

APPENDIX A

STEVEN P. MARTIN'S KEY DATA ON DIVORCE BY EDUCATION LEVEL

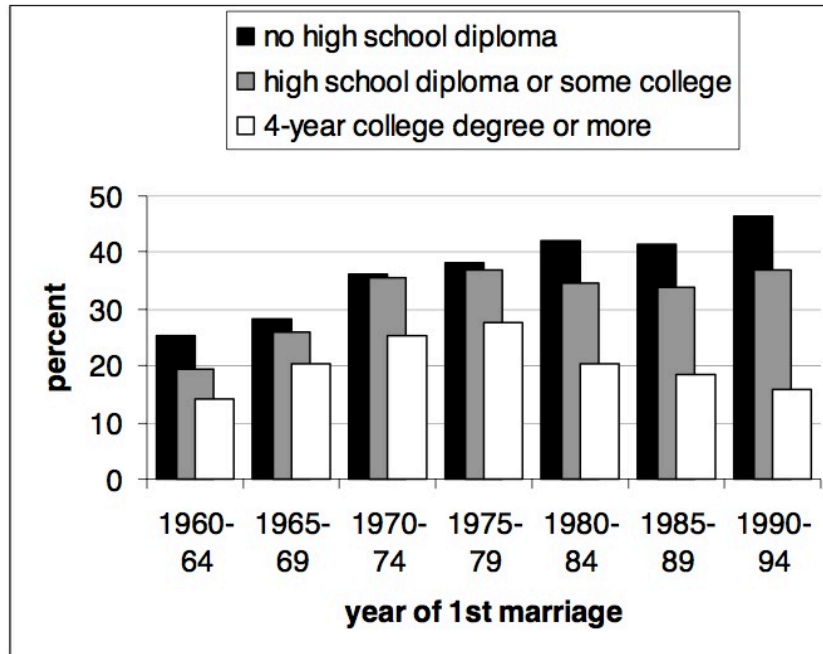
Table A1
Marital Dissolutions within First 10 Years (Steven P. Martin)

Table 1: Women with a marital dissolution within ten years of a first marriage, as a percent of all women entering a first marriage: Cohort life table estimates by education percentile, education level, and timing of 4-year degree relative to marriage

	Year of First Marriage				Trend D – A
	1975-79	1980-84	1985-89	1990-94	
	A <i>n</i> = 4,255	B <i>n</i> = 4,381	C <i>n</i> = 4,208	D <i>n</i> = 3,912	
All First Marriages	34.8	31.9	30.1	31.2	- 3.6**
By Education Percentile					
Lowest 33 1/3 %	35.6	34.7	35.2	39.9	+ 4.3*
Middle 33 1/3 %	37.9	35.8	34.3	35.8	- 2.1
Top 33 1/3 %	30.9	25.1	20.9	18.1	- 12.8**
By Education Level					
No High School Diploma	38.3	42.2	41.5	46.3	+ 8.0
High School Diploma	34.7	32.1	33.3	37.9	+ 3.2
Some College	38.9	36.8	34.4	36.0	- 2.9
4-Year College Degree	29.0	20.1	18.7	16.5	- 12.5**
Master's or Professional Degree	25.1	20.9	17.6	14.4	- 10.7**

Figure A2
Marital Dissolutions within First 10 Years (Steven P. Martin)

Figure 1: Women with a marital dissolution within ten years of a first marriage, as a percent of all women entering a first marriage: Life table estimates by education level (N = 28,067)



Steven P. Martin, "Trends in marital dissolution by women's education in the United States", *Demographic Research*, Volume 15, Article 20, pp.537-560, December 2006.
<http://www.demographic-research.org/volumes/vol15/20/15-20.pdf>