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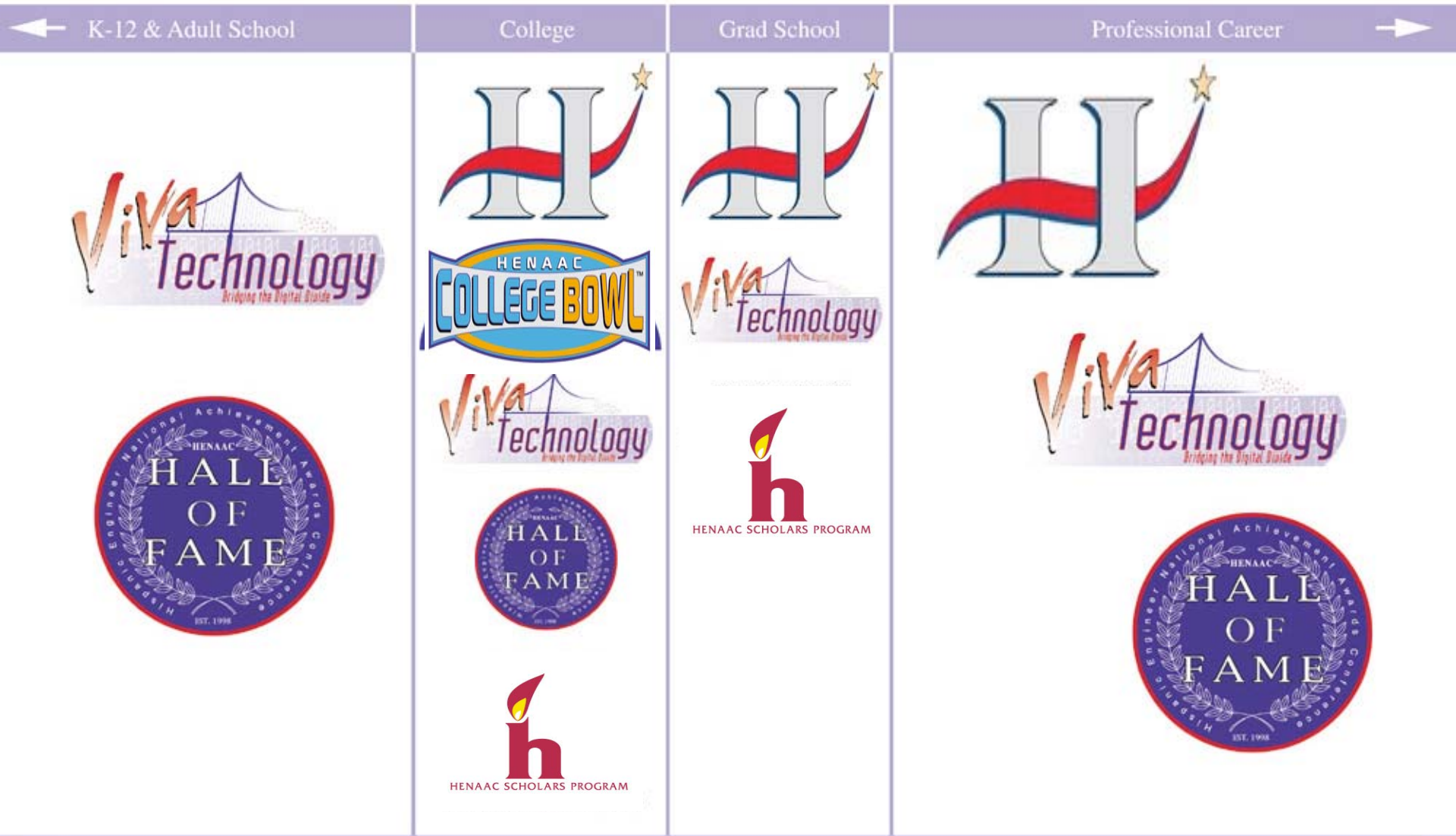


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An interactive program that involves the student, parent & teacher involving the engineer, and the technical college students in the awareness & motivation of technical careers.
- 2007 Introduce & integrate the “Value Chain” into the Viva Technology program

HENAAC Program Pipeline





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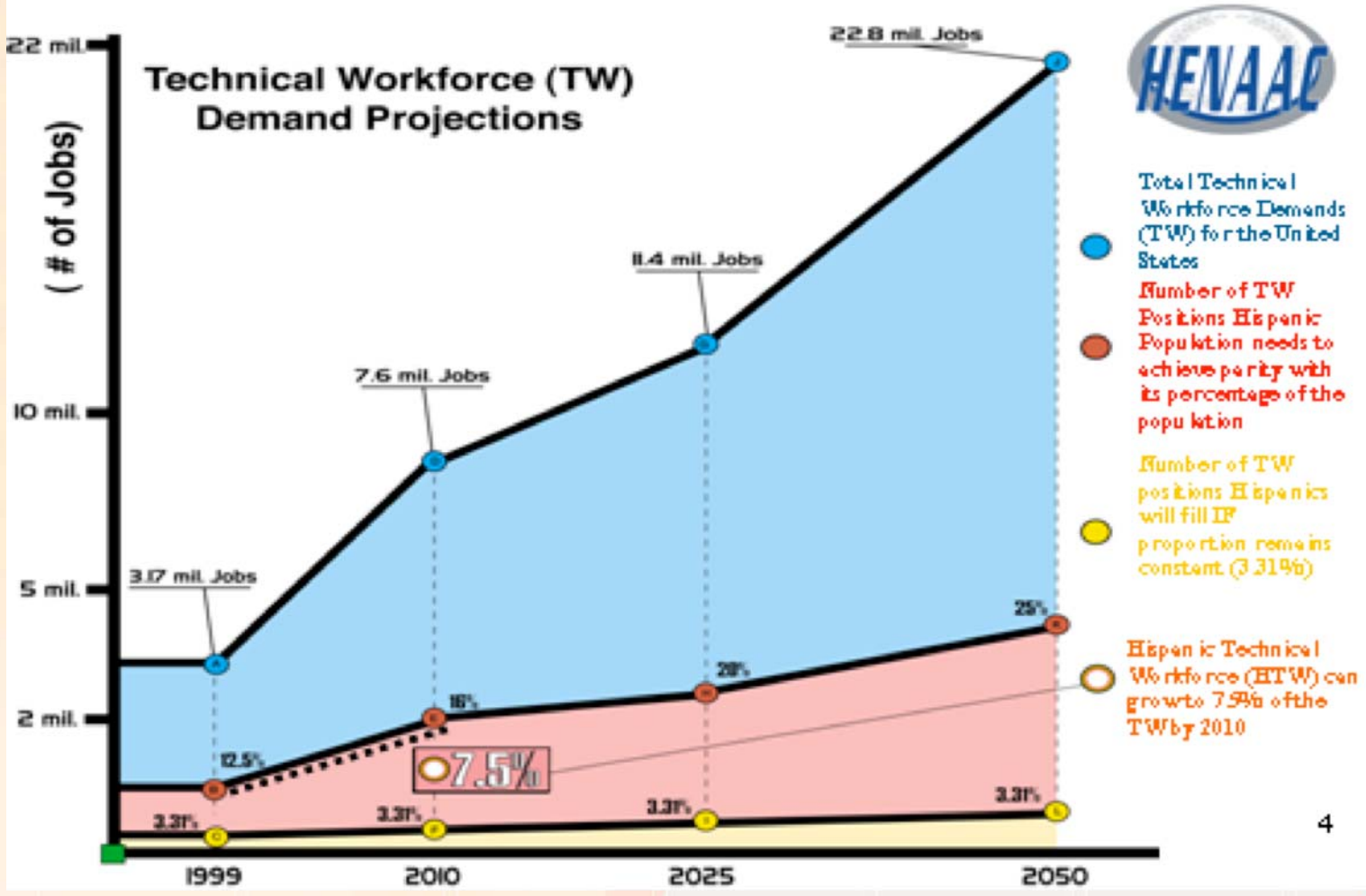
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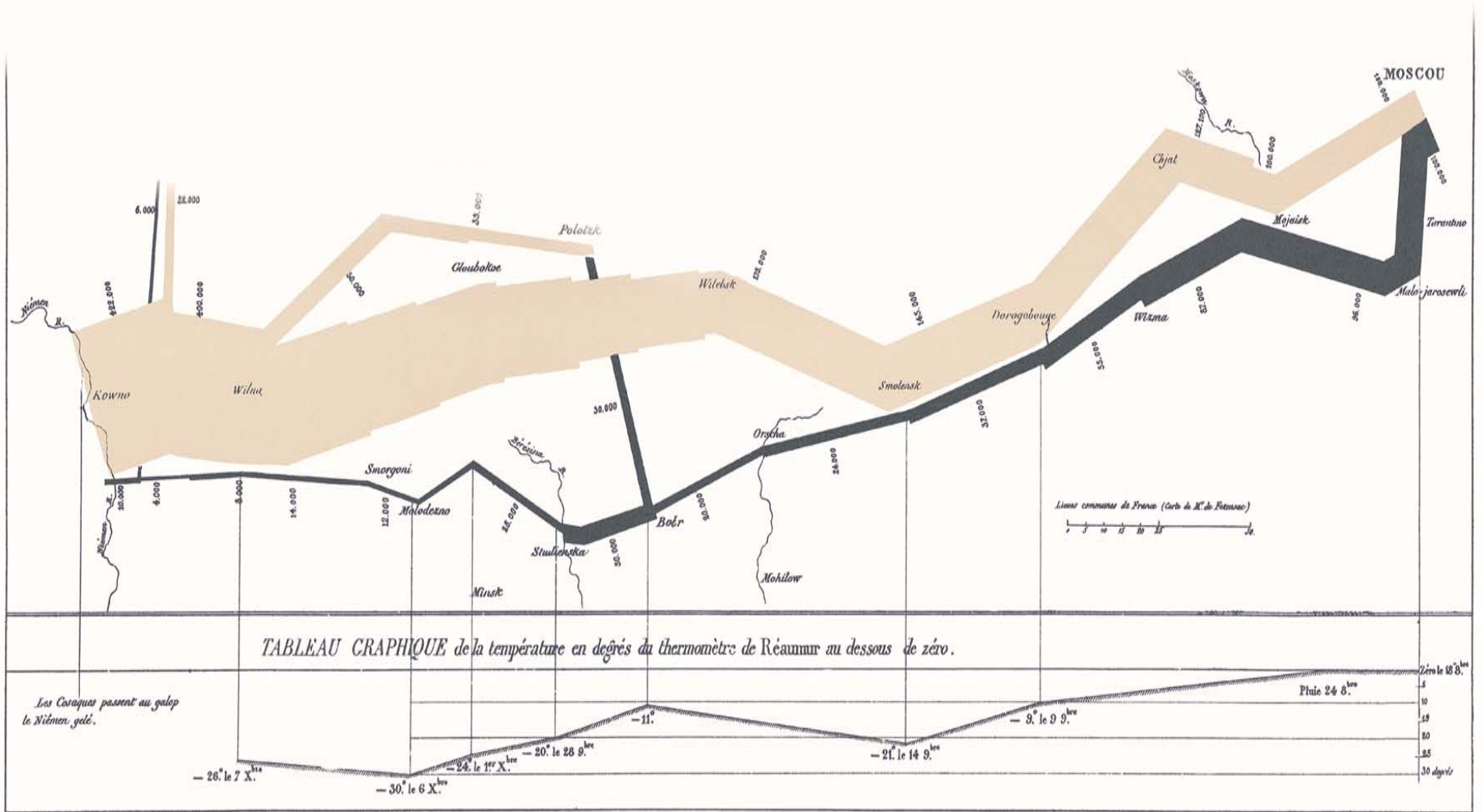
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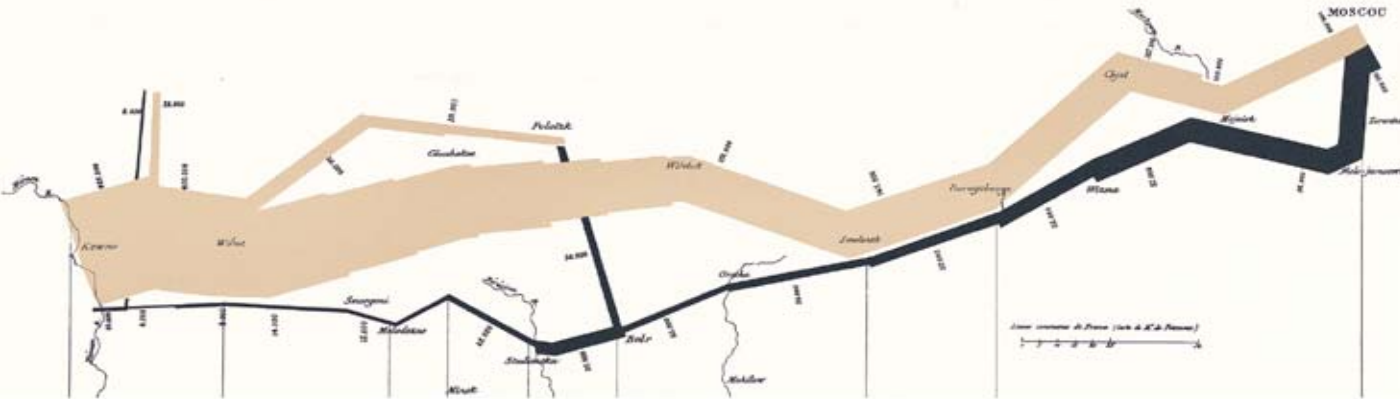
“Technical Workforce Projection”



Napoleon's March to Moscow, 1812



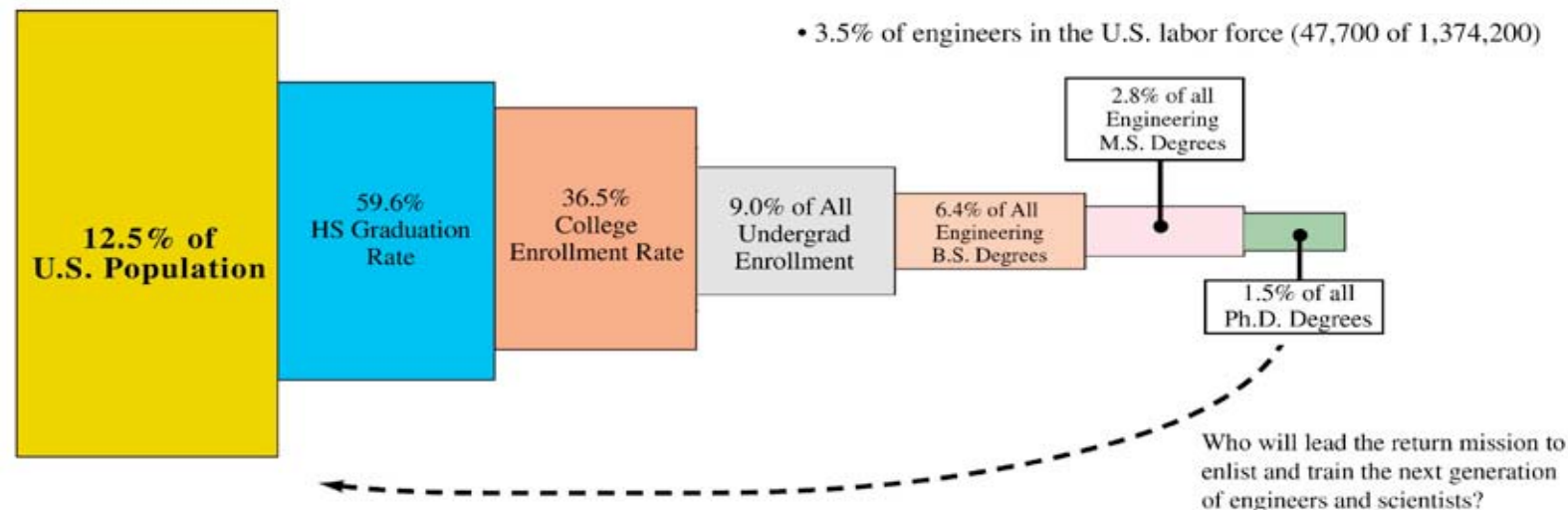
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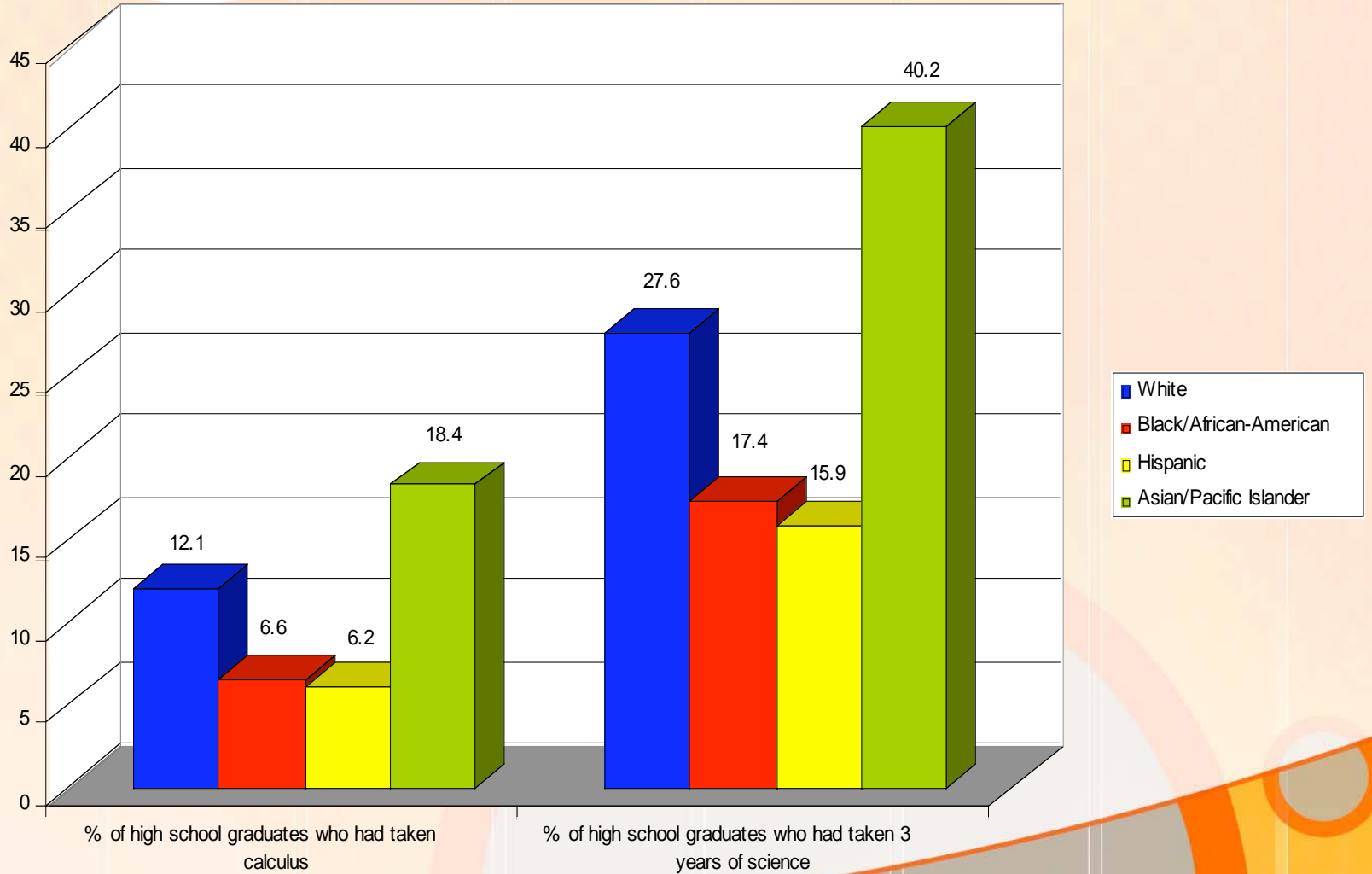
- 422,000 Men left Poland to Russia
- 100,000 Men arrived in Russia
- 10,000 Men returned to Poland
- 1813 Fall of Napoleonic Empire

Hispanic Attrition

- 12.5% of total U.S. population (35.3 million of 281.4 million)
- 59.6% high school graduation rate among Hispanics 18- to 24-years of age
- 36.5% college enrollment rate among Hispanic high school graduates 18- to 24-years of age
- 9.0% of total college undergraduate enrollment (1,107,800 of 12,298,300)
- 6.7% of total undergraduate engineering enrollment (24,264 of 362,149)
- 6.4% of all engineering B.S. degrees awarded in the U.S. (4,101 of 63,635)
- 2.8% of all engineering M.S. degrees awarded in the U.S. (851 of 30,453)
- 1.5% of all engineering Ph.D. degrees awarded in the U.S. (82 of 5,336)
- 3.5% of engineers in the U.S. labor force (47,700 of 1,374,200)



Level of Preparedness in Math and Science in High School, By Race and Ethnicity (2001)



“Top 10 U S Universities Colleges of Engineering” Largest Enrollment

10. <i>U Mich. Ann Arbor</i>	7757	315	4.0
9. <i>U. T. Austin</i>	5031	709	14.1
8. <i>Cal Poly SLO</i>	5426	434*	8.0
7. <i>U. Illinois Urban.</i>	5434	209	3.8
6. <i>Virginia Poly Inst.</i>	5466	120	2.2
5. <i>N C State Ral.</i>	5599	161	2.8
4. <i>Penn State</i>	5986	140	2.3
3. <i>Texas A&M</i>	6096	722	11.8
2. <i>Purdue U</i>	6358	138	2.1
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“Top 10 U S Universities Colleges of Engineering” – Hispanic Enrollment



10. <i>U Central Florida</i>	4040	581	14.3
9. <i>U.T. Pan Am</i>	743	604	84.0
8. <i>U.T.S.A.</i>	1409	626	44.2
7. <i>CCNY</i>	2338	640	27.3
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3. <i>Cal Poly Pomona</i>	3735	990	26.5
2. <i>Florida Int. U</i>	2118	1131	53.3
1. <i>UTEP</i>	2116	1483	70.0



“The Under-Tapped Minority Pool”

Approximately 690,000 minority students graduated from high school in 2002.

Only 28,300 (4%) were considered “engineering eligible” based on courses taken and grades.

Of these, 16,800 (59%) enrolled as freshmen in engineering schools out of 107,000 total engineering admissions.

Source: NACME Symposium 2005- DATA BOOK - CPST, data derived from NCES and EWC, 2002

The Program & Mission

What do we Know?

- U S Technical Labor Shortage
- Inadequate University Hispanic Enrollment in Engineering & Science
- Inadequate Hispanic Completion of Calculus by the 12th grade
- Inadequate Hispanic Completion of Algebra by the 8th grade
- In the inner cities - Students, Parents/Child Care Providers & Teachers need Math help.
- The need for more math & Science teachers



Awareness

Motivation

Preparation
(School & College)

Adaptation



“An Experience in Engineering and Science”

- *Viva Program evolves around*
 - ▶ *The Student*
 - ▶ *The Teacher*
 - ▶ *The Parent*



- The Story
- “Jessica’s Story”

