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We do. In fact, we presented the aggregate data for 2007/2008 – 2010/2011 to the TLPIC earlier this month. Here is the information they received. It's on slide 16.
<http://www.fldoe.org/committees/pdf/Jan11Pres.pdf>

Note that this is how people who apply for a certificate get their "first" certificate. This means that the "subject knowledge only" folks qualified for a Temporary certificate and had not completed teacher training when they applied. The corresponding block on the new slide is "Course by Course Analysis" because that is the method of teacher training they were evaluated under when they first arrived (because they did not present another pathway as completed at that time). There is a different set of data that looks at how people gained their initial professional certificate. We have not completed that run recently, but that is where you would see larger numbers of alt cert completers because they complete the program while they hold their Temporary Certificate. This original slide was done in 2006 (2005 for the first time) to show for teacher shortage purposes just how large a percentage of teachers were entering teaching without prior teacher training (to show the need to keep routes open, need for resources in preparation, etc.). As you can see from the more recent data, that percentage has gone down, as has the overall number of new certificates issued each year (the 38,139 is over the three-year period).

You may find several of the slides in this ppt interesting because it shows that for all routes we have providers with really small and really large numbers of completers.

Let me know if this is helpful or if you need something else or have further questions. I love to talk about this stuff..... ☺
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Kathy,

I found a slide from a presentation to the state board on 10/17/06. (Yes, I dug through four years of state board meeting materials – ugh) This do we have data to update these percentages?

http://www.fldoe.org/board/meetings/2006_10_17/TeacherStudy_Pres.pdf
it is slide 10 – any help would be great.

Thanks,
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