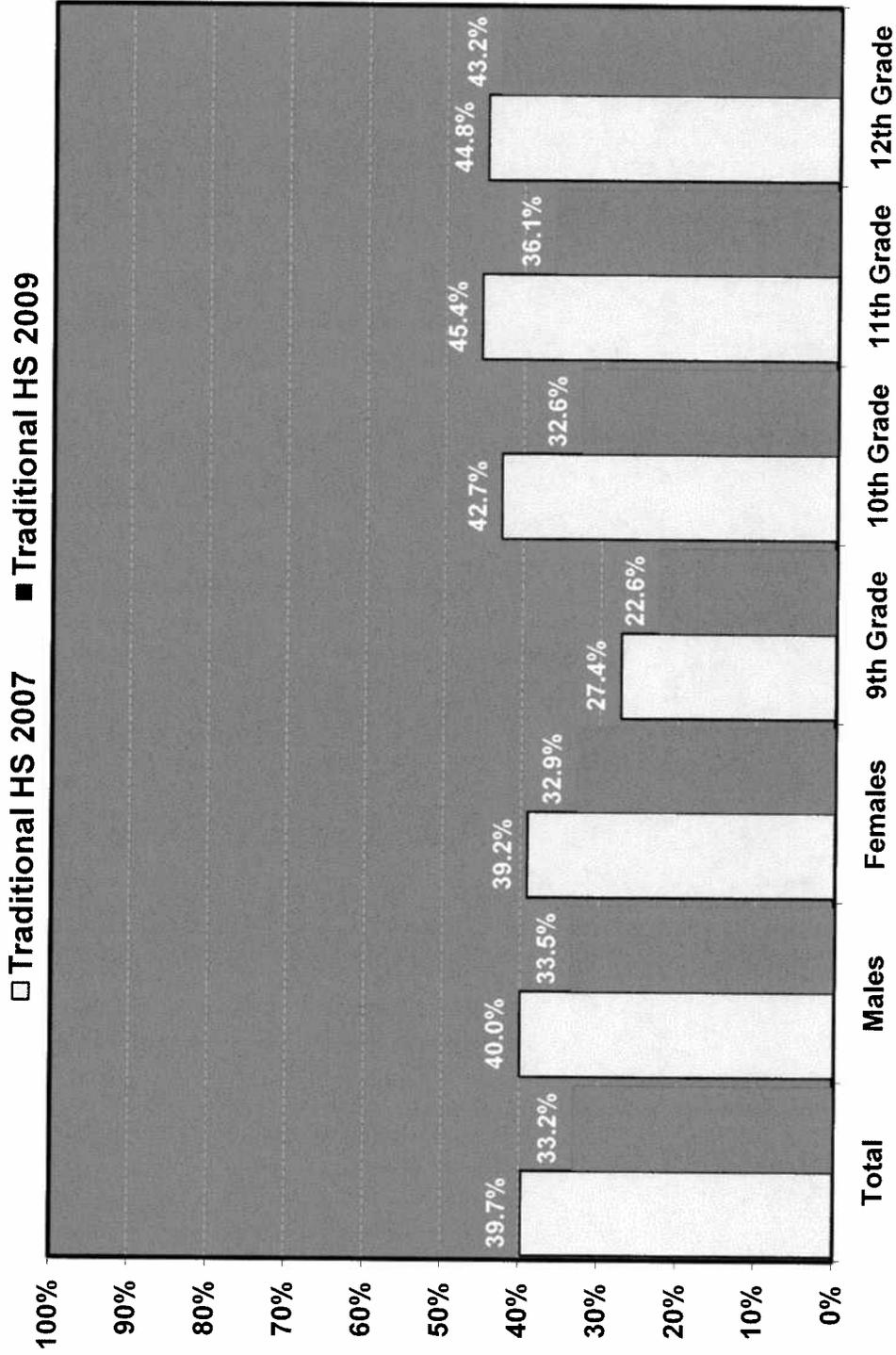
Percentage of students who had their first drink of alcohol other than a few sips before age 13 years



Question: 43 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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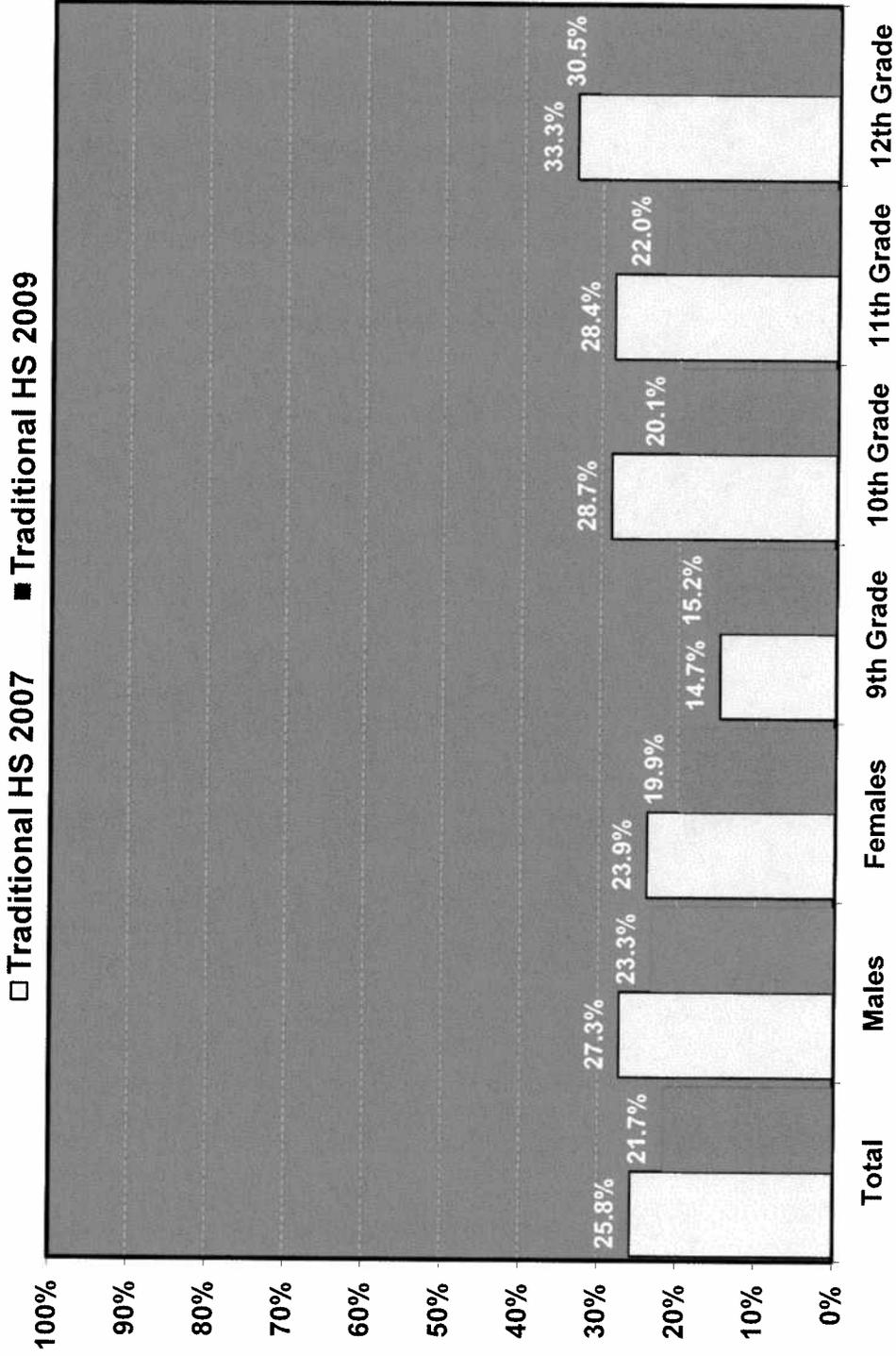
Percentage of students who had at least one drink of alcohol on one or more of the past 30 days



Question: 44 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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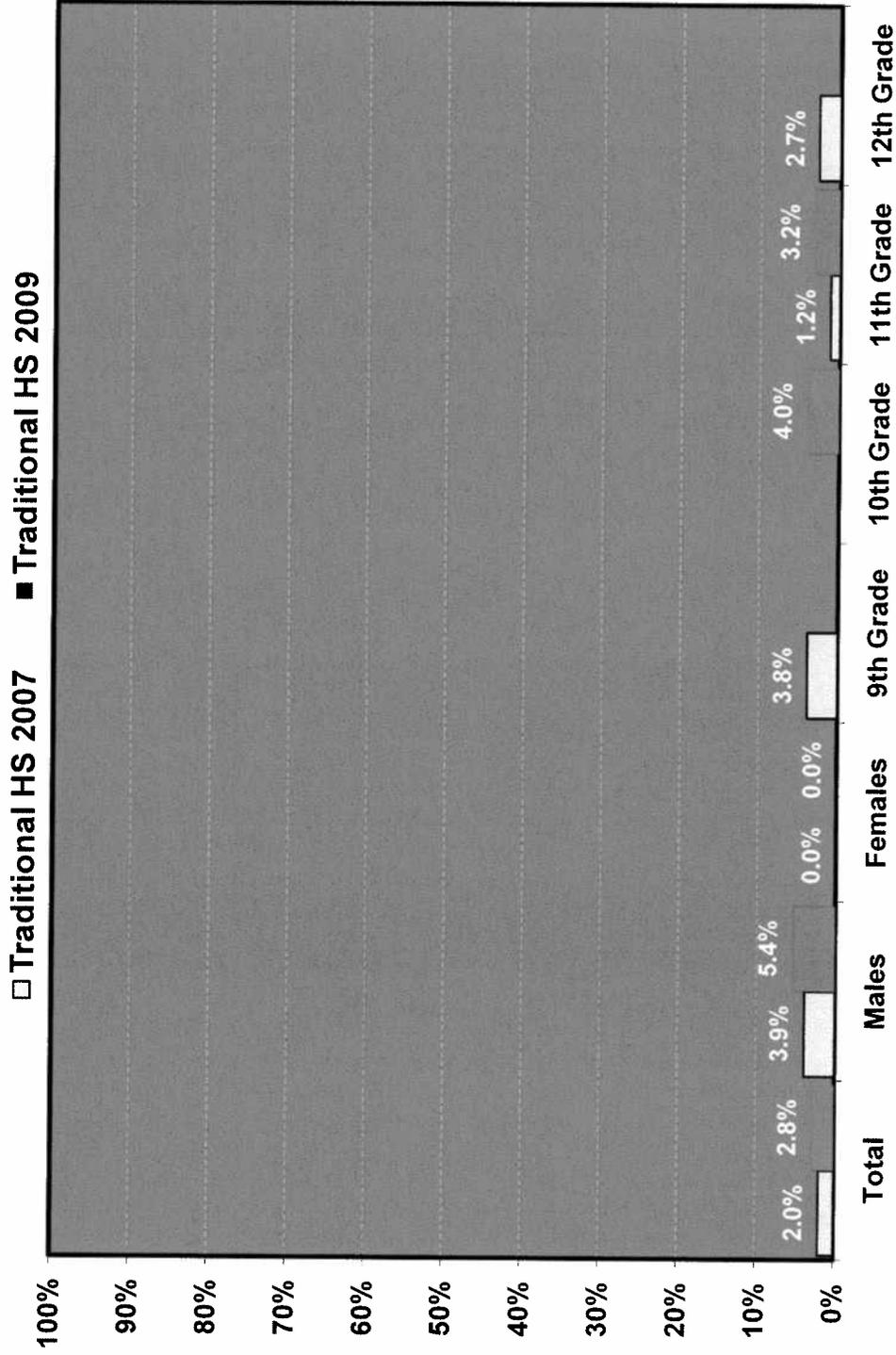
Percentage of students who had five or more drinks of alcohol in a row, that is, within a couple of hours, on one or more of the past 30 days



Question: 45 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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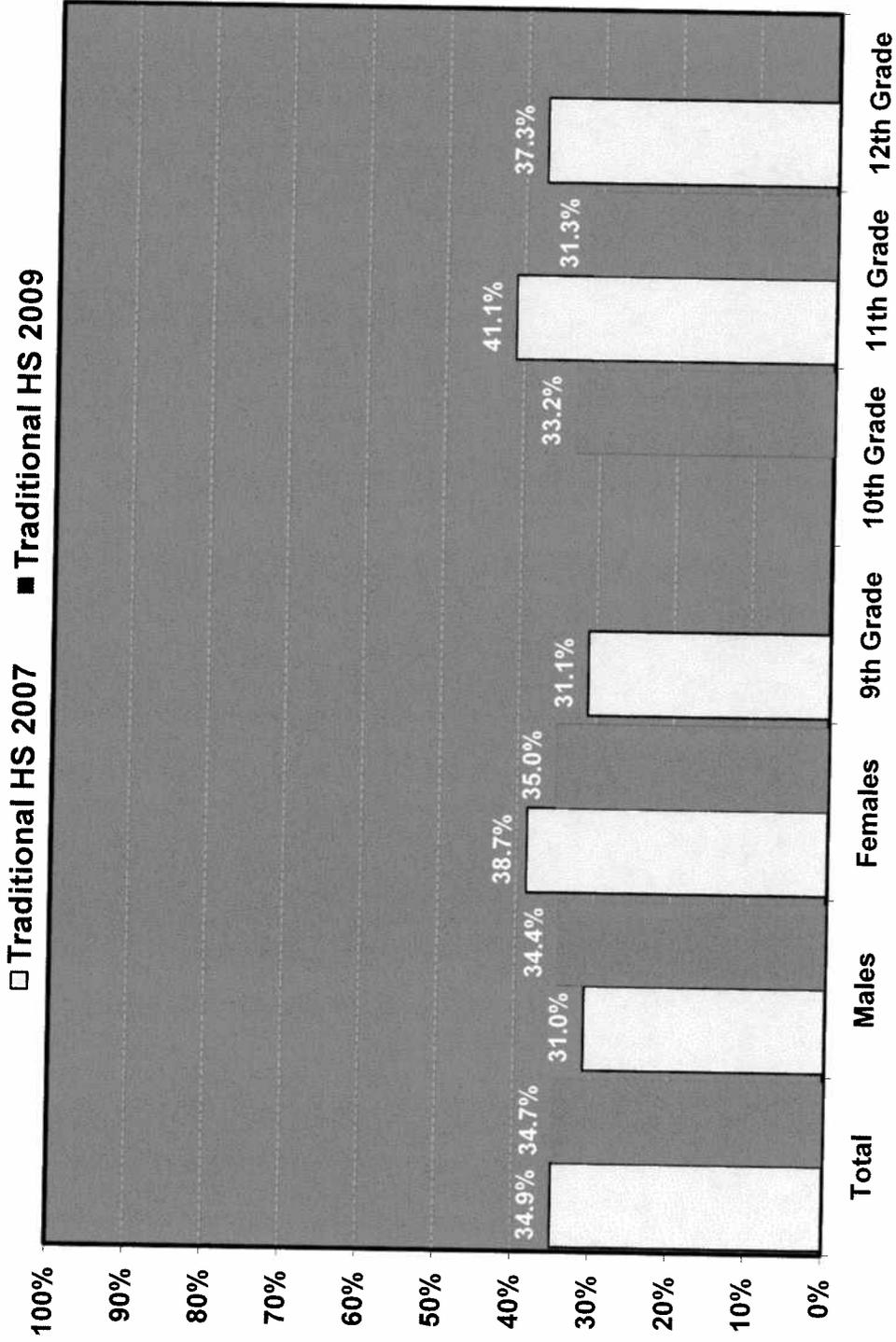
Among students who reported current alcohol use, the percentage who usually got the alcohol they drank by buying it in a store during the past 30 days



Question: 46 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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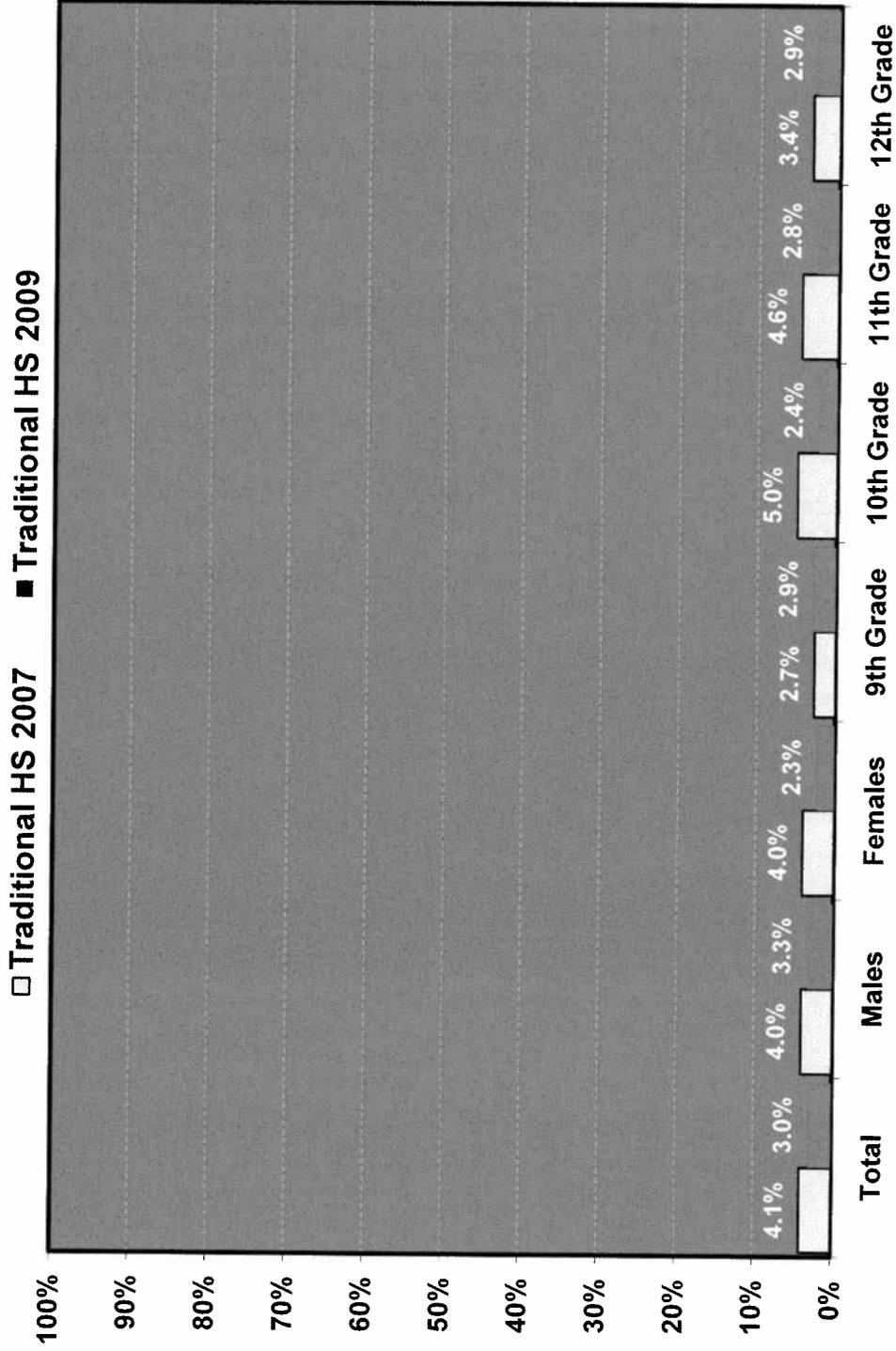
Among student who reported current alcohol use, the percentage who usually got their alcohol from someone who gave it to them during the past 30 days



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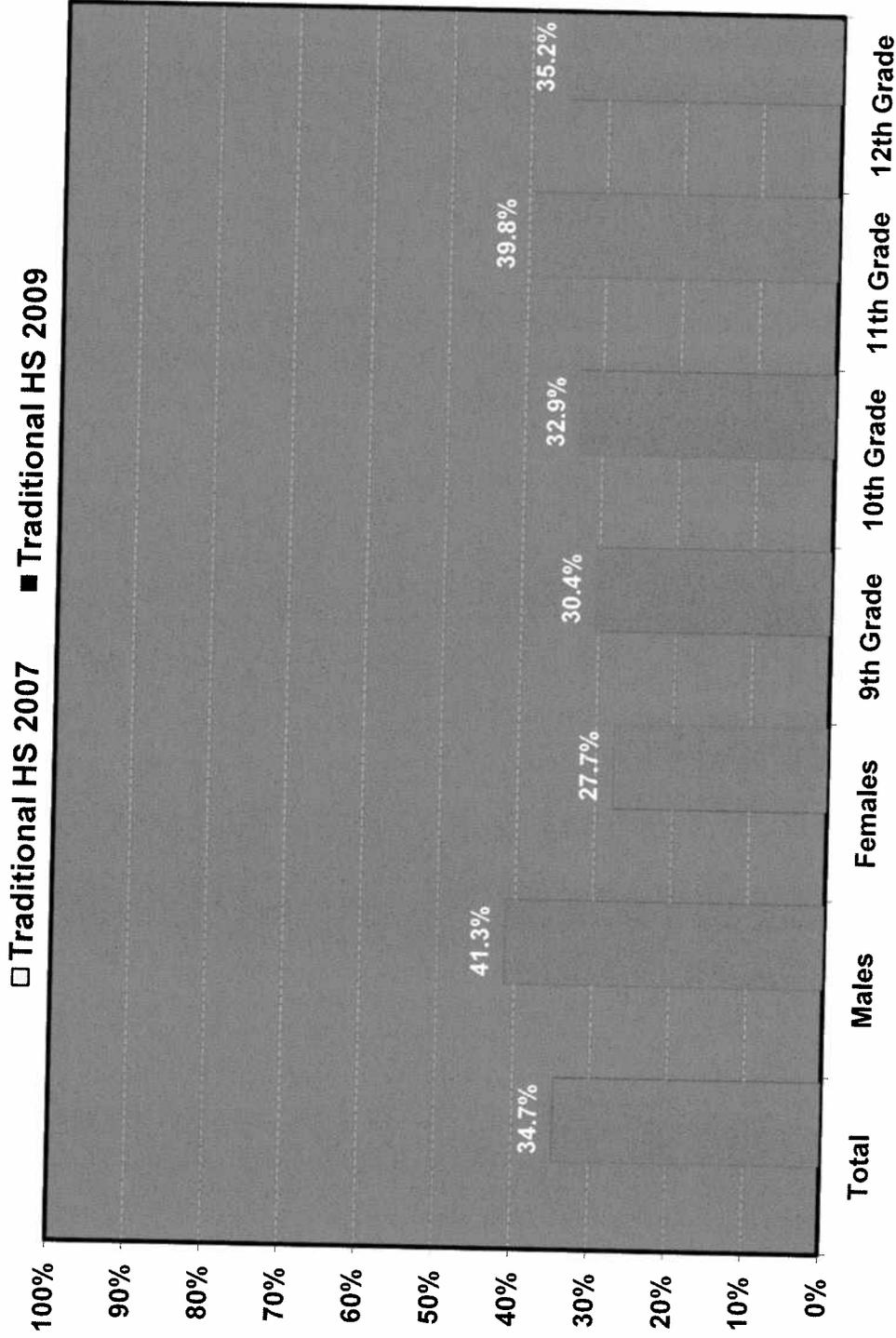
Percentage of students who had at least one drink of alcohol on school property on one or more of the past 30 days



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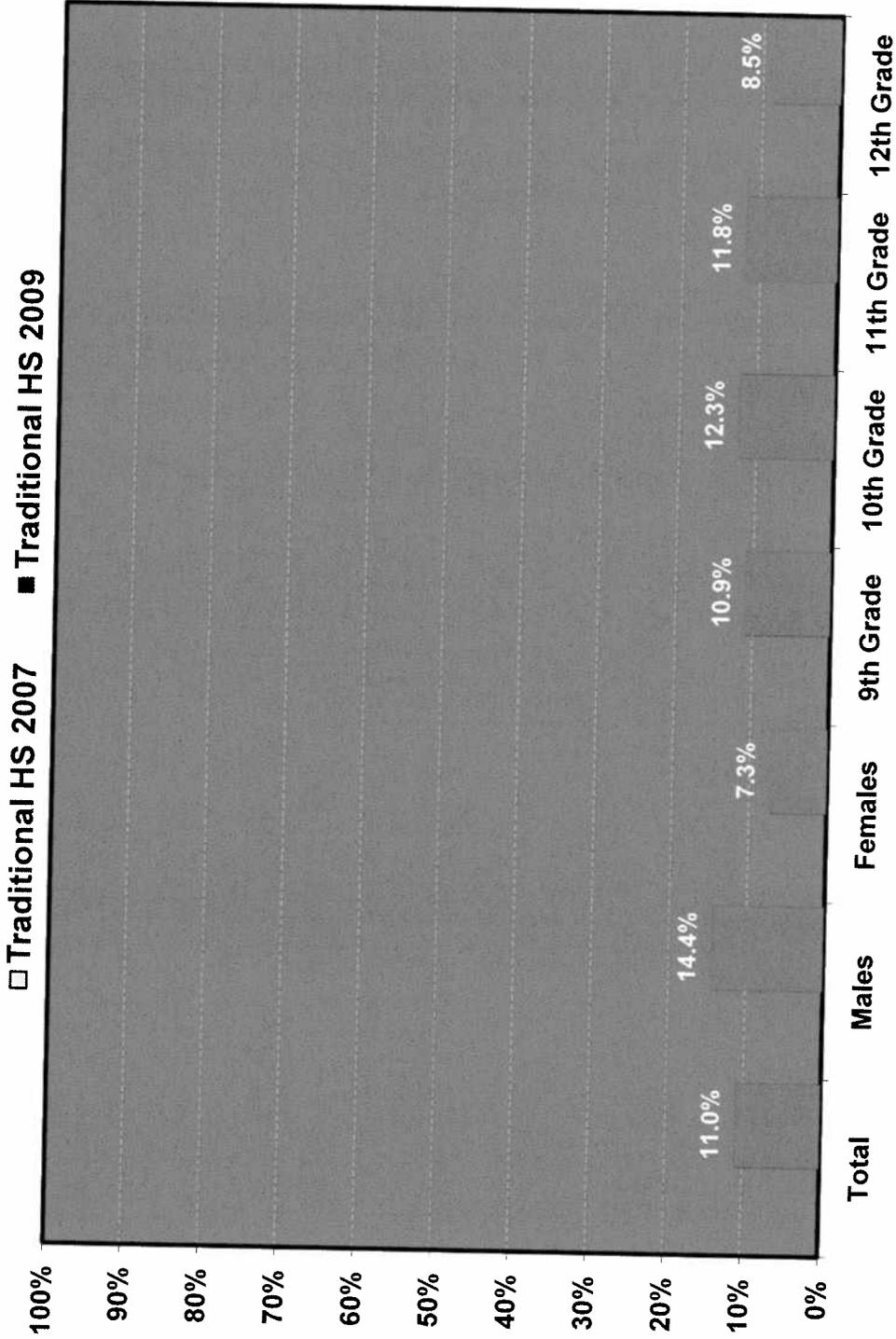
Percentage of students who think one or two drinks of alcohol nearly every day is no or slight risk



Question: 48 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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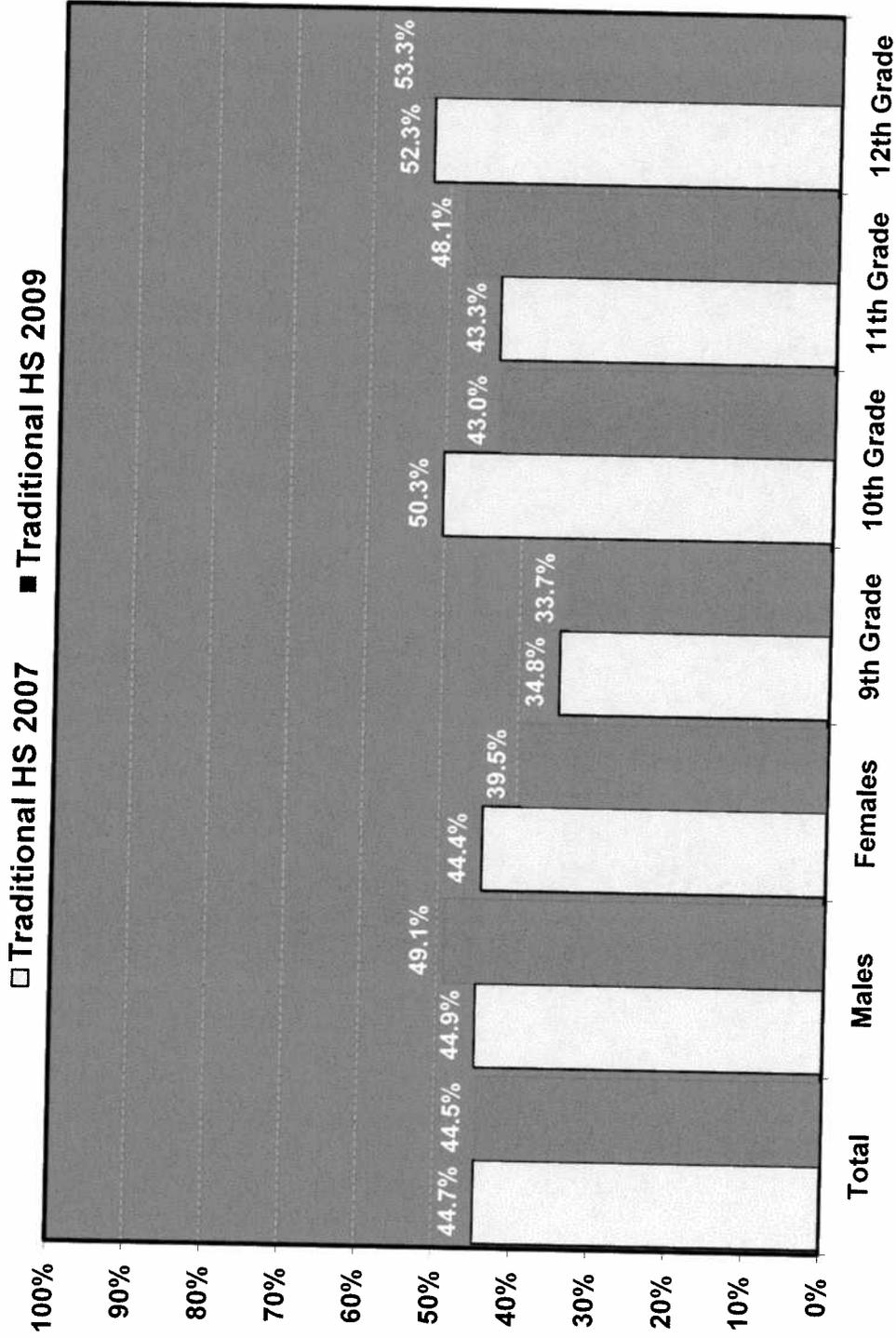
Percentage of students who think one or two drinks of alcohol nearly every day is no risk



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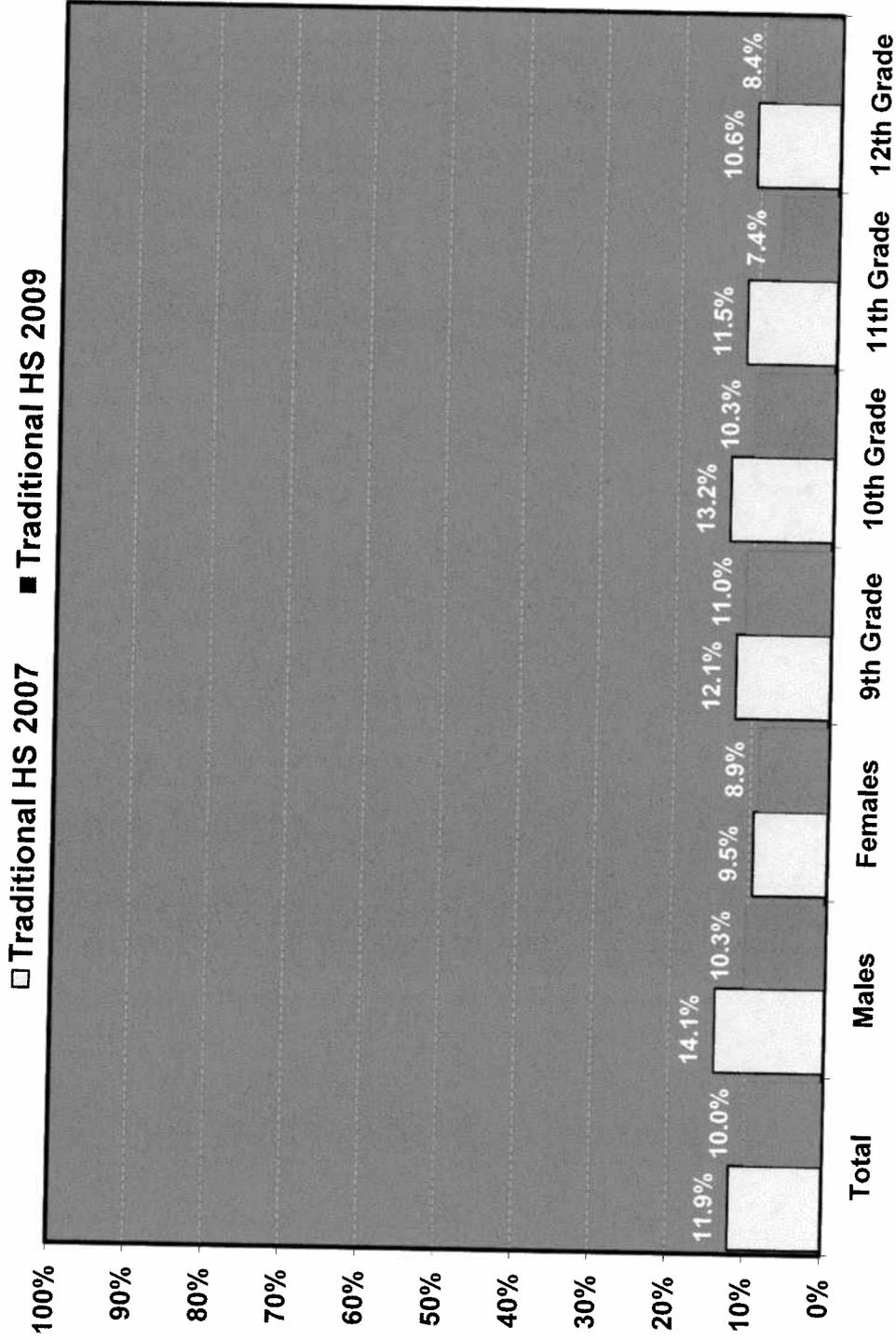
Percentage of students who used marijuana one or more times during their life



Question: 49 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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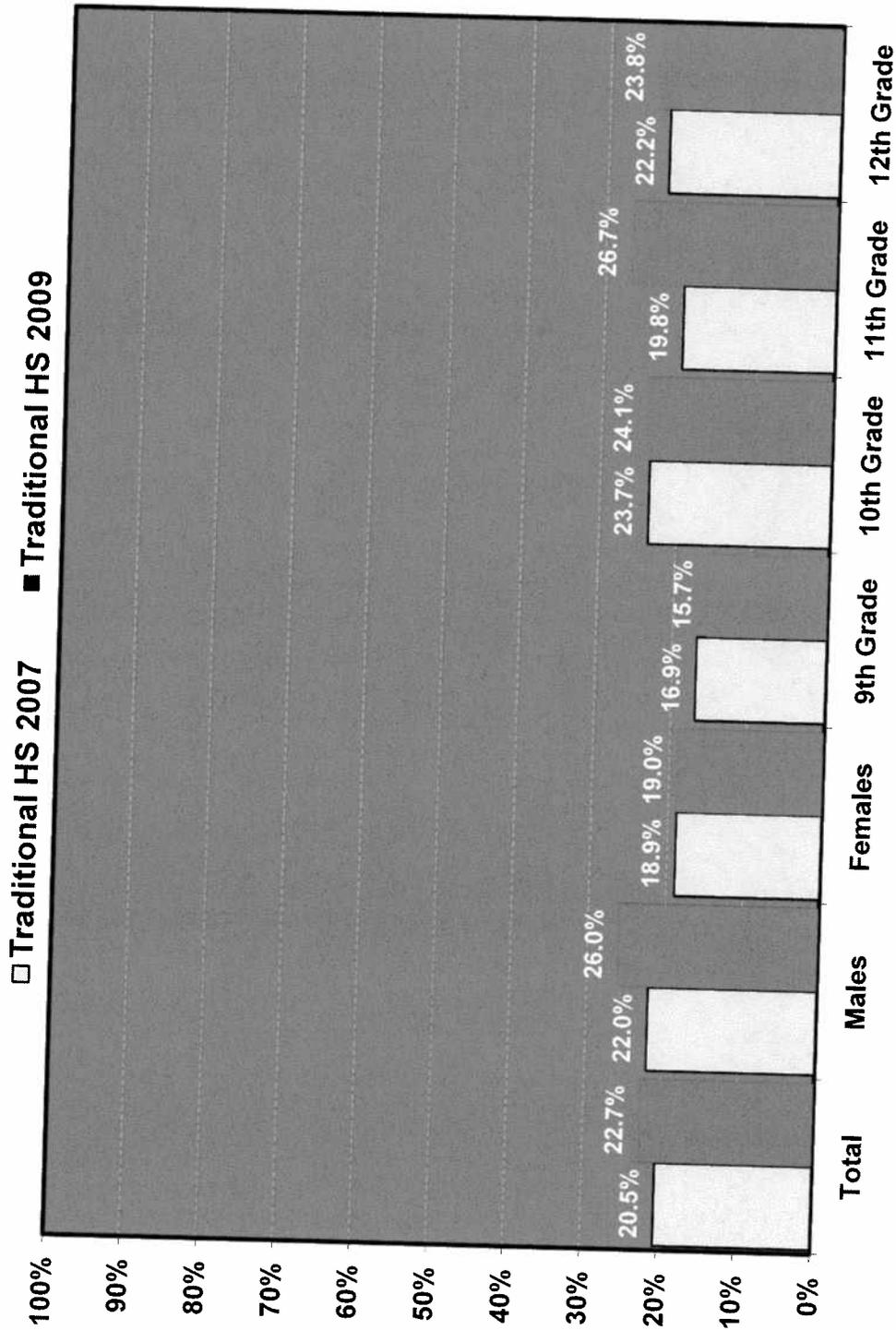
Percentage of students who tried marijuana for the first time before age 13 years



Question: 50 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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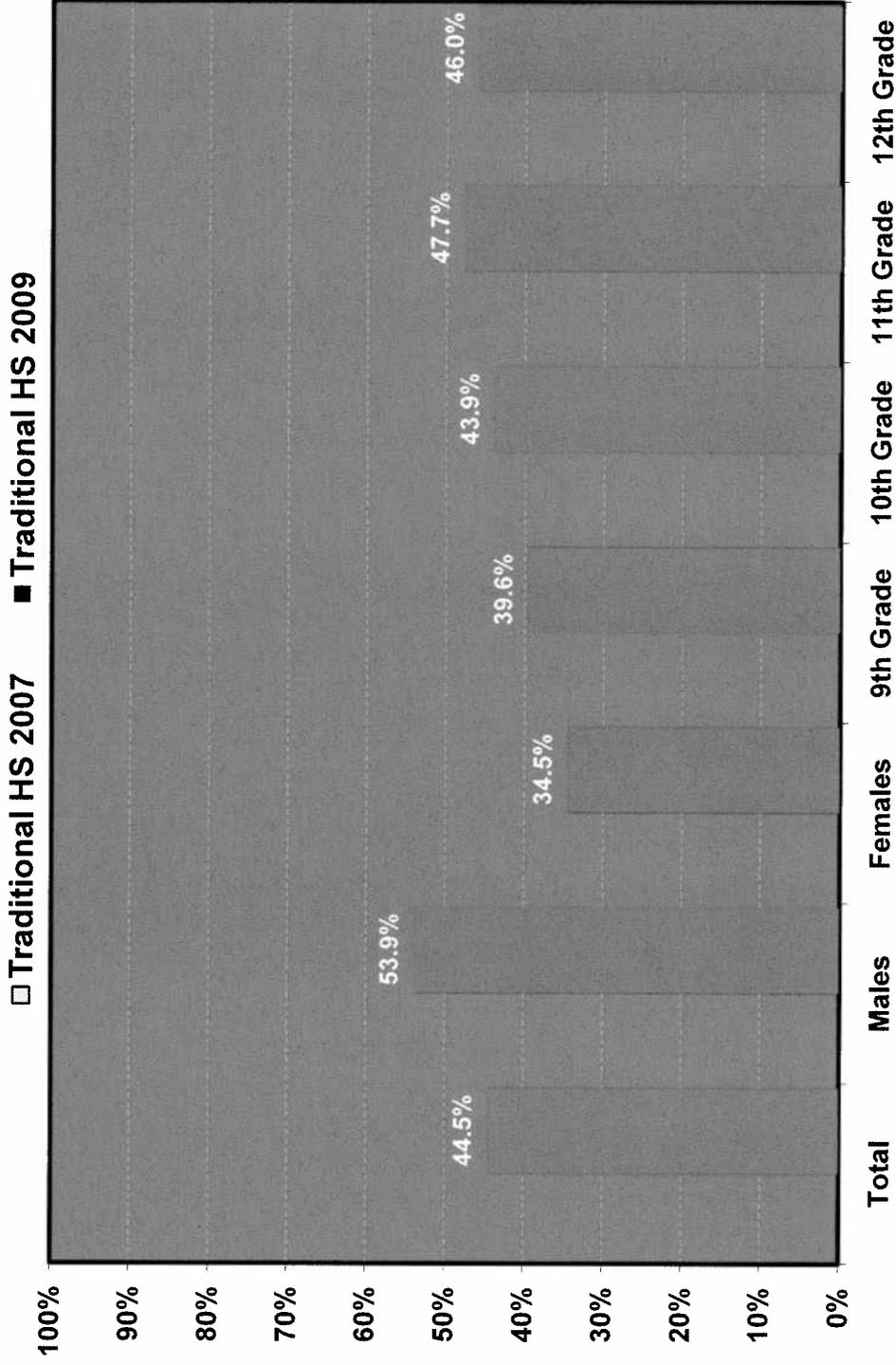
Percentage of students who used marijuana one or more times during the past 30 days



Question: 51 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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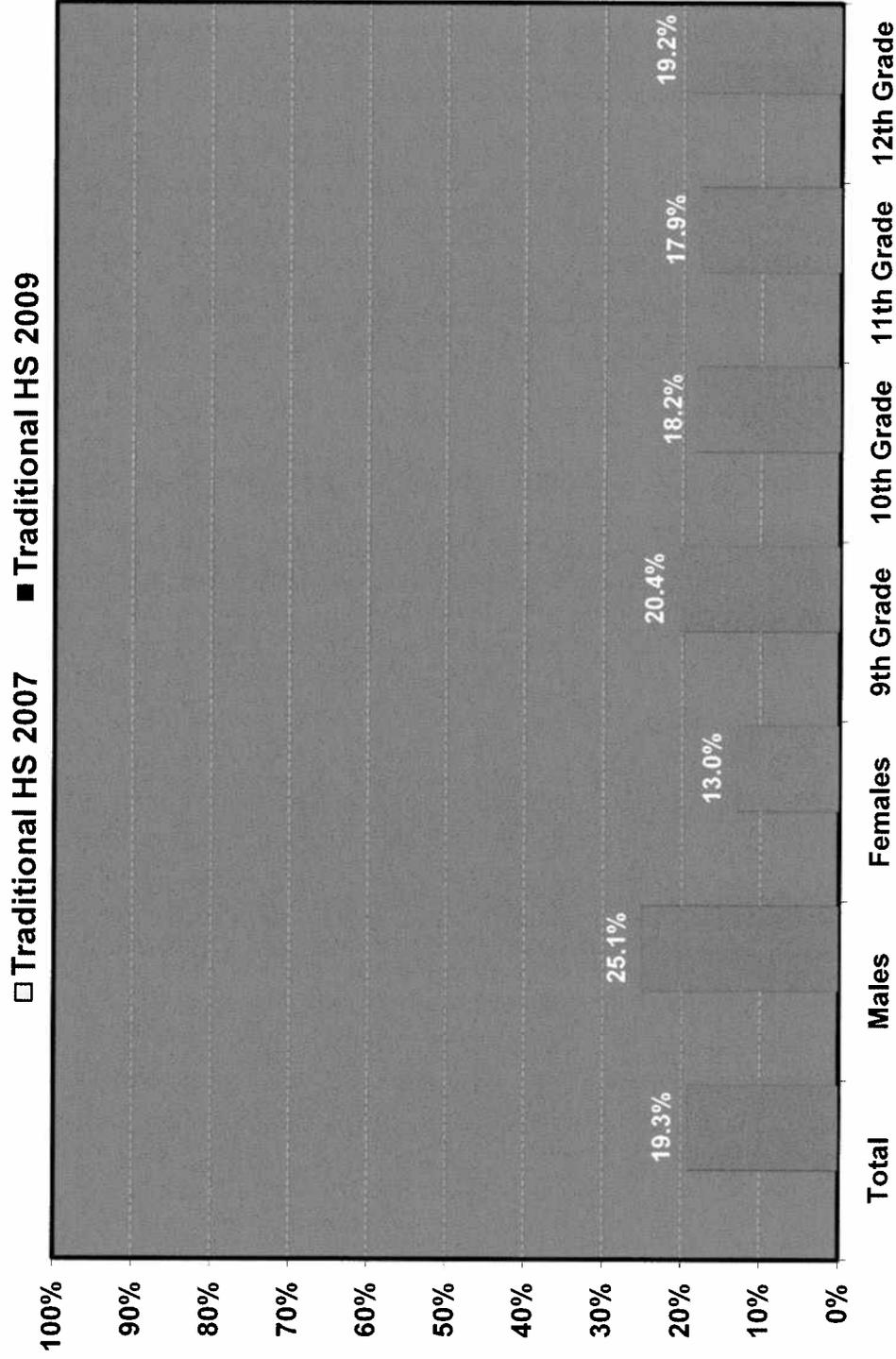
Percentage of students who think smoking marijuana regularly is no or slight risk



Question: 53 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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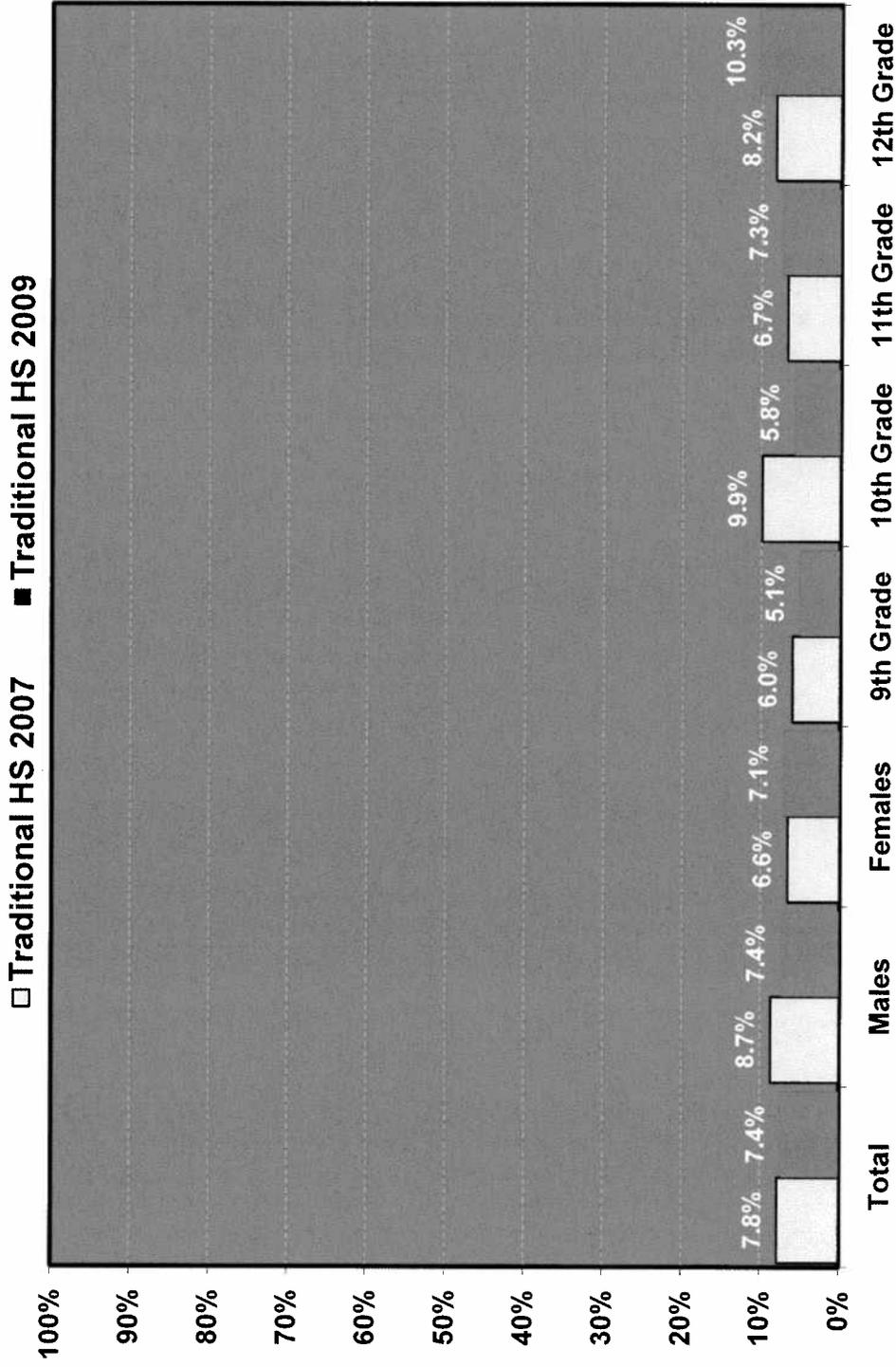
Percentage of students who think smoking marijuana regularly is no risk



Question: 53 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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Percentage of students who used any form of cocaine, including powder, crack, or freebase one or more times during their life

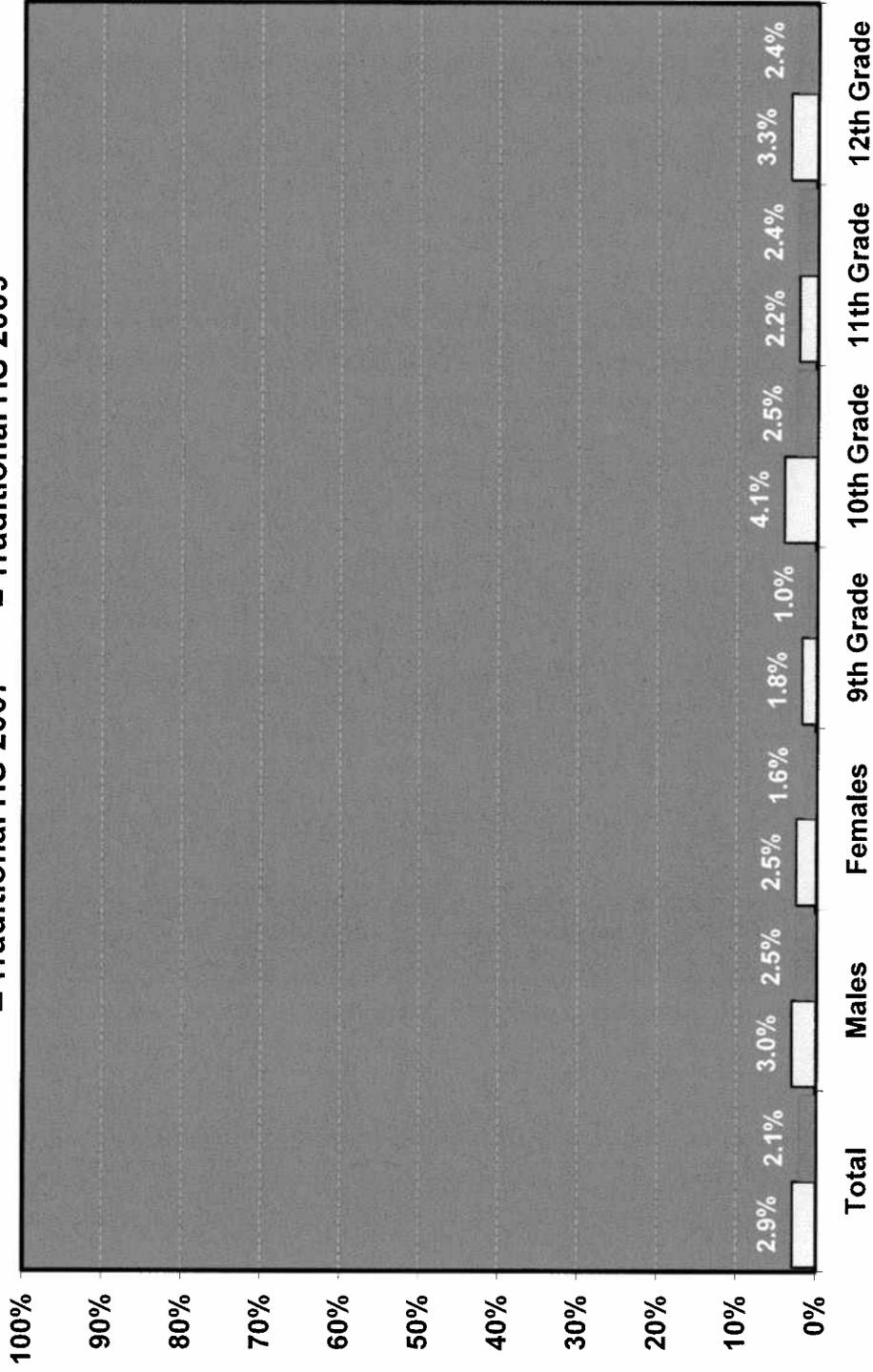


Question: 54 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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Percentage of students who used any form of cocaine, including powder, crack, or freebase one or more times during the past 30 days

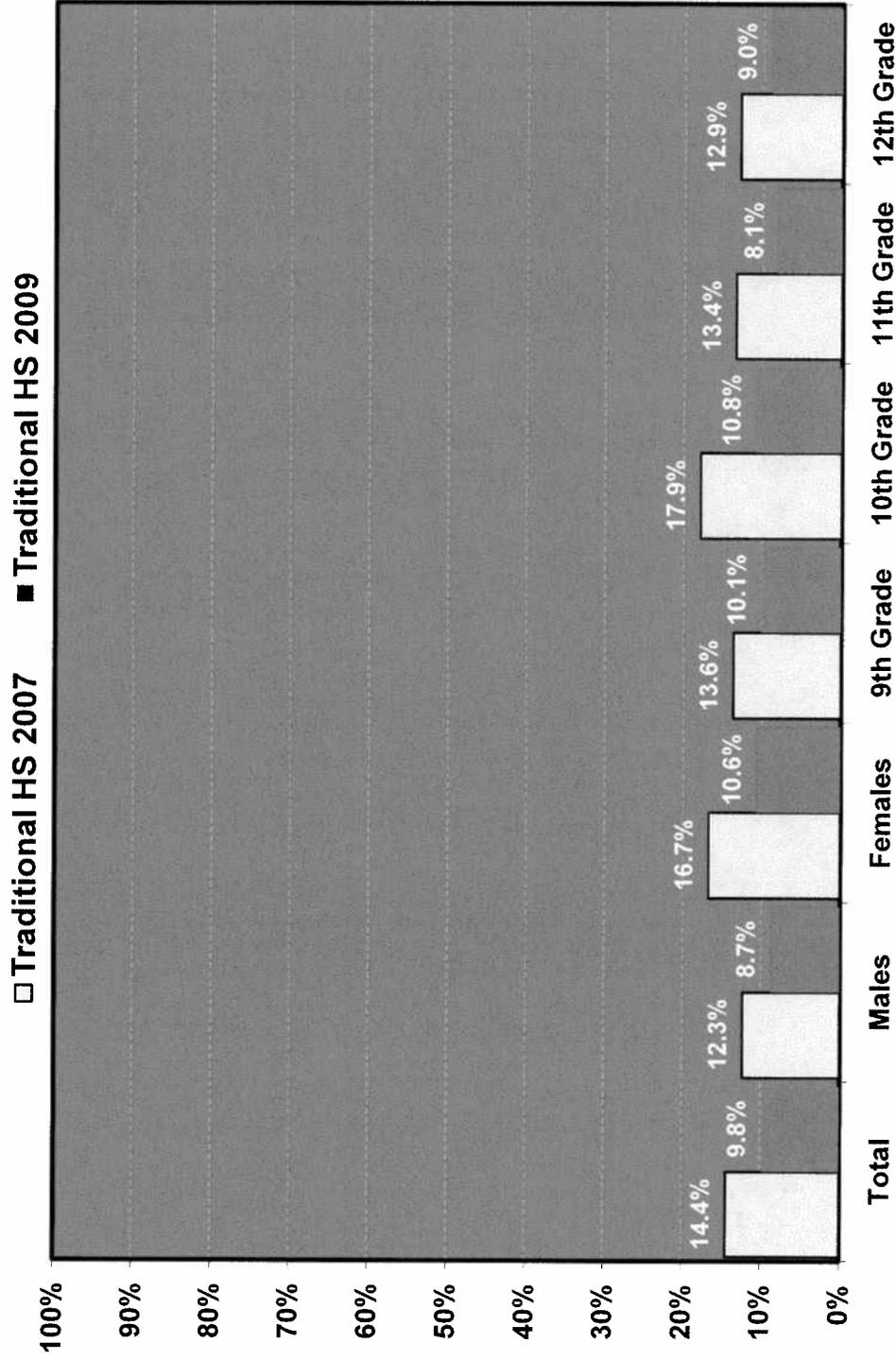
□ Traditional HS 2007    ■ Traditional HS 2009



Question: 55 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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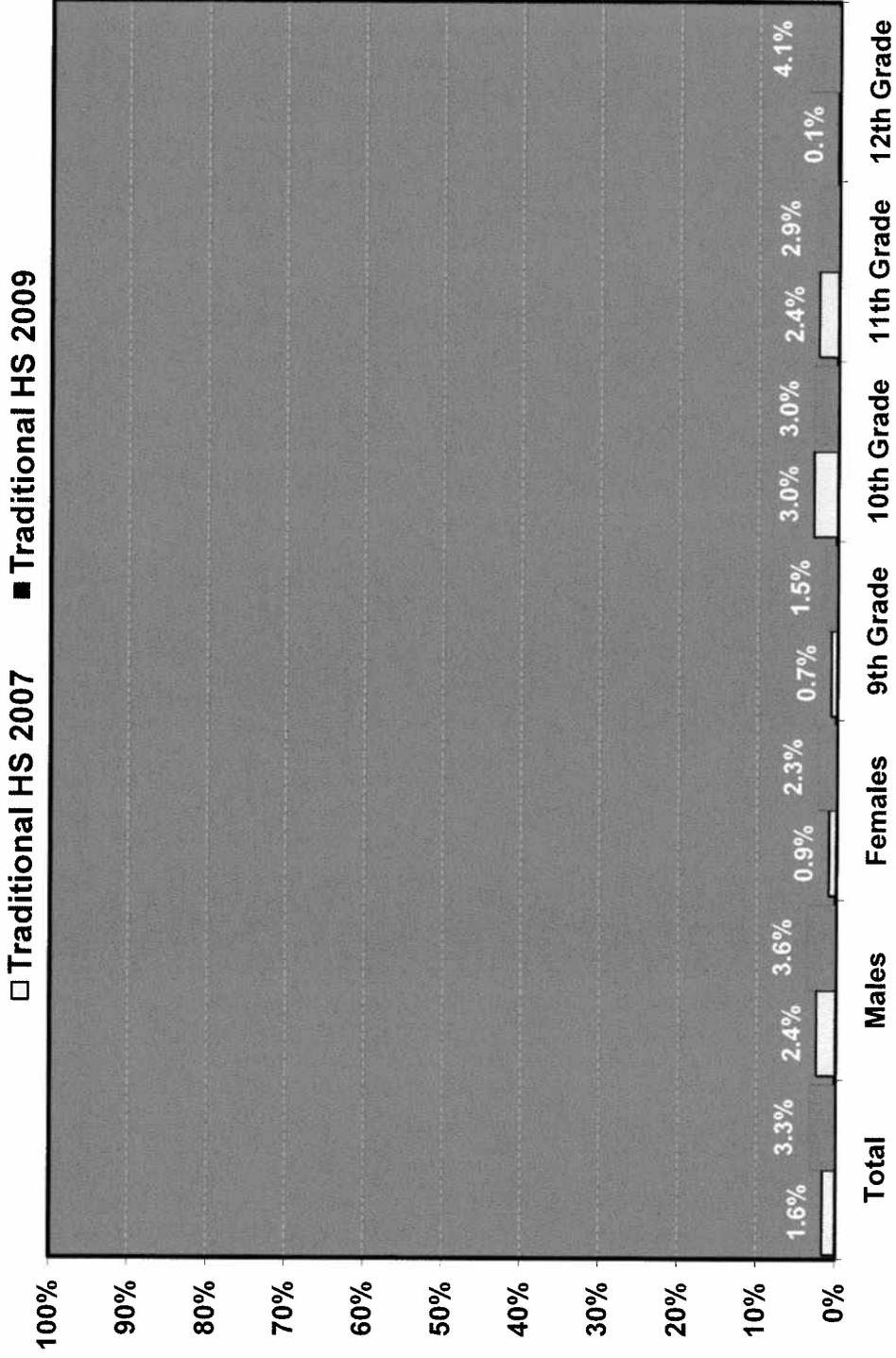
Percentage of students who sniffed glue, breathed the contents of aerosol spray cans, or inhaled any paint or sprays to get high one or more times during their life



Question: 56 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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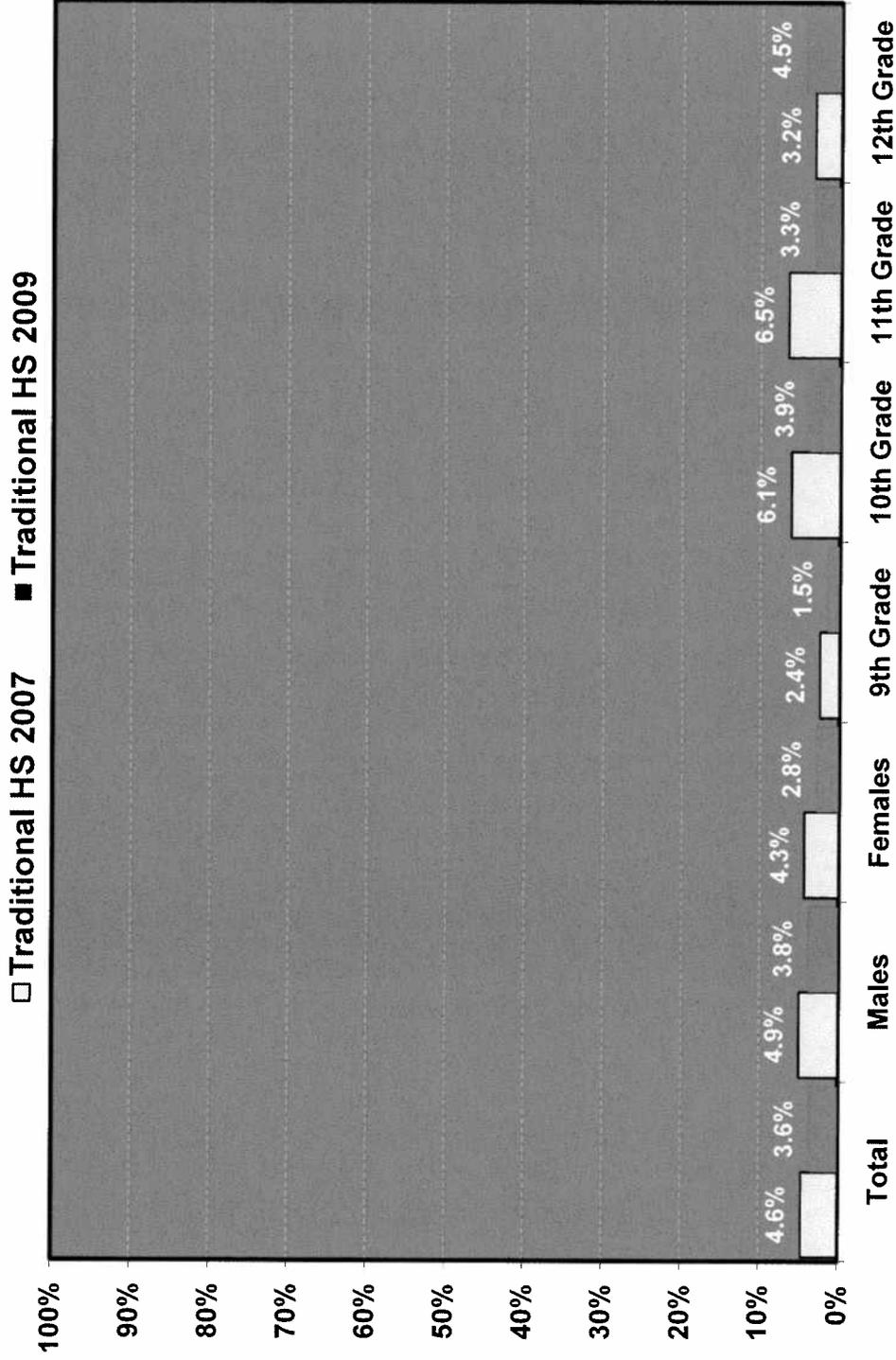
Percentage of students who used heroin one or more times during their life



Question: 57 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade.  
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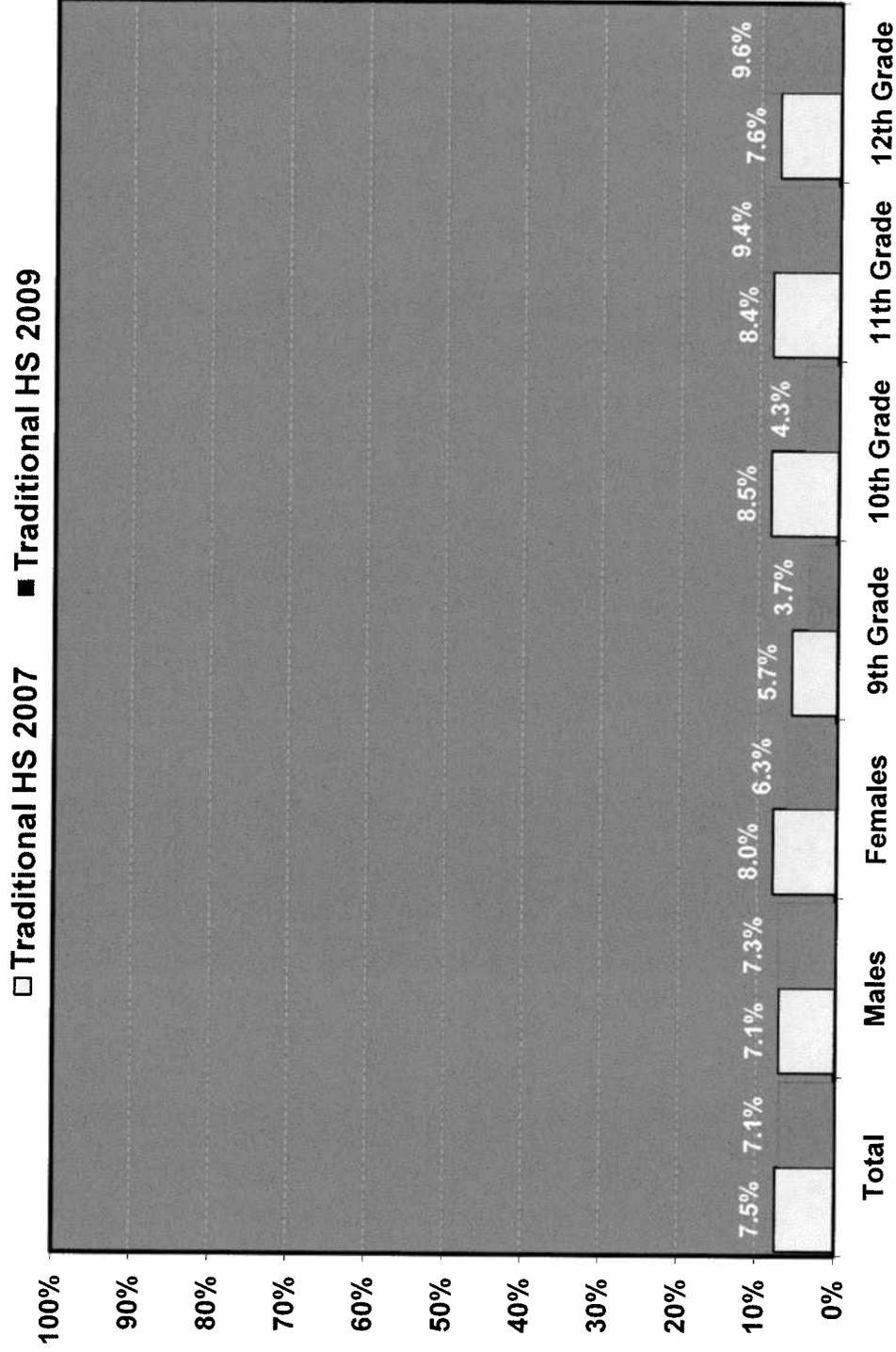
Percentage of students who used methamphetamines one or more times during their life



Question: 58 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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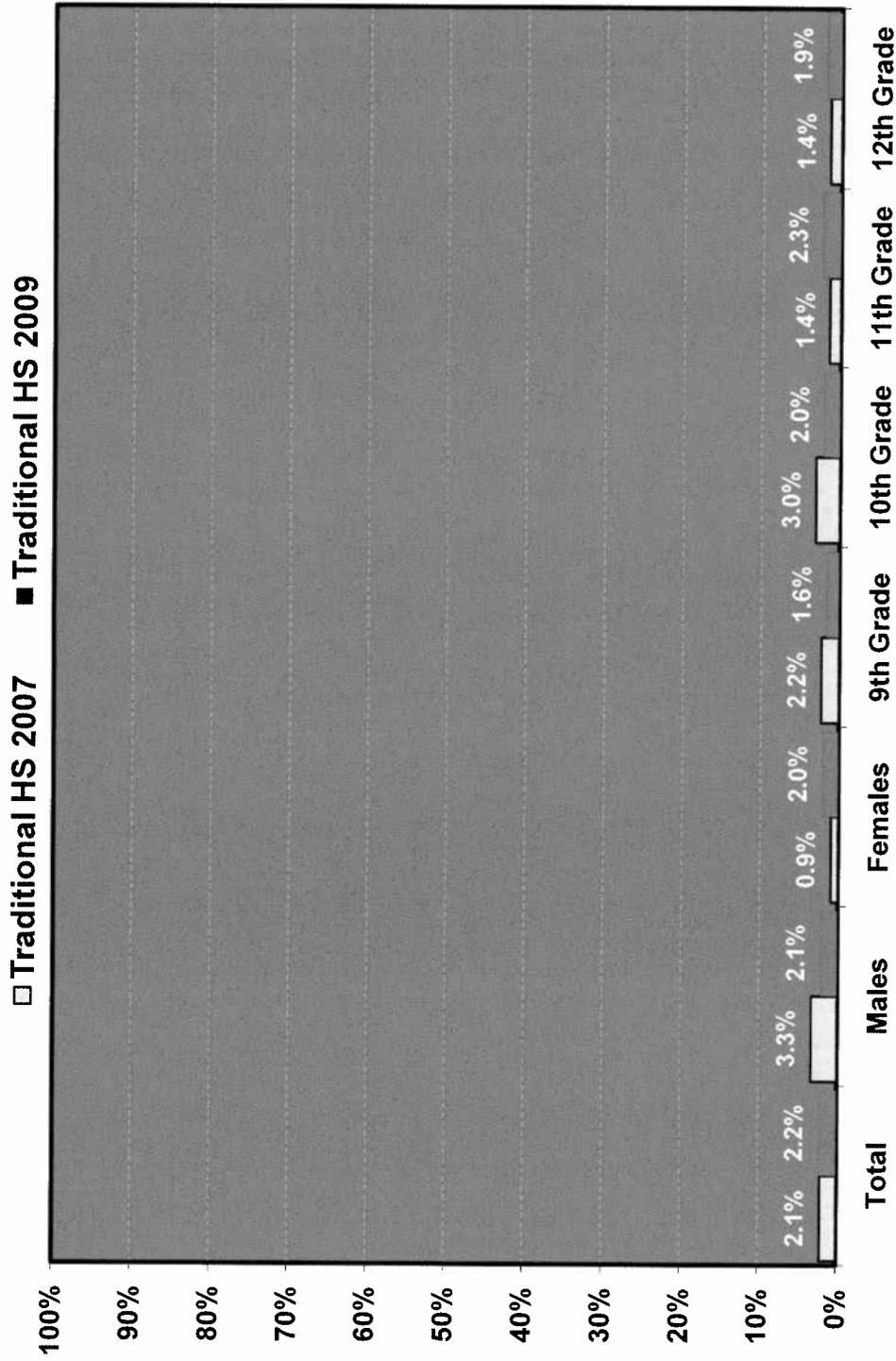
Percentage of students who used ecstasy one or more times during their life



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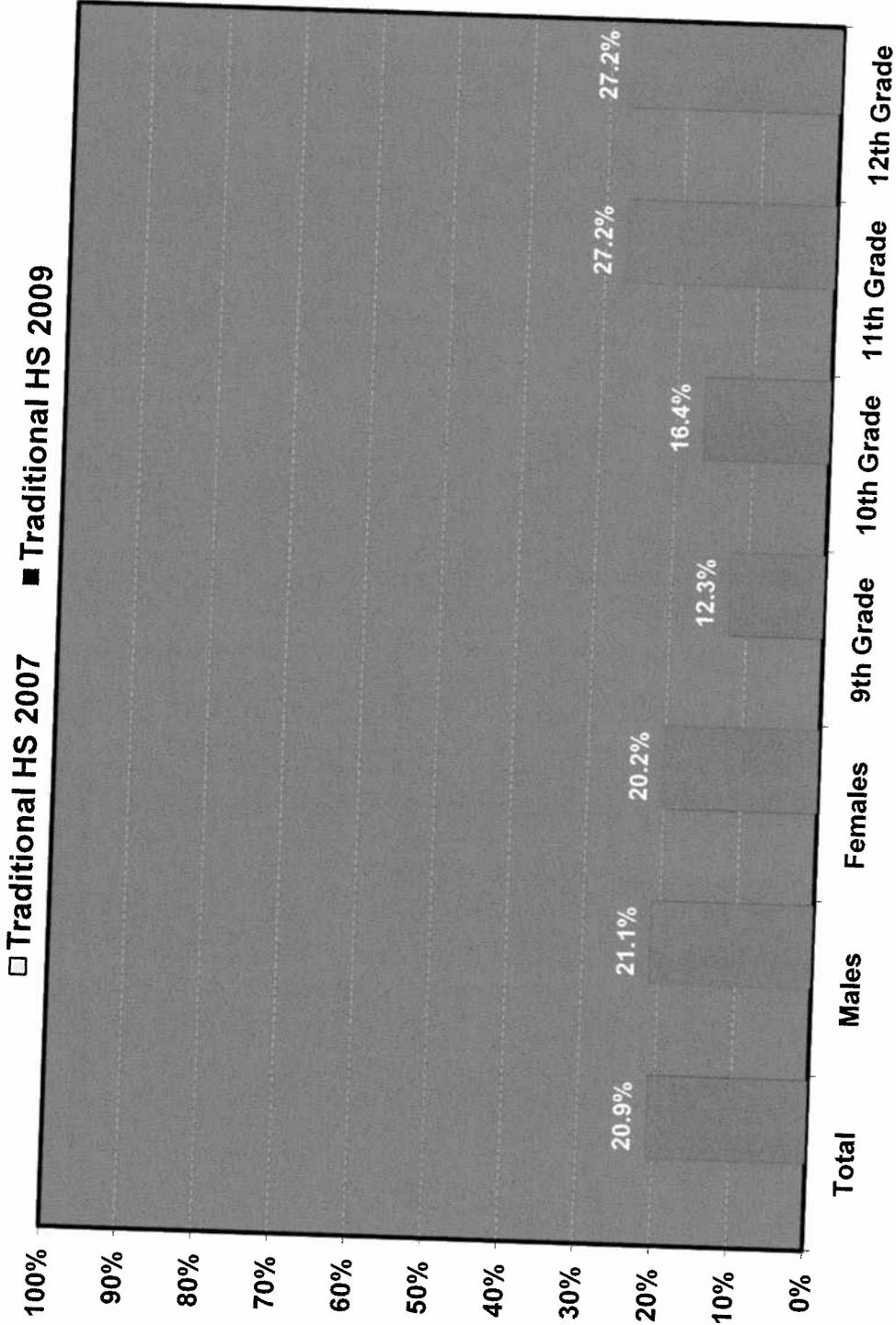
Percentage of students who used a needle to inject any illegal drug into their body one or more times during their life



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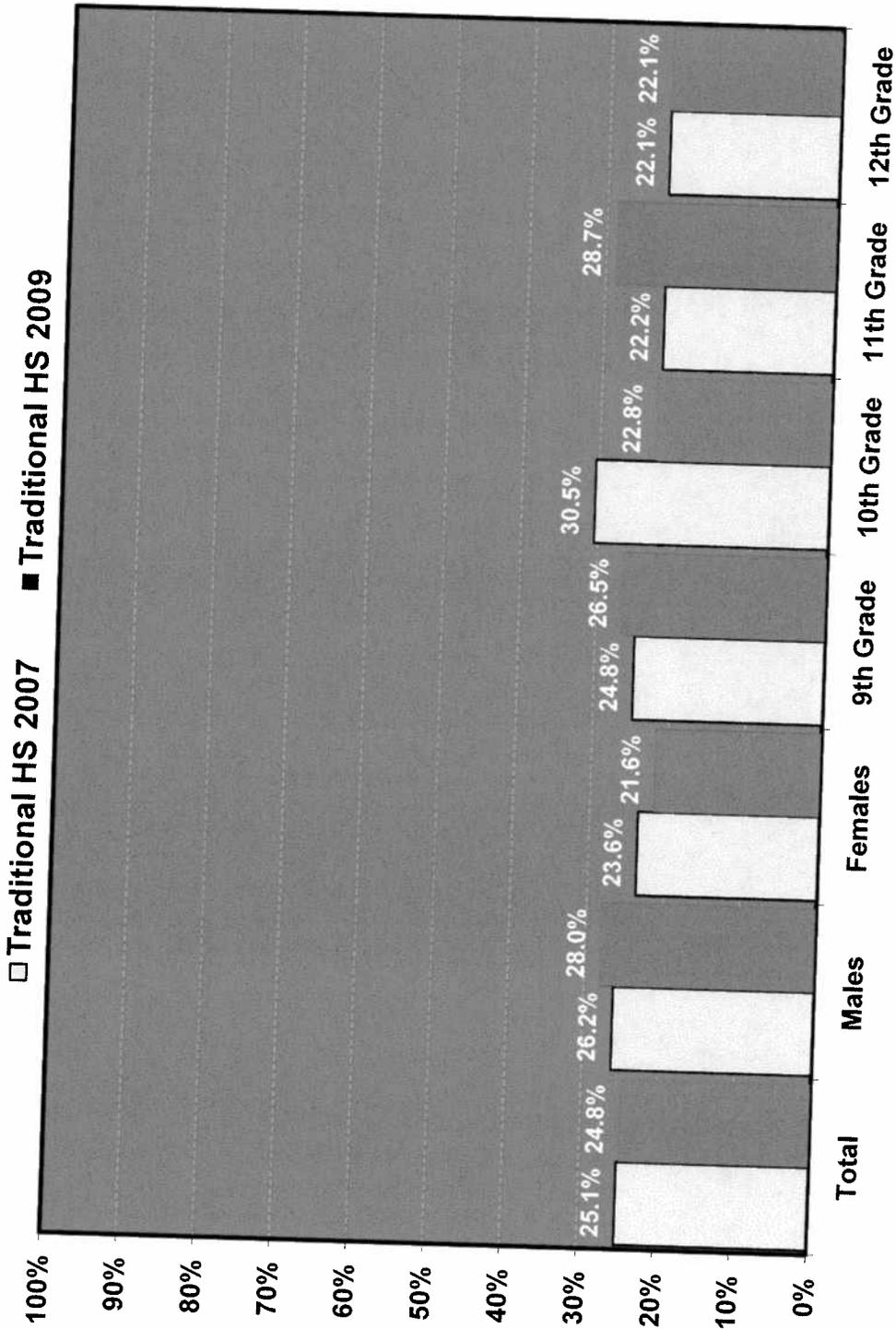
Percentage of students who have taken a prescription drug without a doctor's prescription one or more times during their life



Question: 61 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.

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Percentage of students who were offered, sold, or given an illegal drug by someone on school property during the past 12 months



Question: 62 Responses weighted by combined enrollments of sex within grade. Missing bars indicate less than 30 respondents for total or 100 respondents in the sex or grade subgroups.