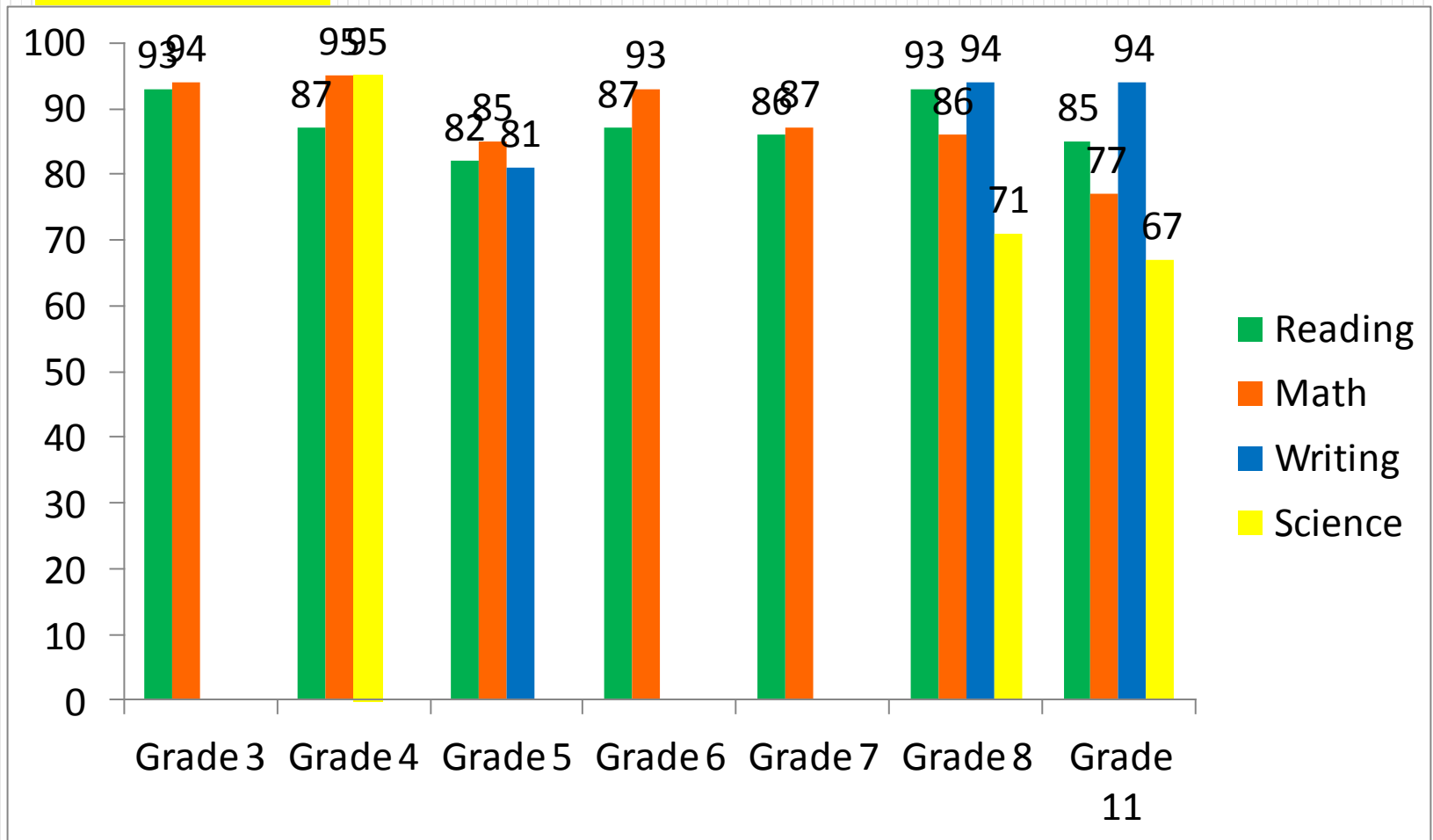


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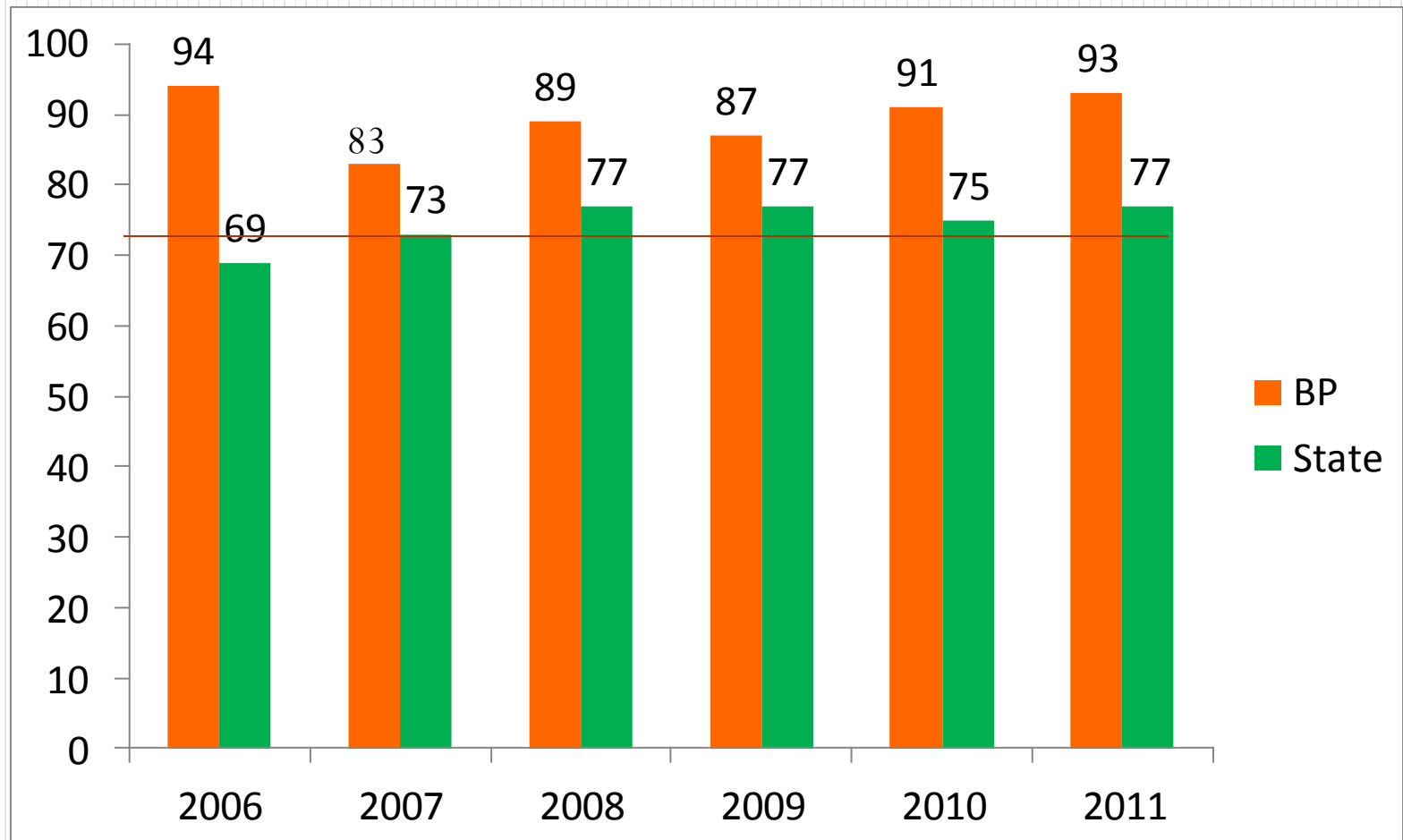
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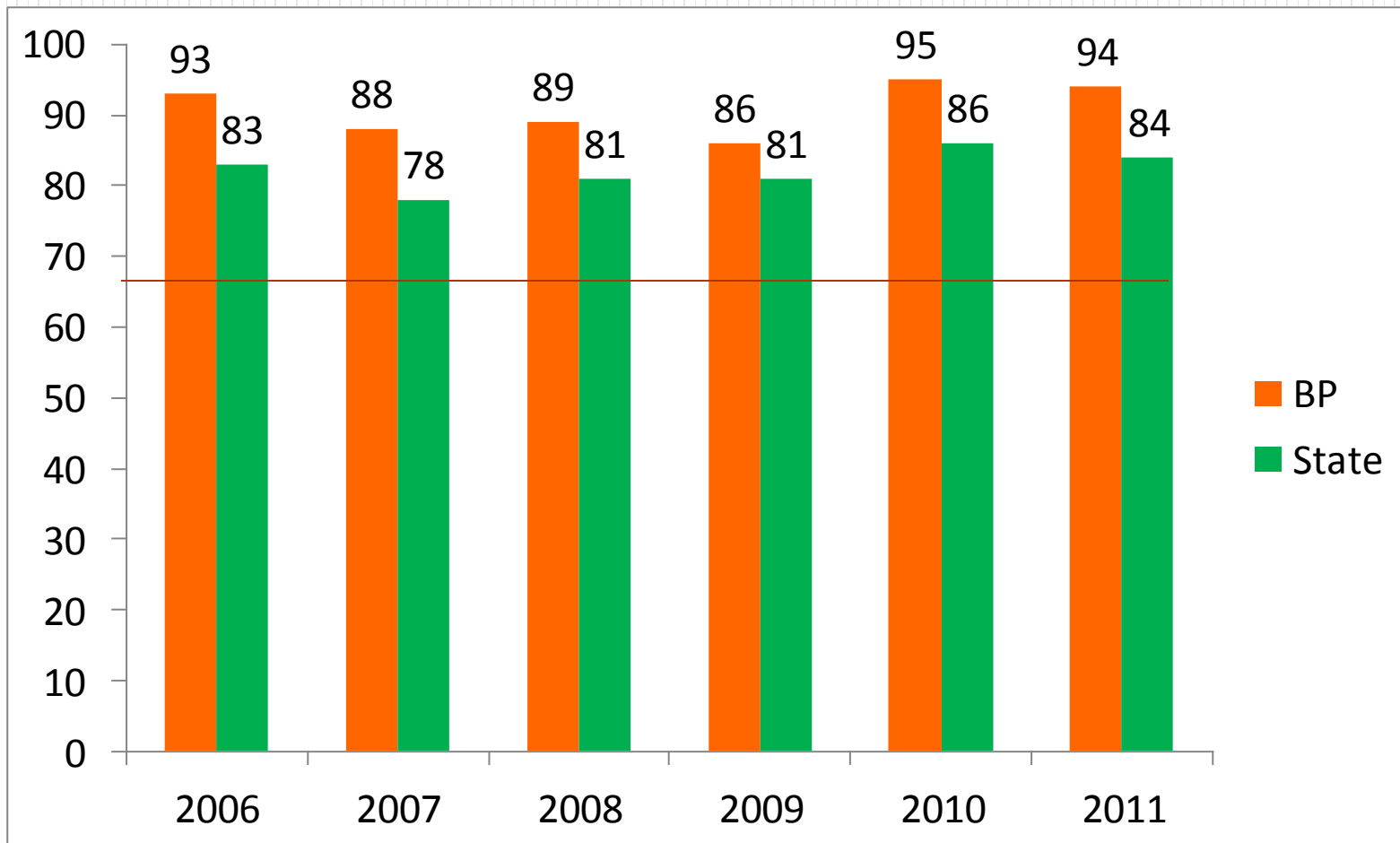
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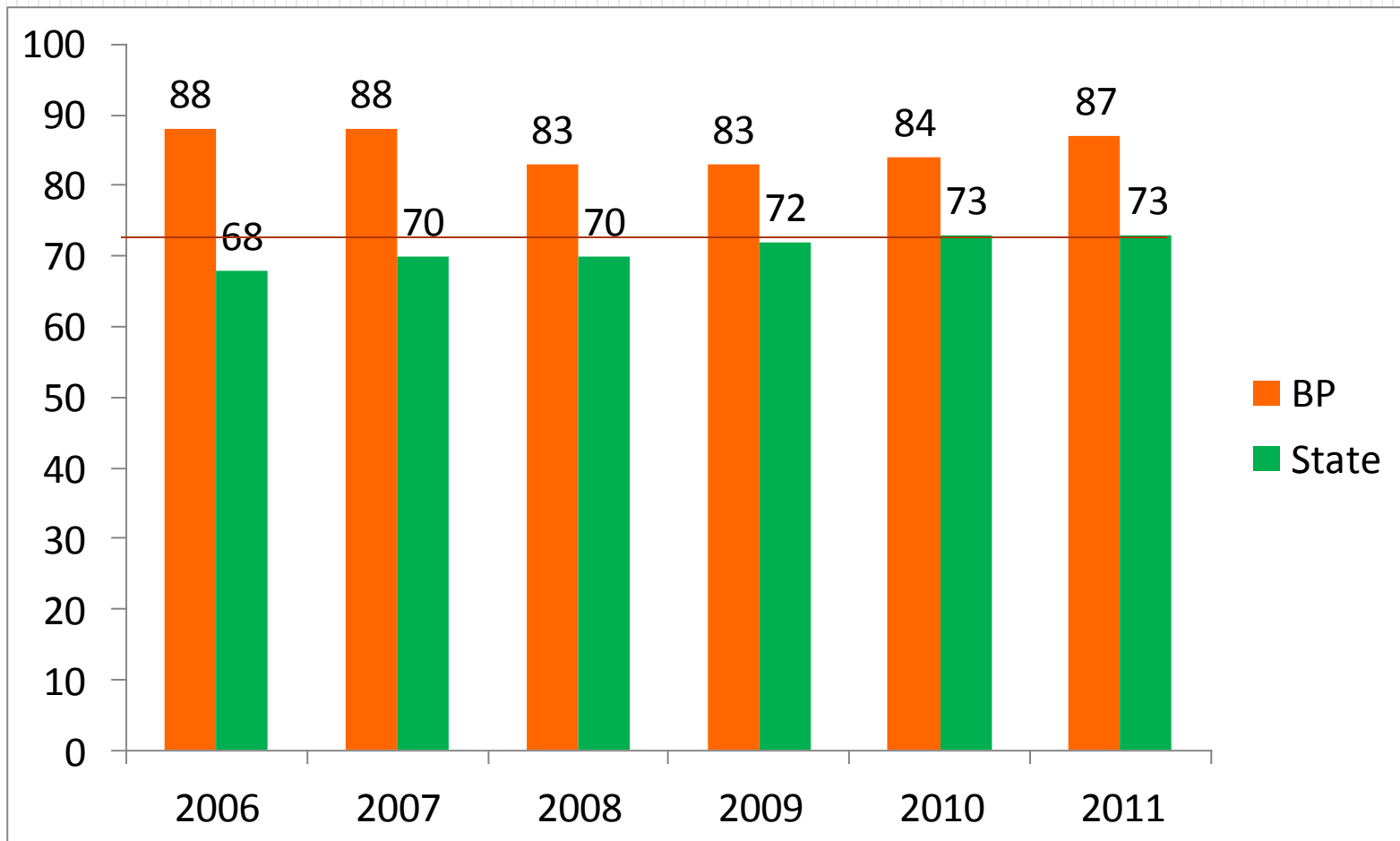
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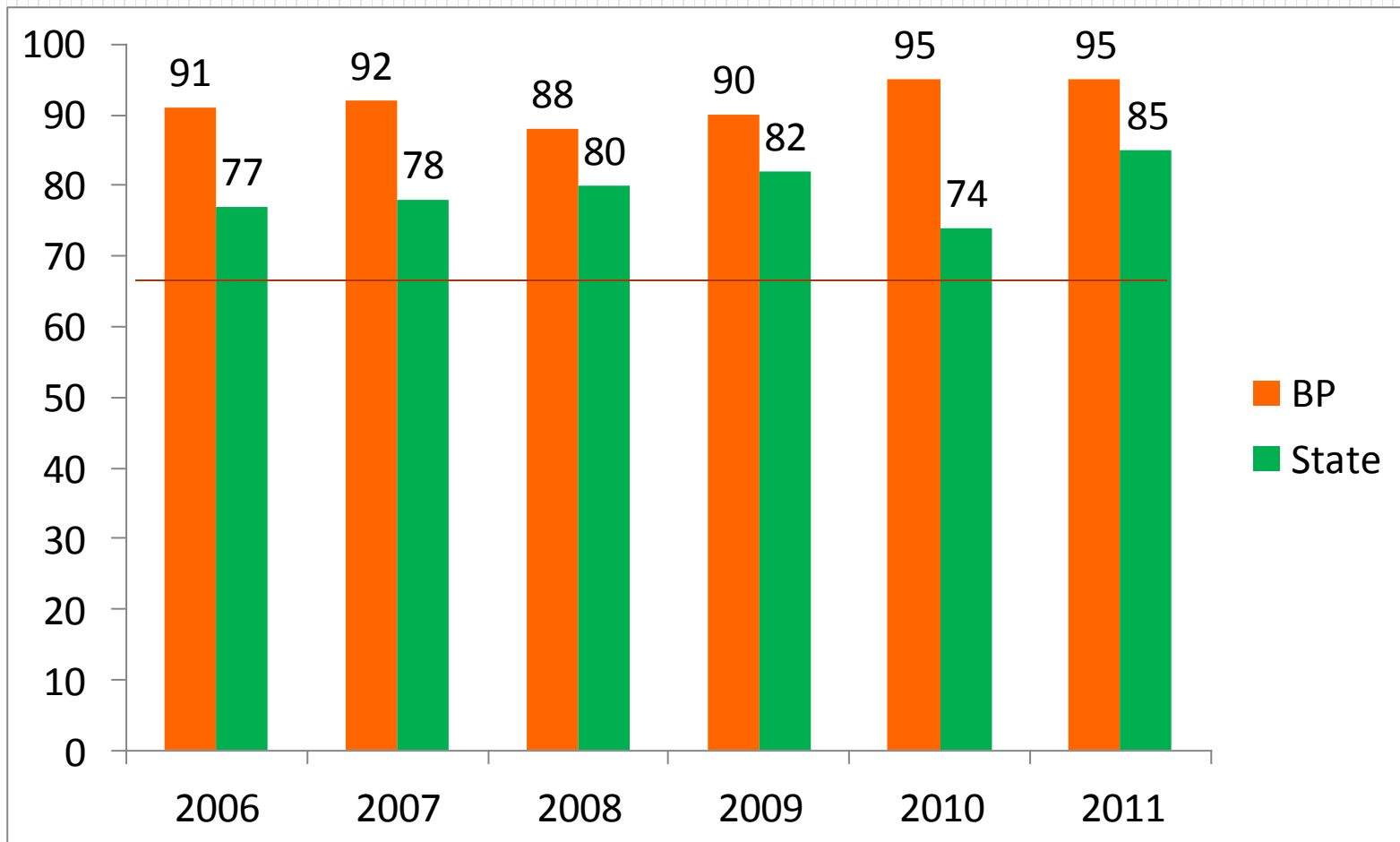
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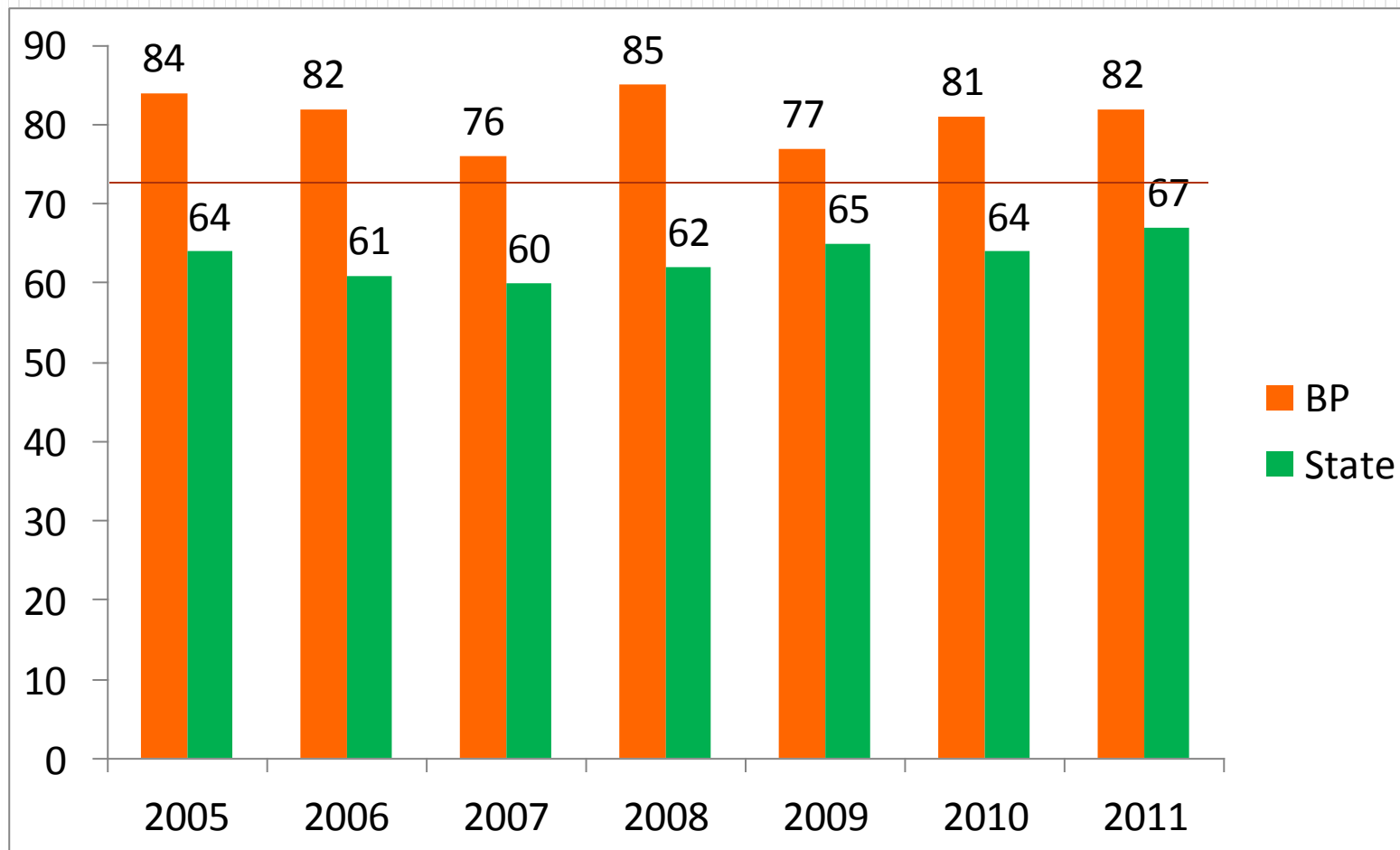
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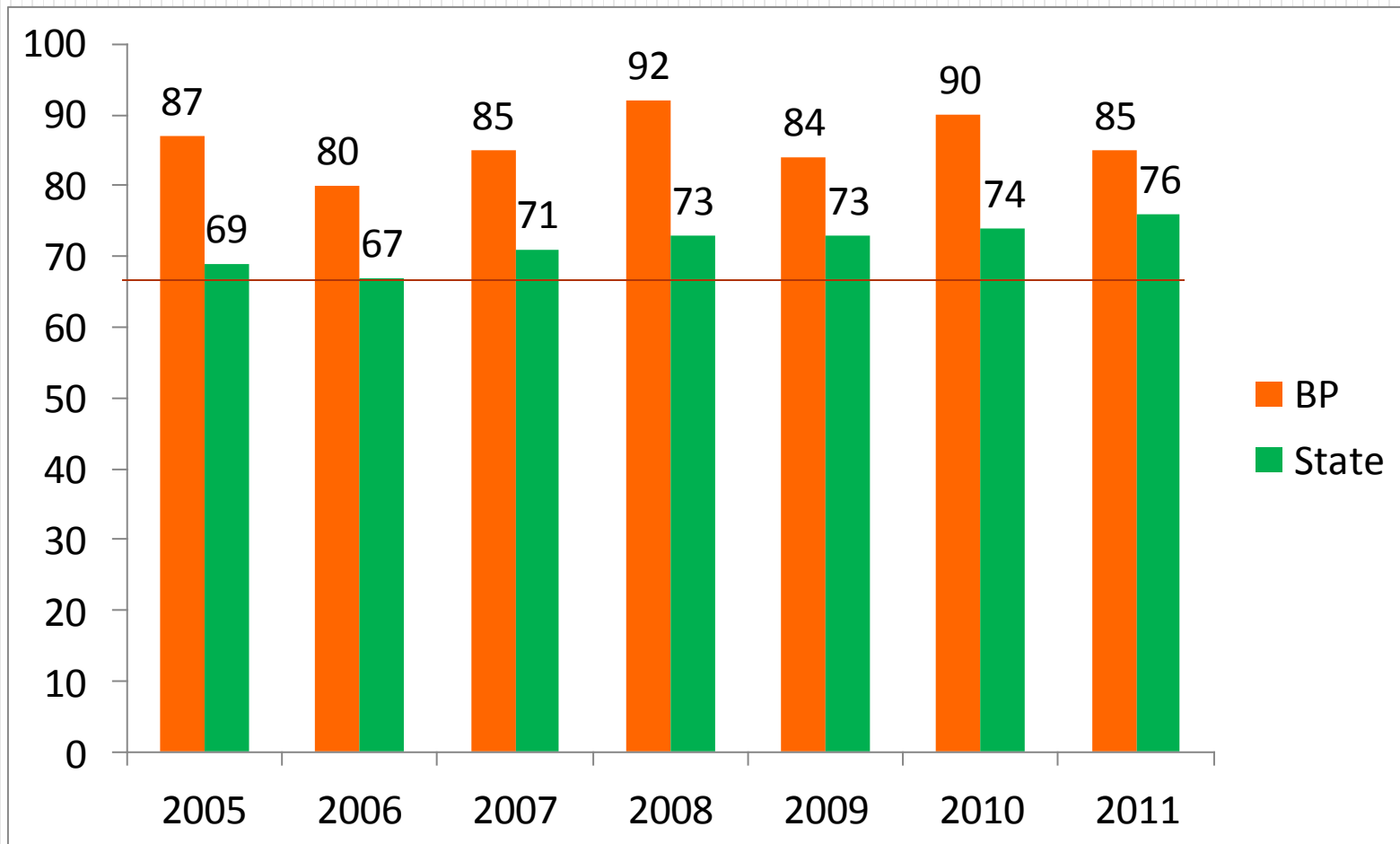
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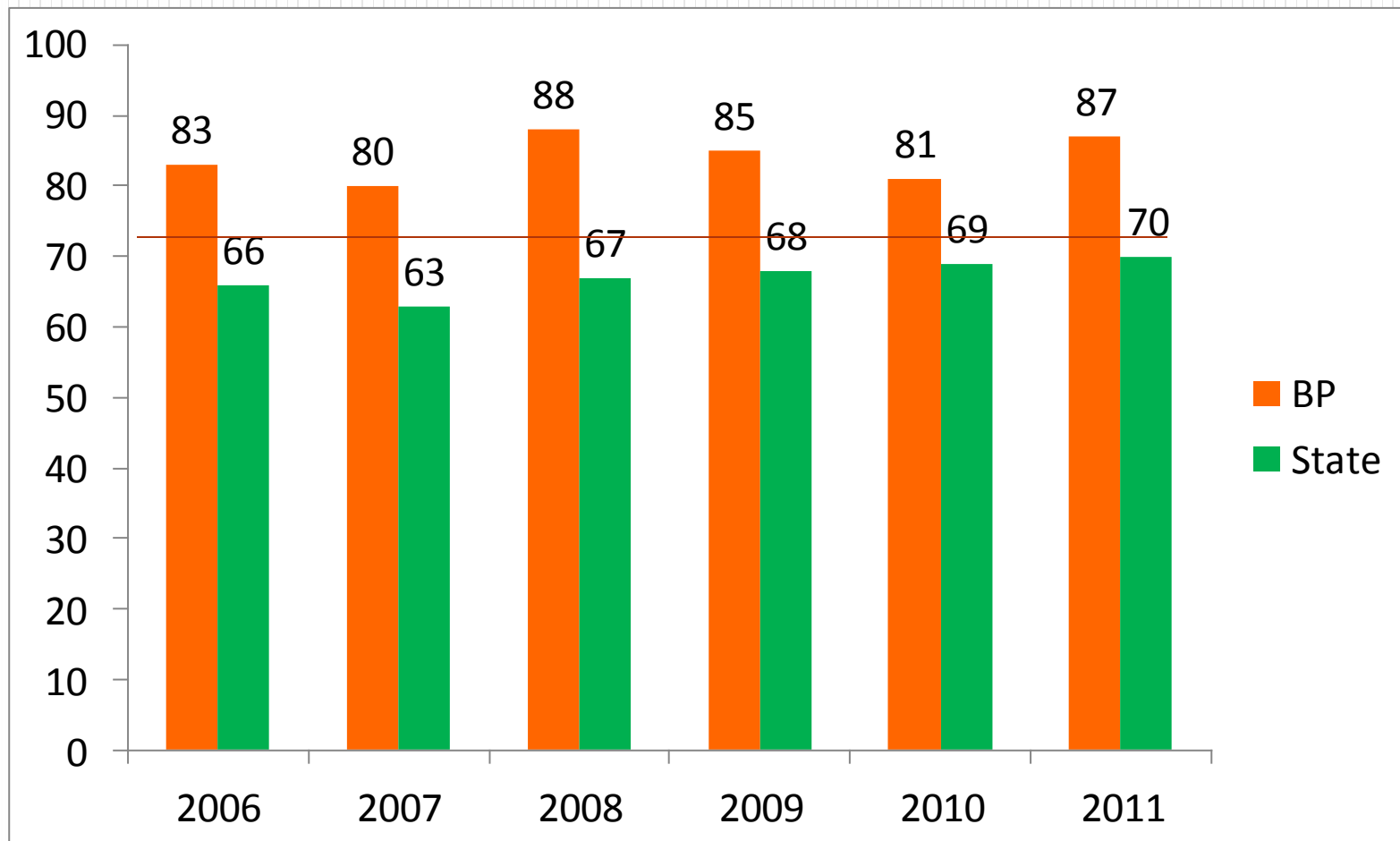
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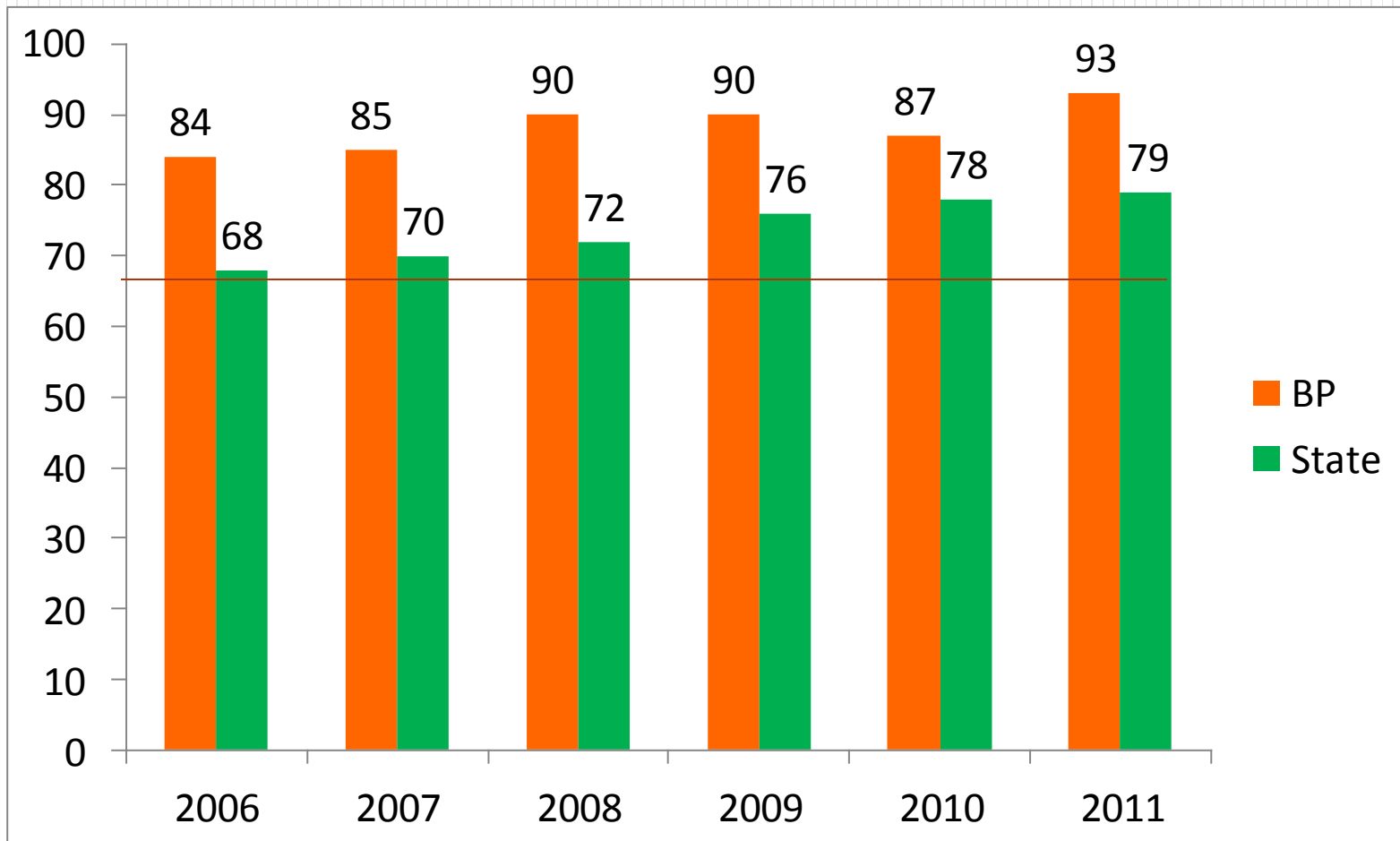
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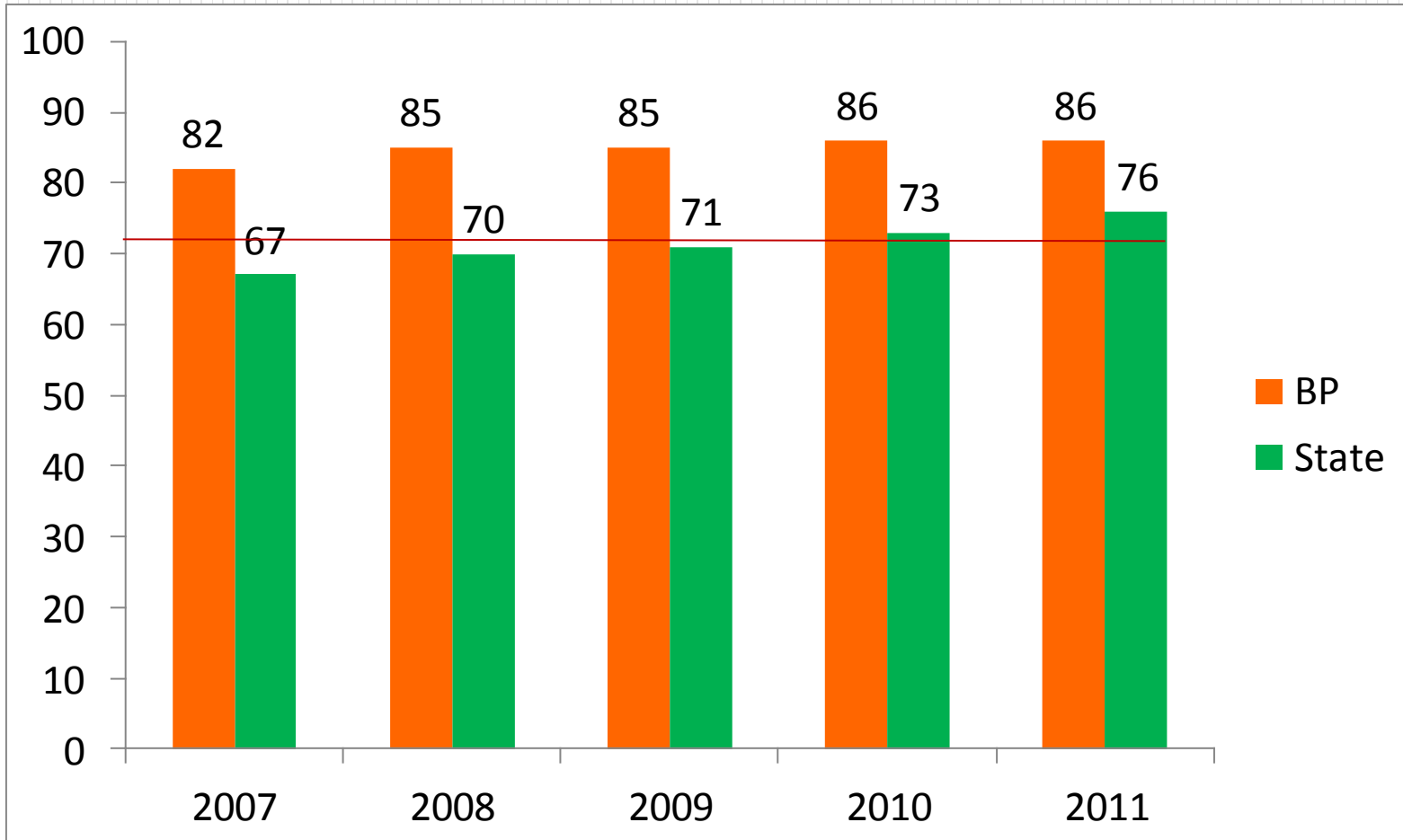
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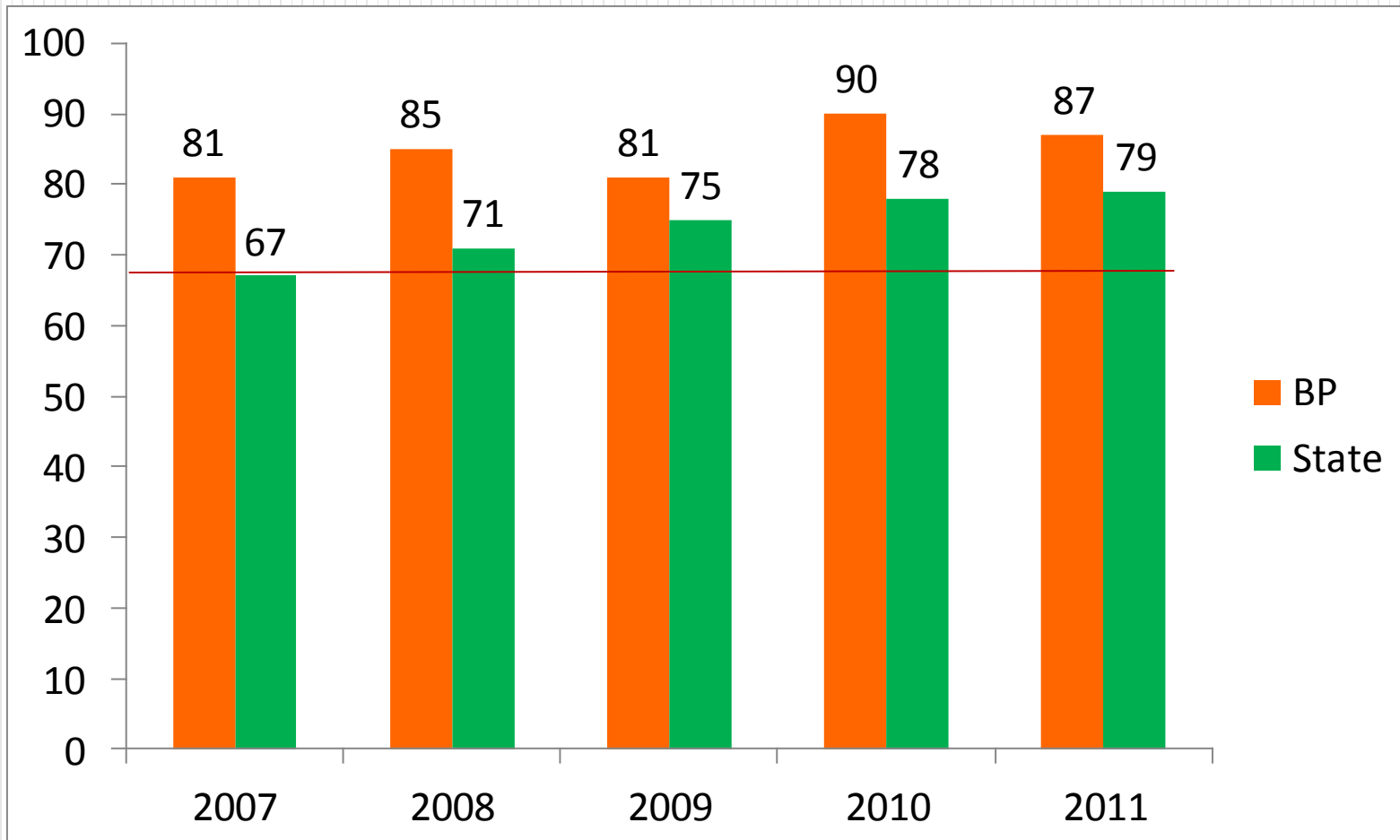
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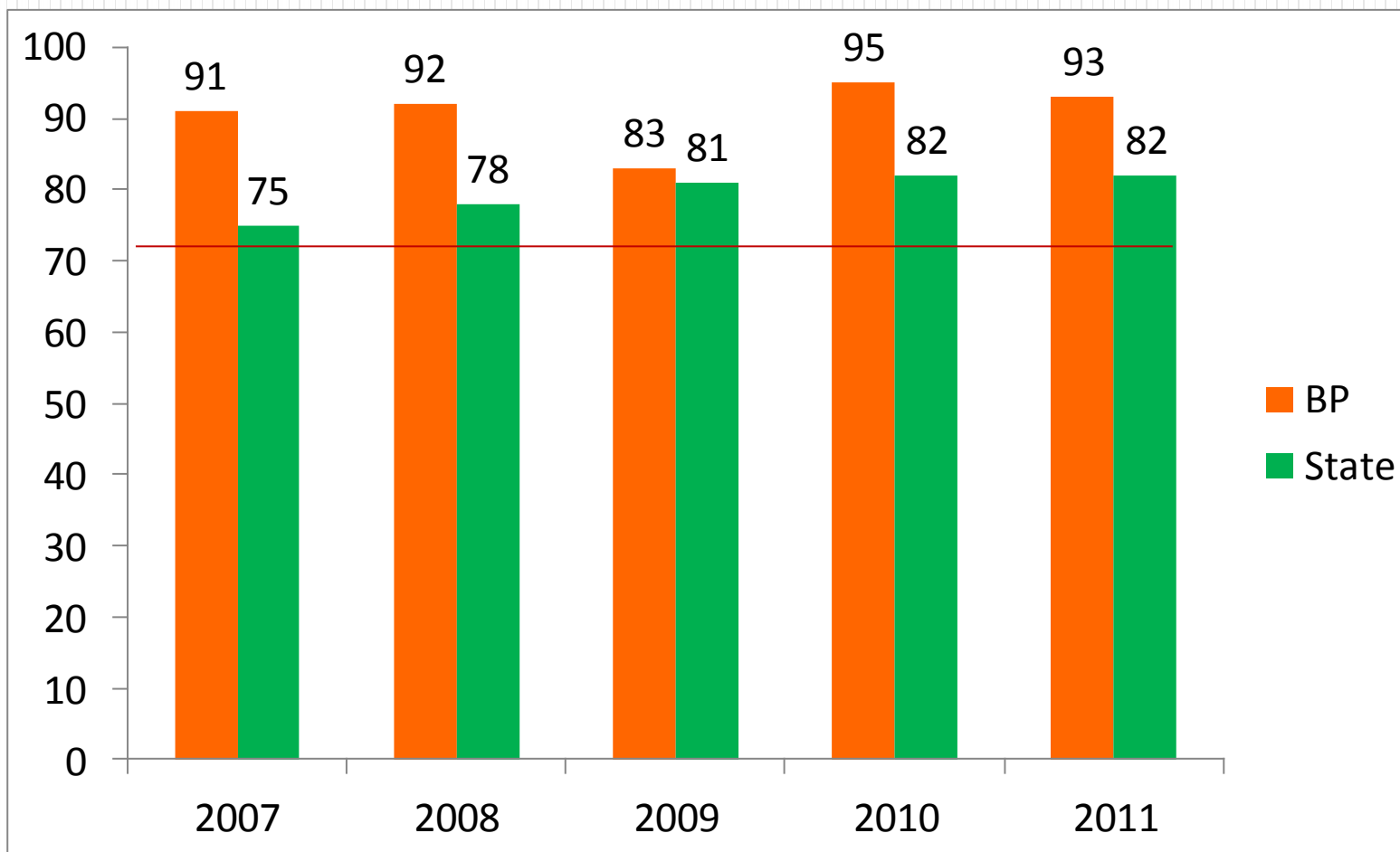
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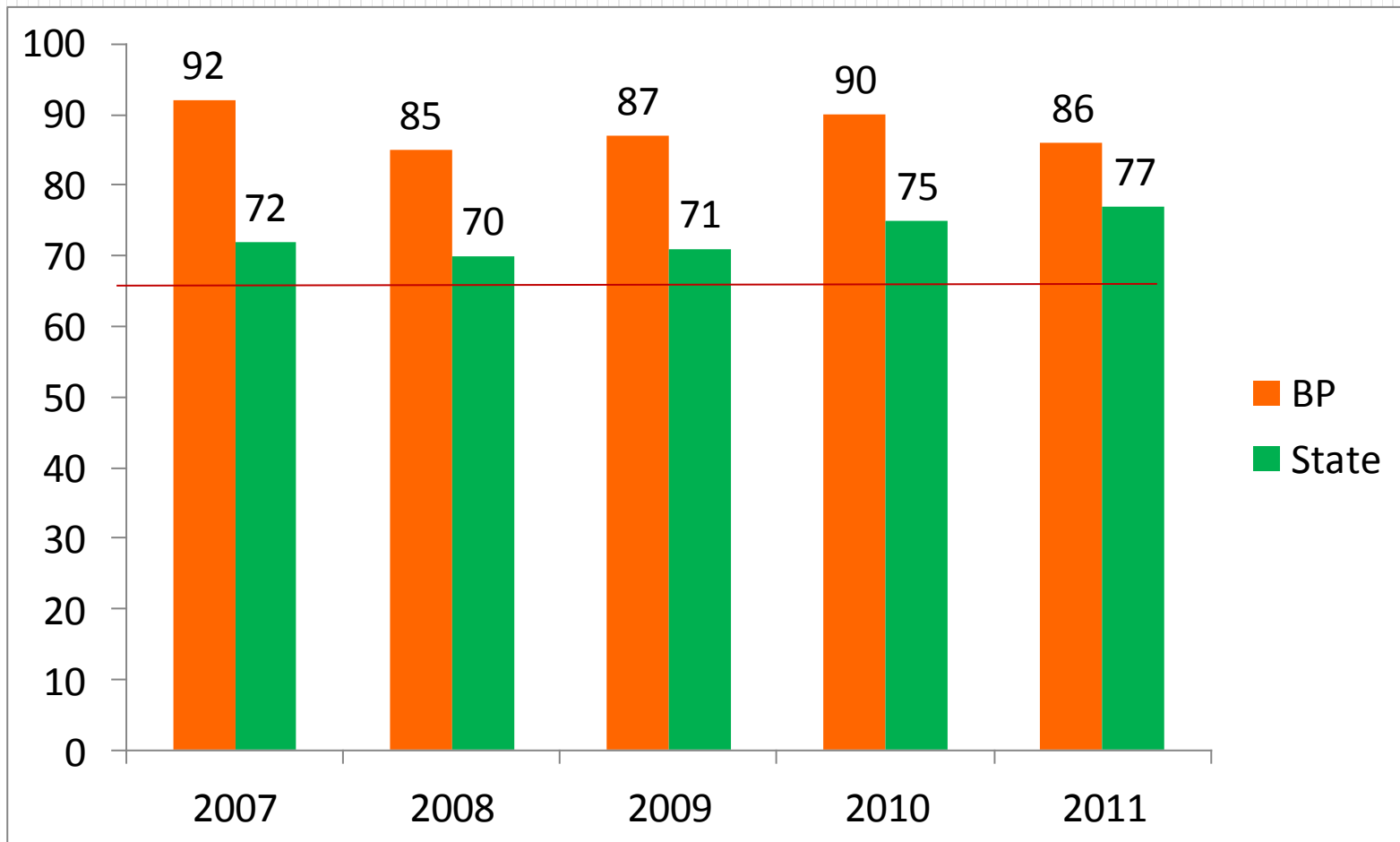
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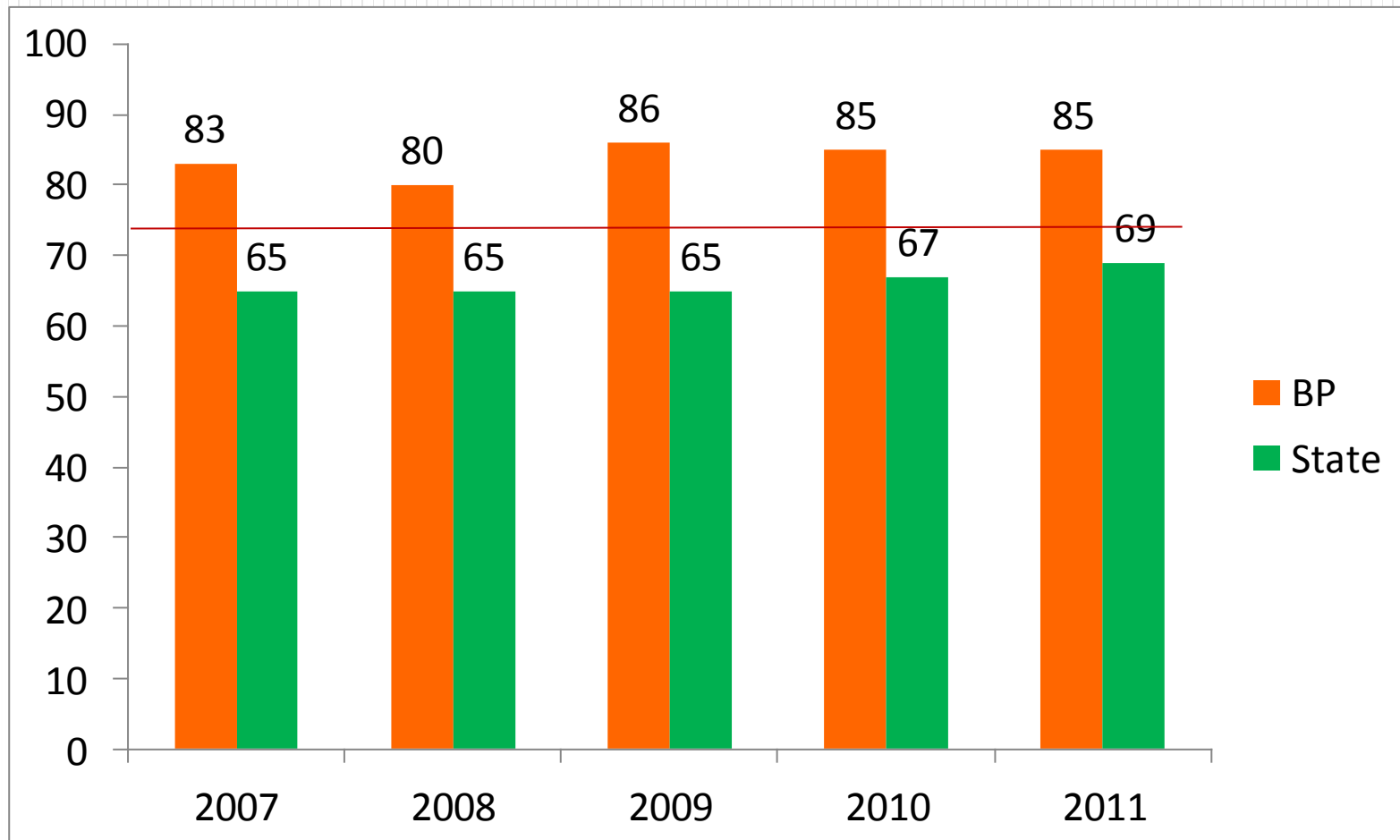
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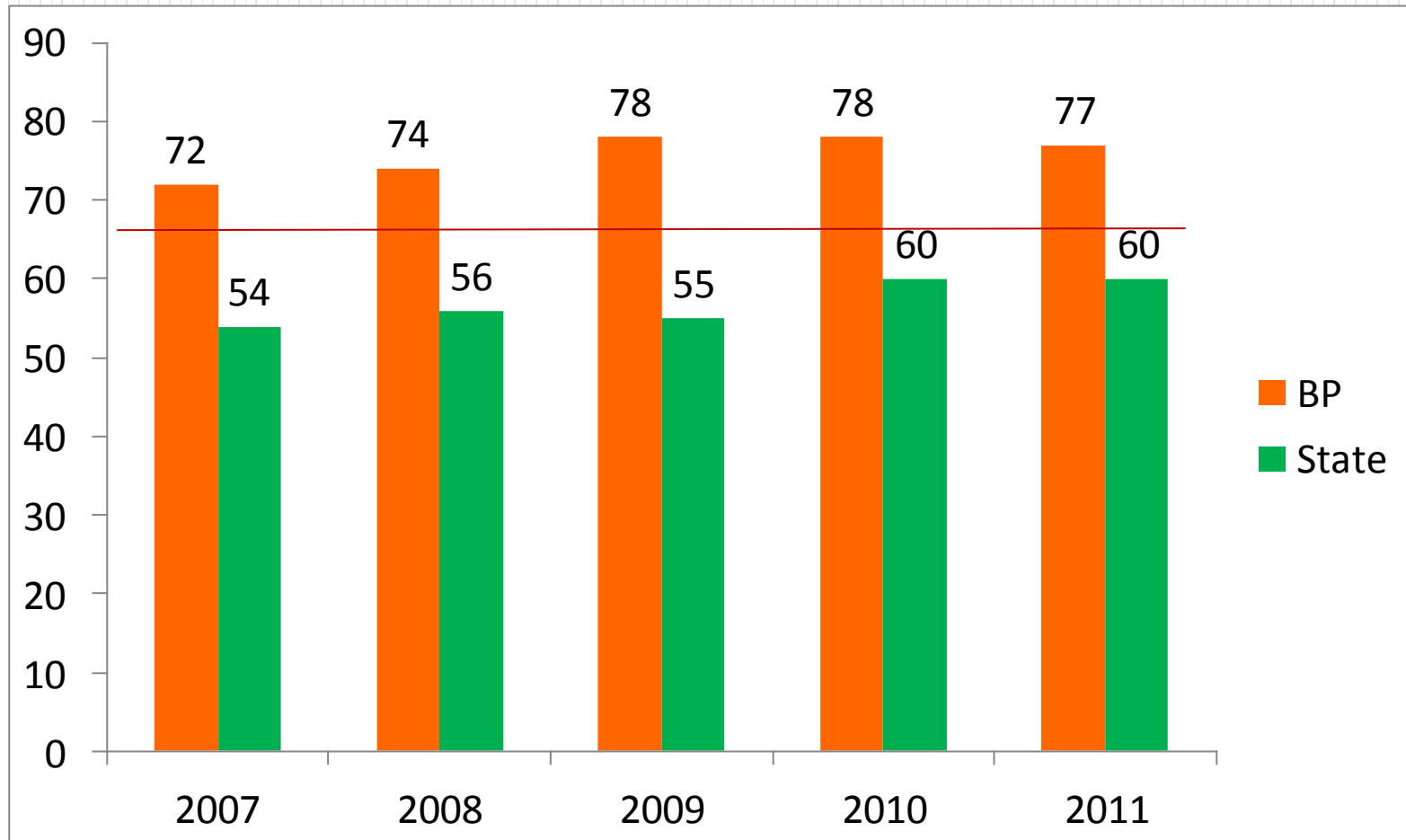
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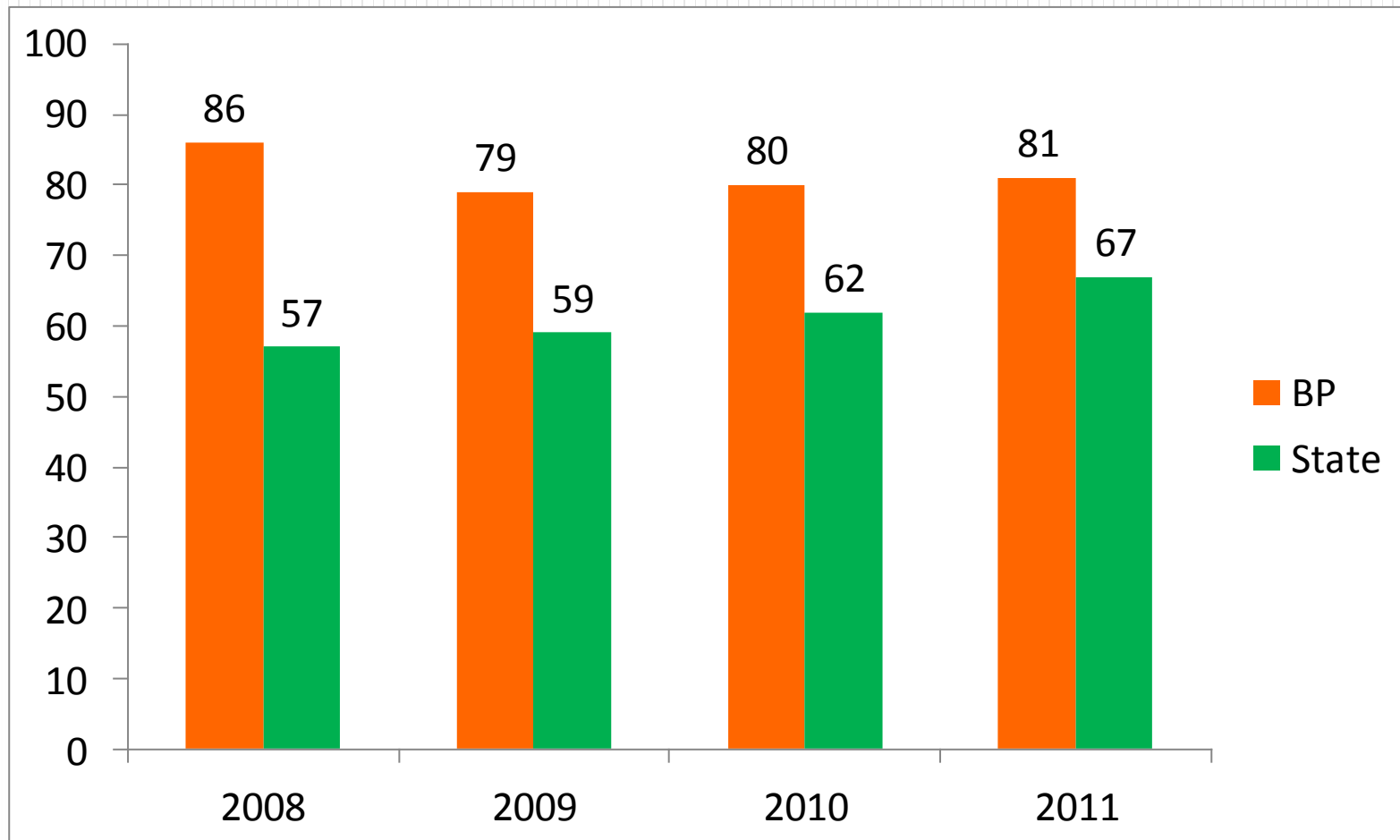
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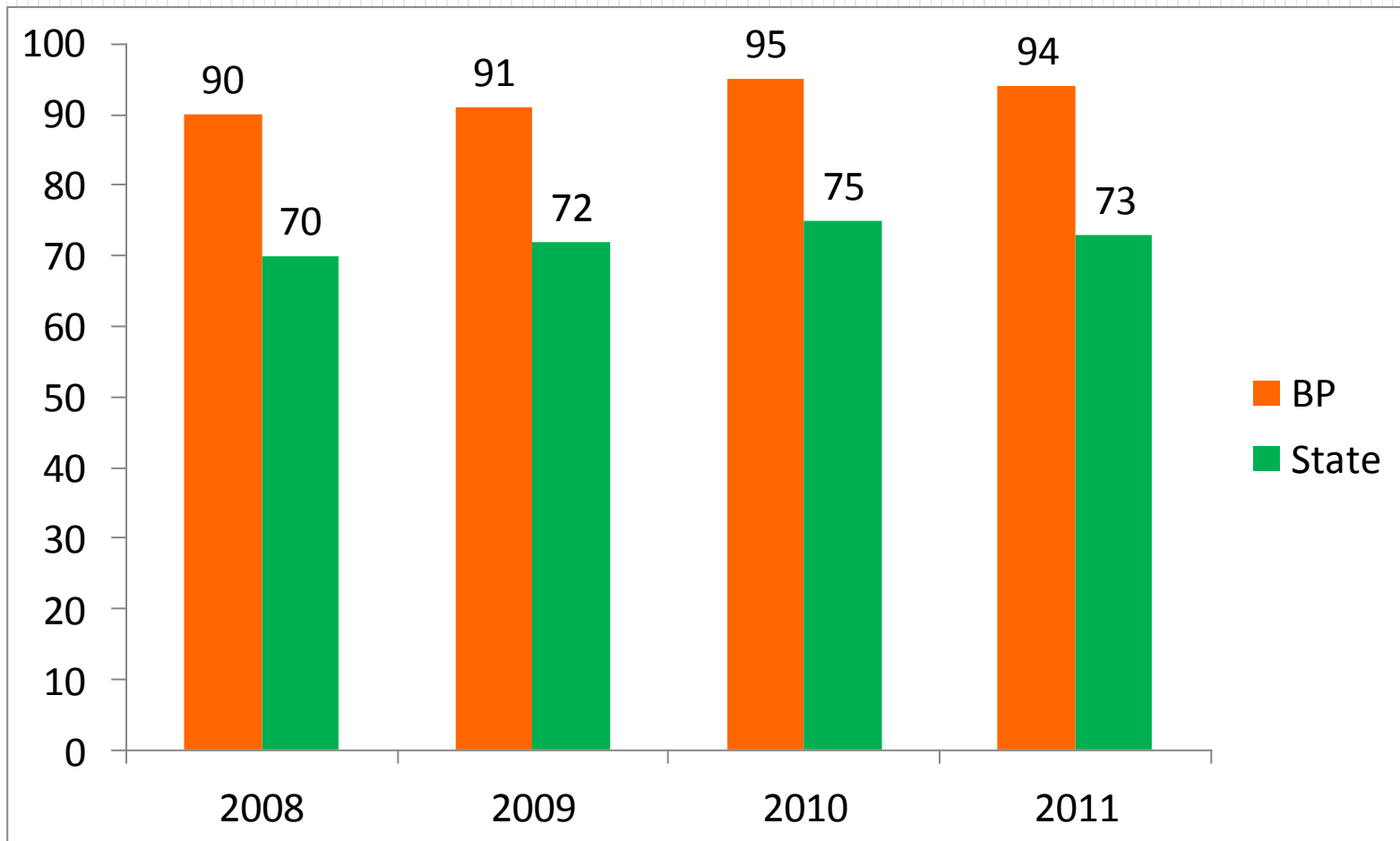
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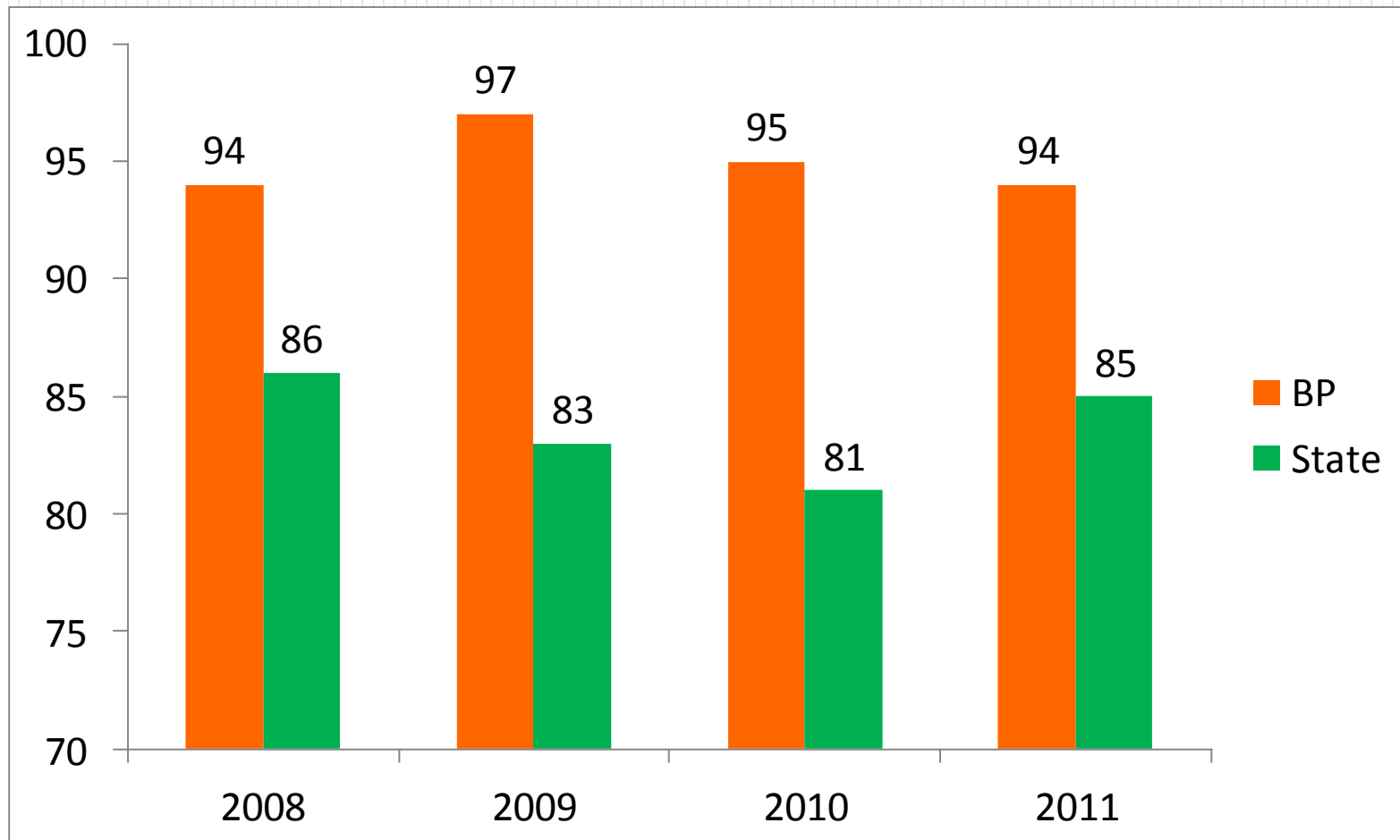
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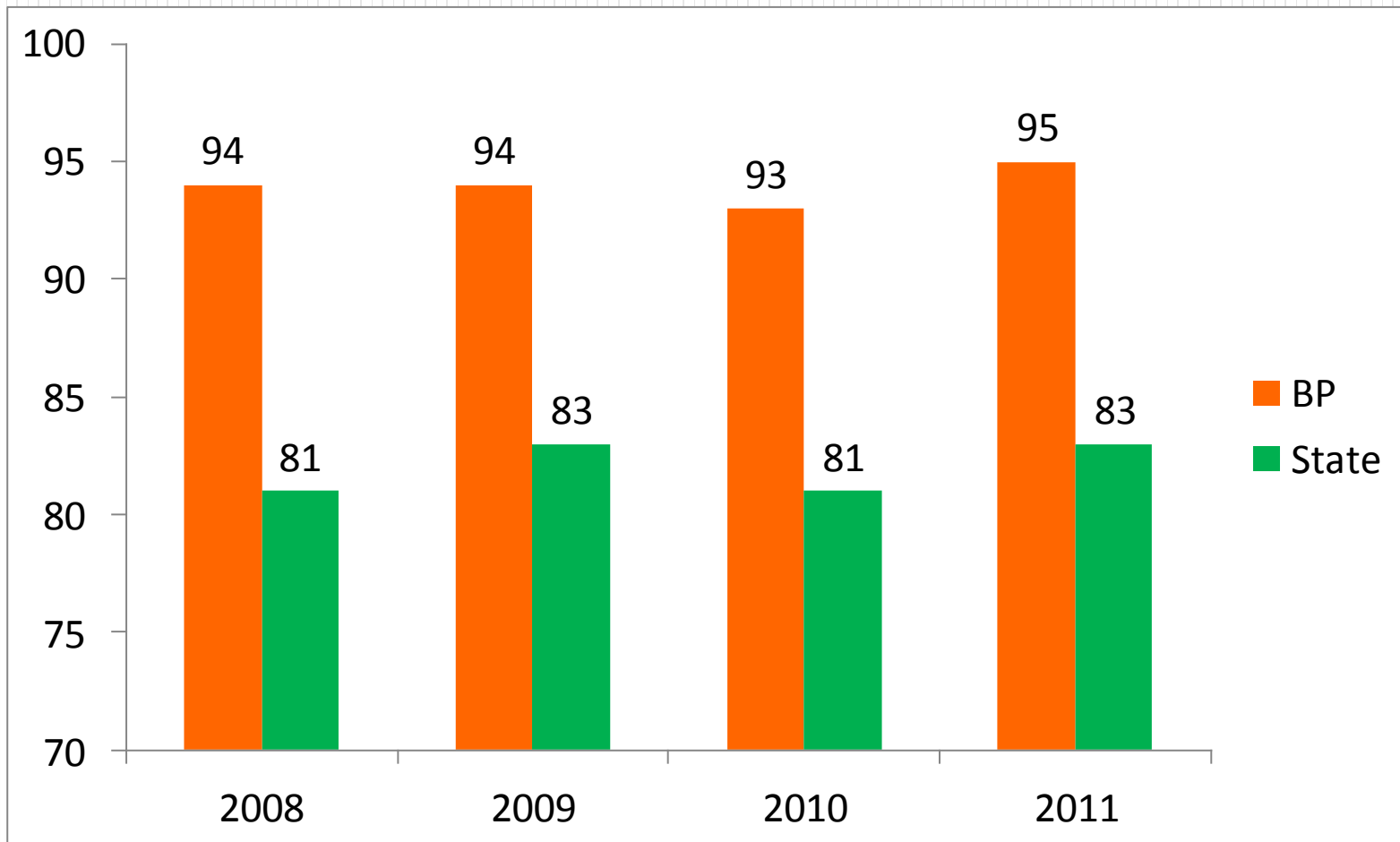
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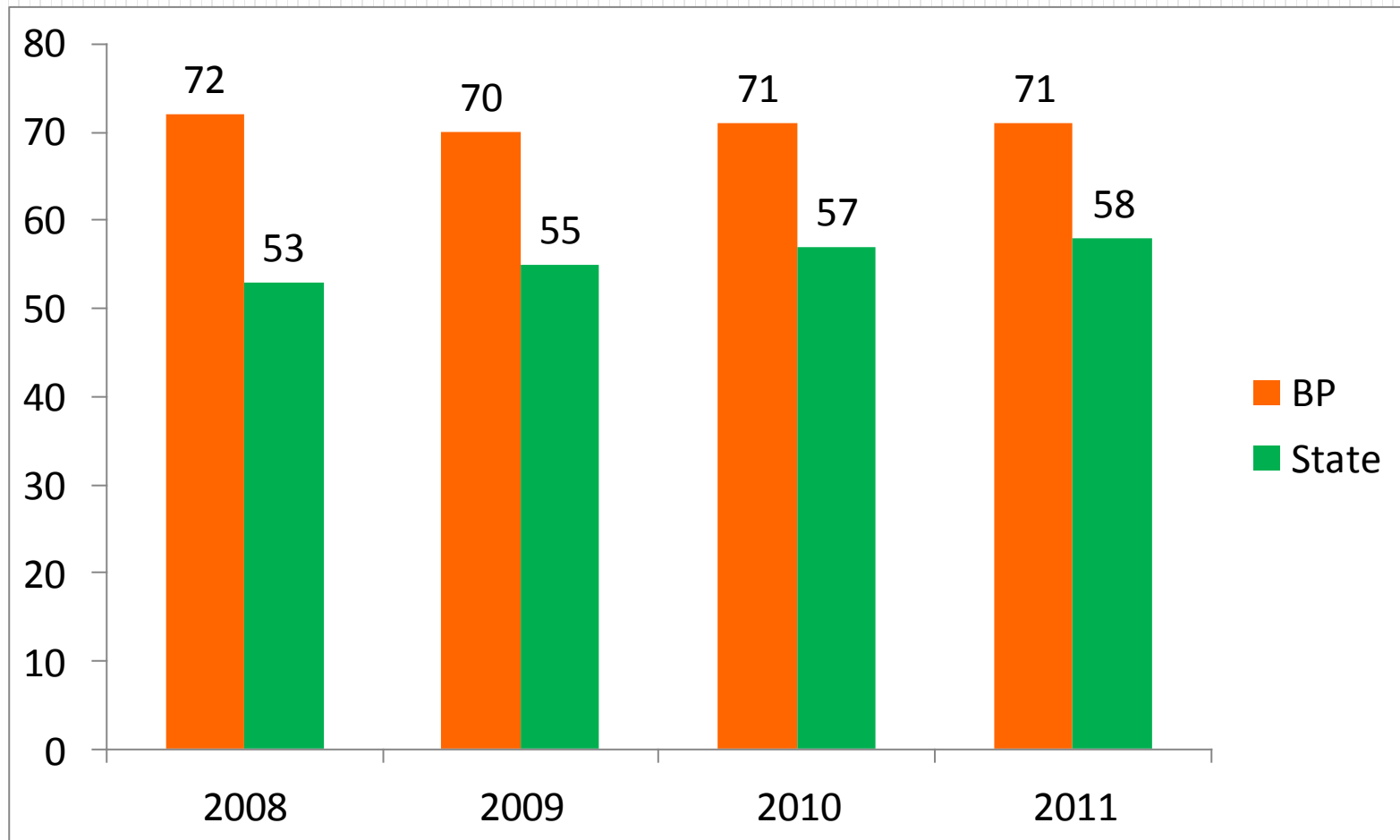
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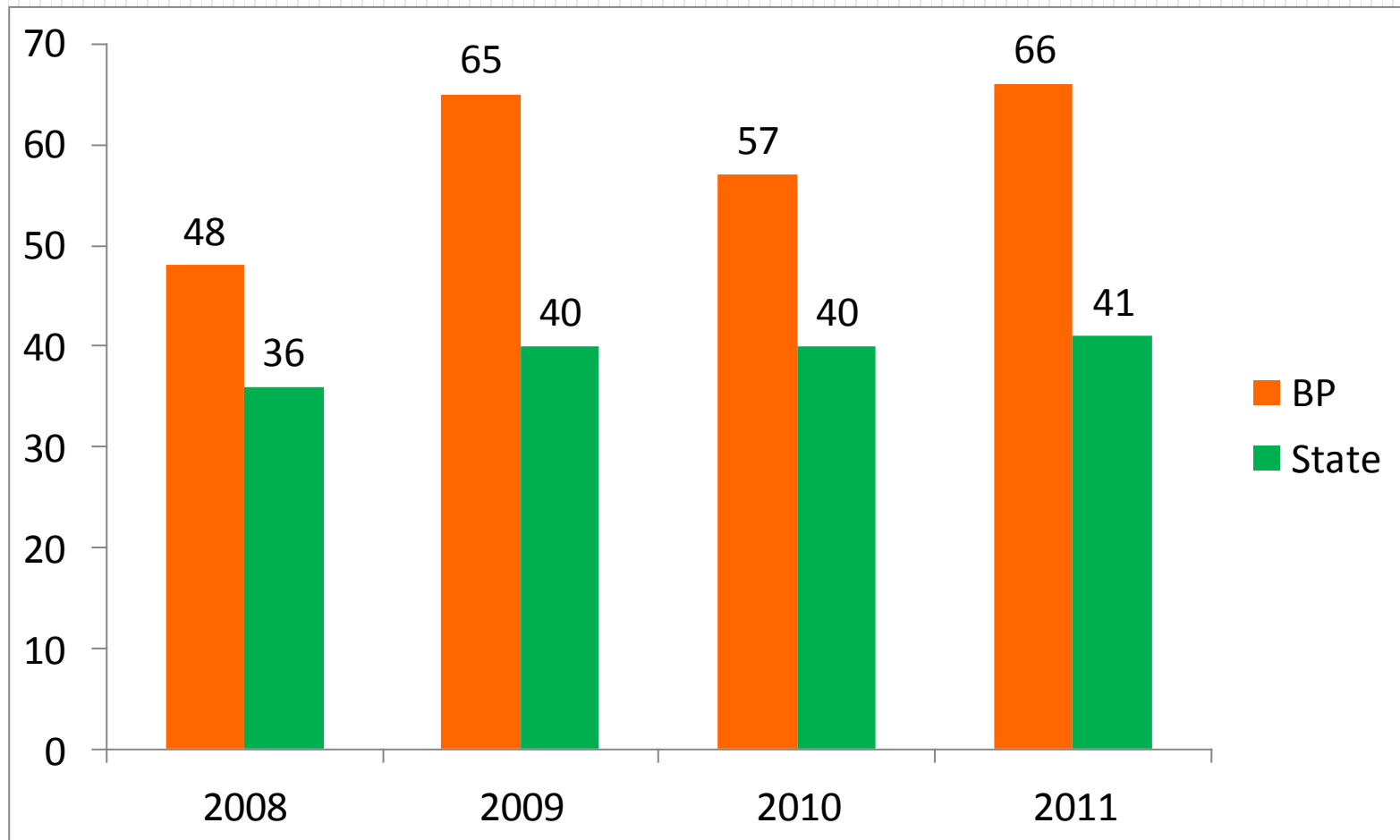
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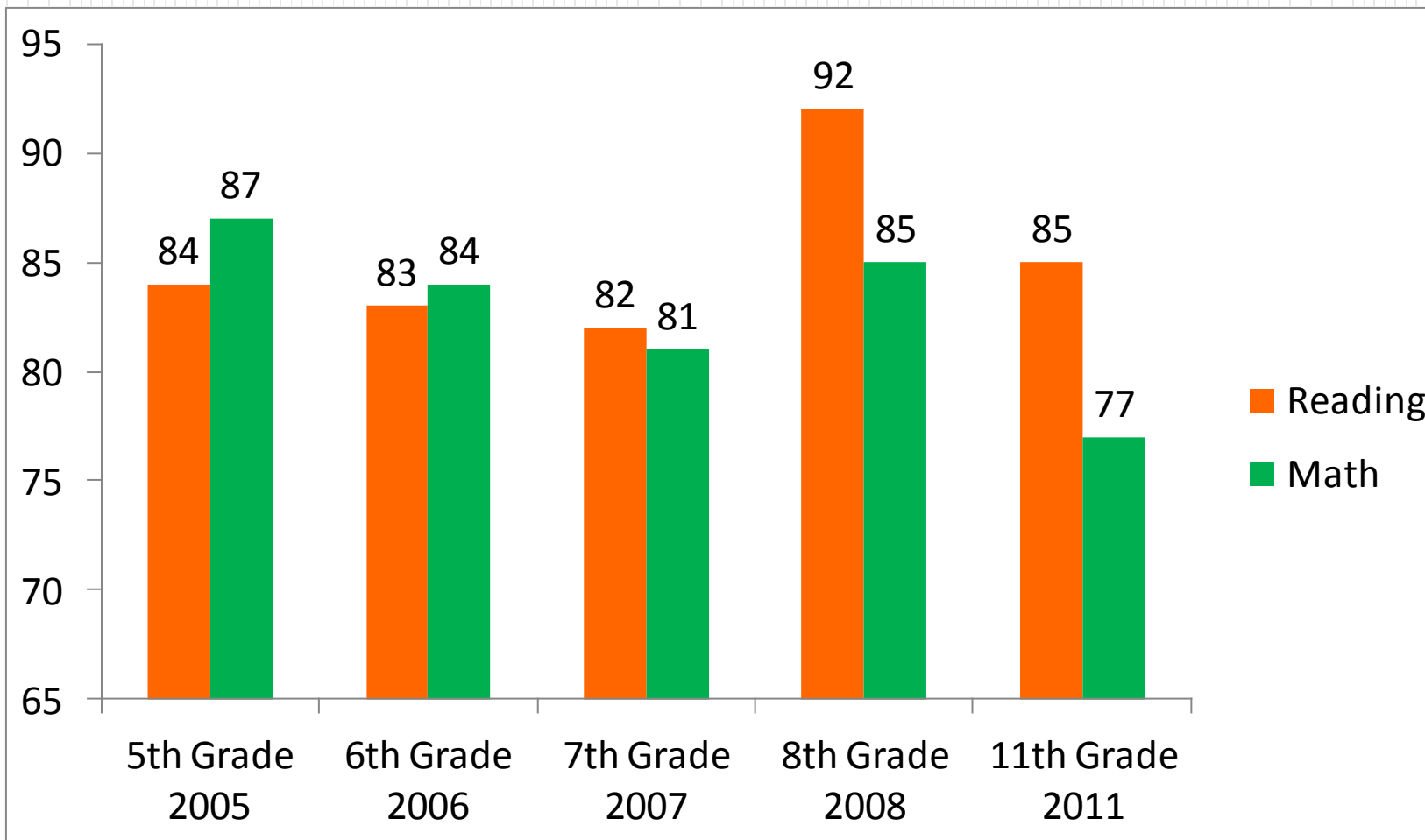
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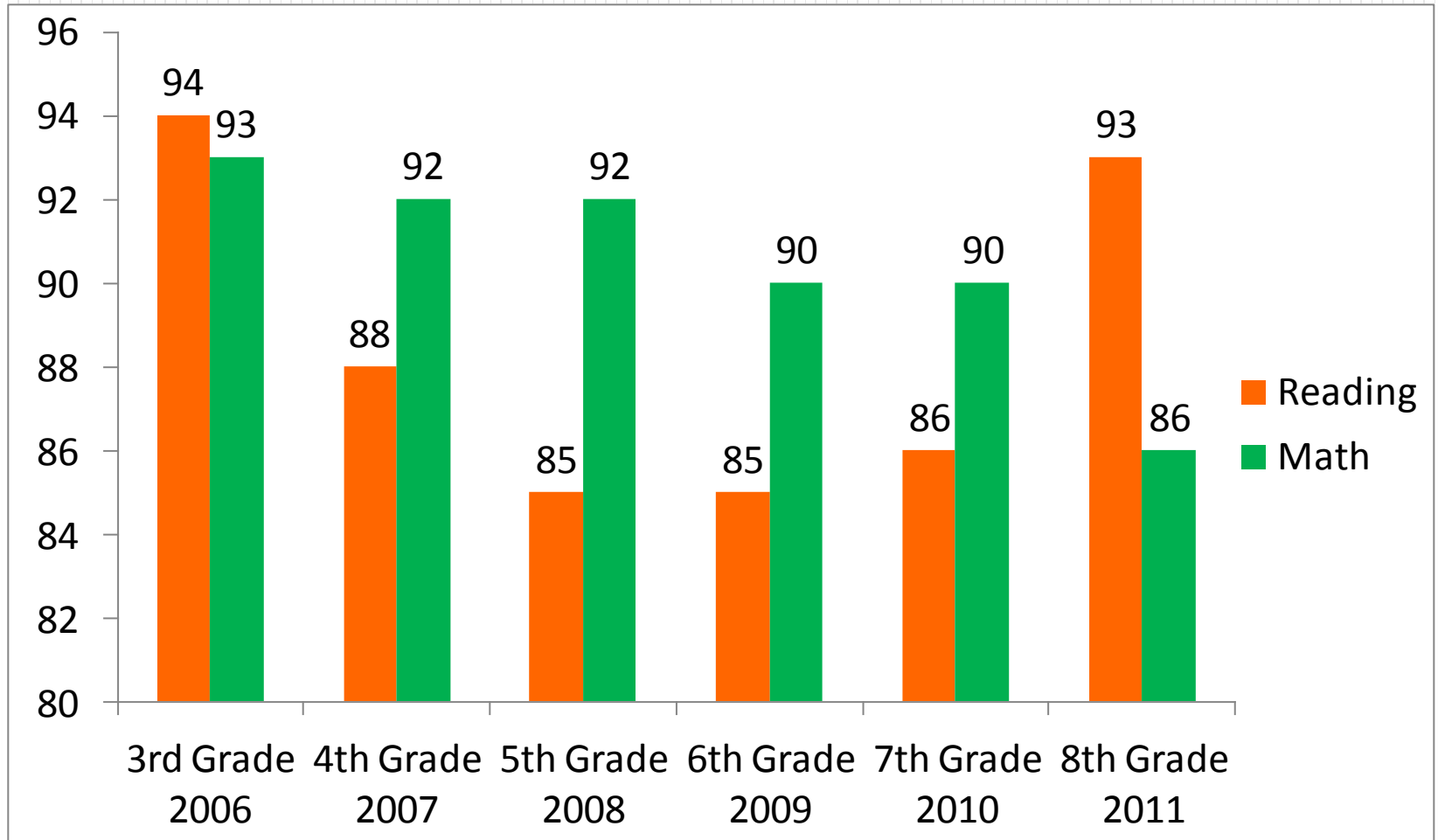
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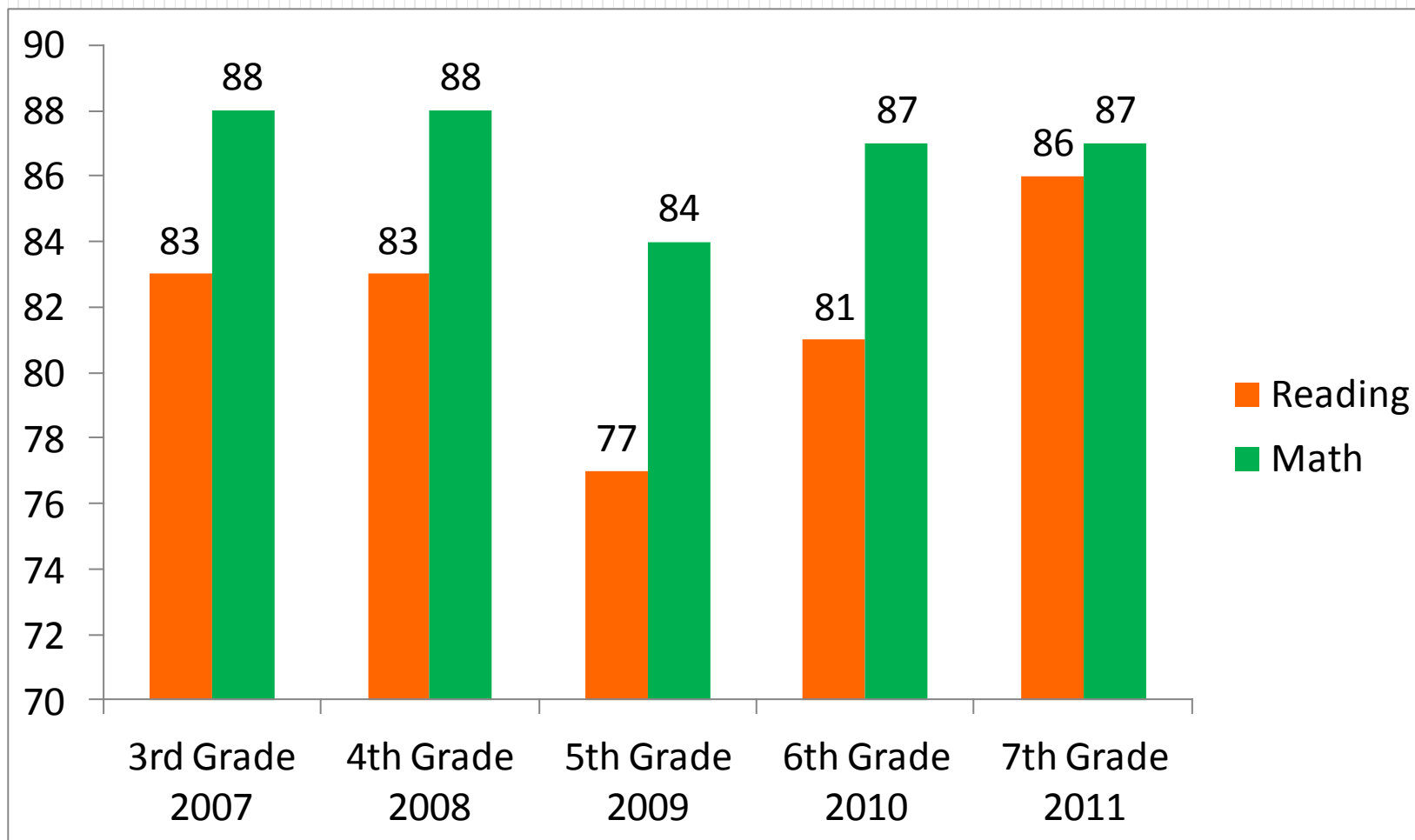
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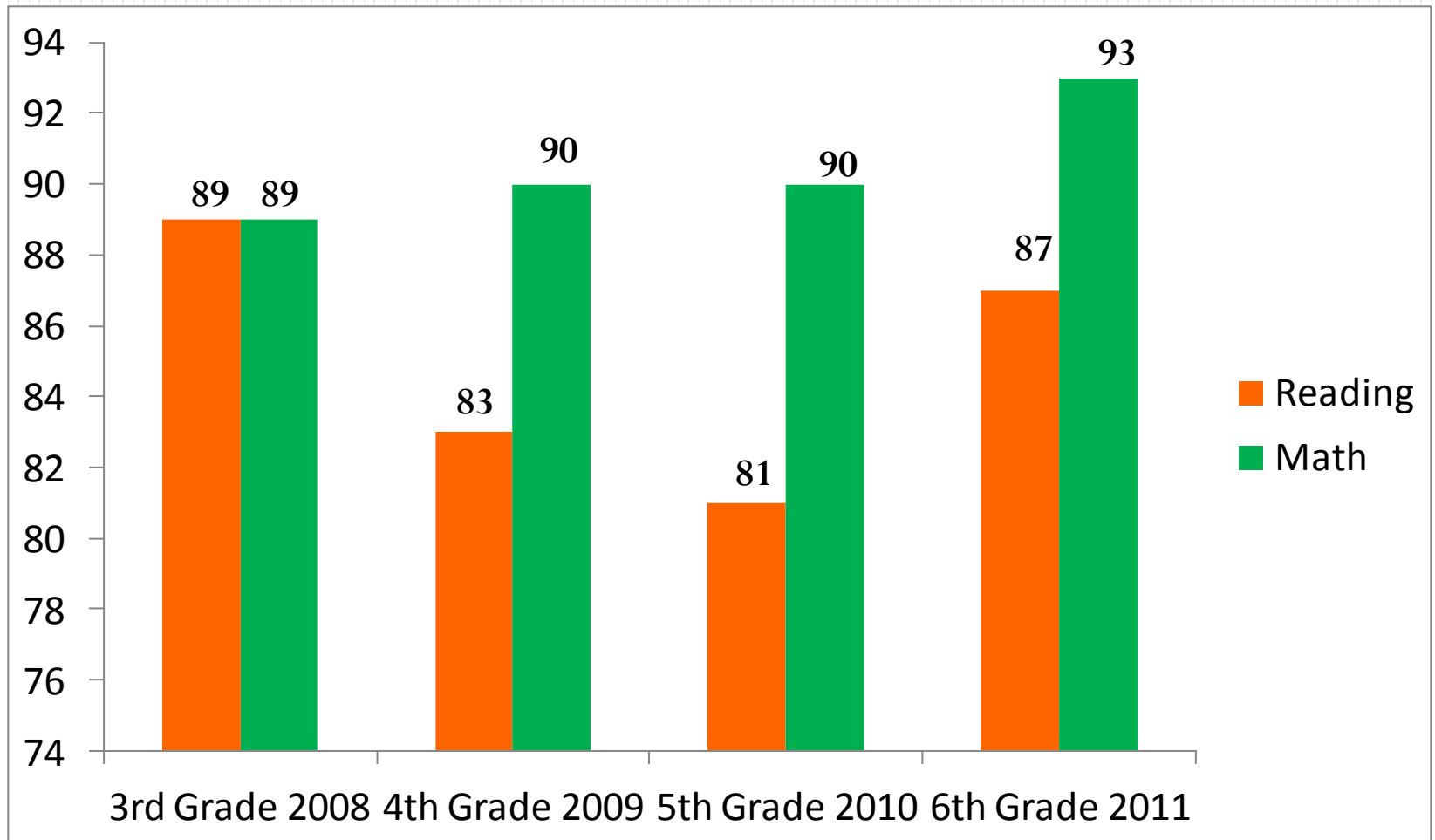
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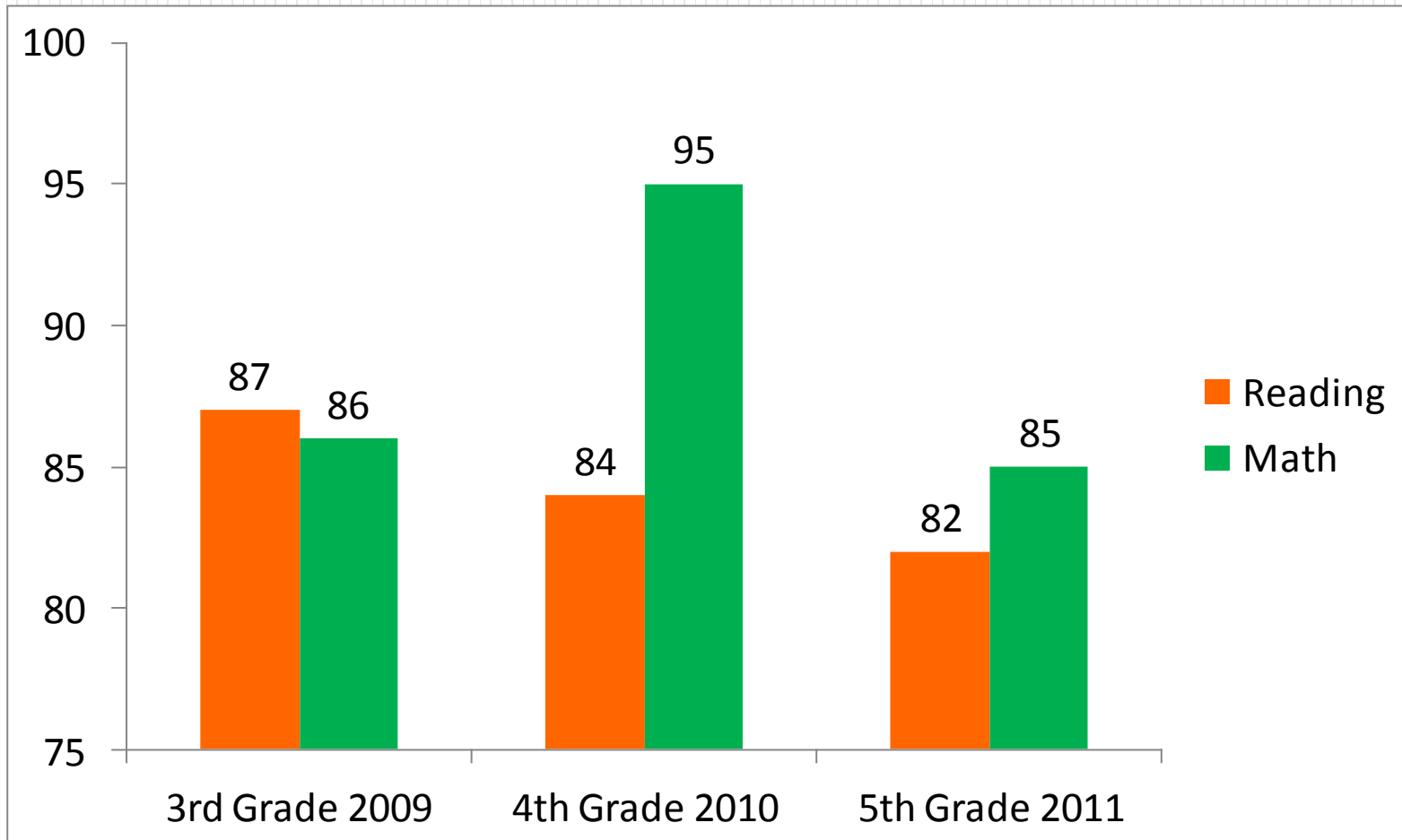
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# Bethel Park AYP Status

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- **The Bethel Park School District** made Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) in 2011, indicating that all schools are exceeding the State's requirements.
- **All Bethel Park schools** made AYP in 2011.
- To make AYP, 72% of students needed to score at the Advanced or Proficient levels in Reading and 67% needed to score Advanced or Proficient in Math.
- Writing and Science do not count toward a district's AYP status.
- **All Bethel Park schools** continue to exceed the state averages at all grade levels and in all subjects.
- **All Bethel Park elementary and middle schools** earned the Keystone Achievement Award from the Pennsylvania Department of Education for making AYP for two consecutive years (2009-2010 and 2010-2011).

# About AYP

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Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP), as part of the federal No Child Left Behind Act (NCLB), holds school districts accountable to students, their parents, teachers and the community. The purpose of AYP is to ensure that all students have reading and math skills that prepare them for the future. The law states that all students must reach the Proficient level or higher in Reading/Language Arts and Mathematics by **2014**. School districts and schools must show AYP on several measurable indicators: Attendance or Graduation Rate (Bethel Park's Graduation Rate was 94.61 as compared to the 78.73 State Rate), Academic Performance and Test Preparation.

**A school that misses only one measure will not meet AYP, but this does not mean it is a failing school.** Rather, AYP indicates to school leadership that areas of improvement exist.

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