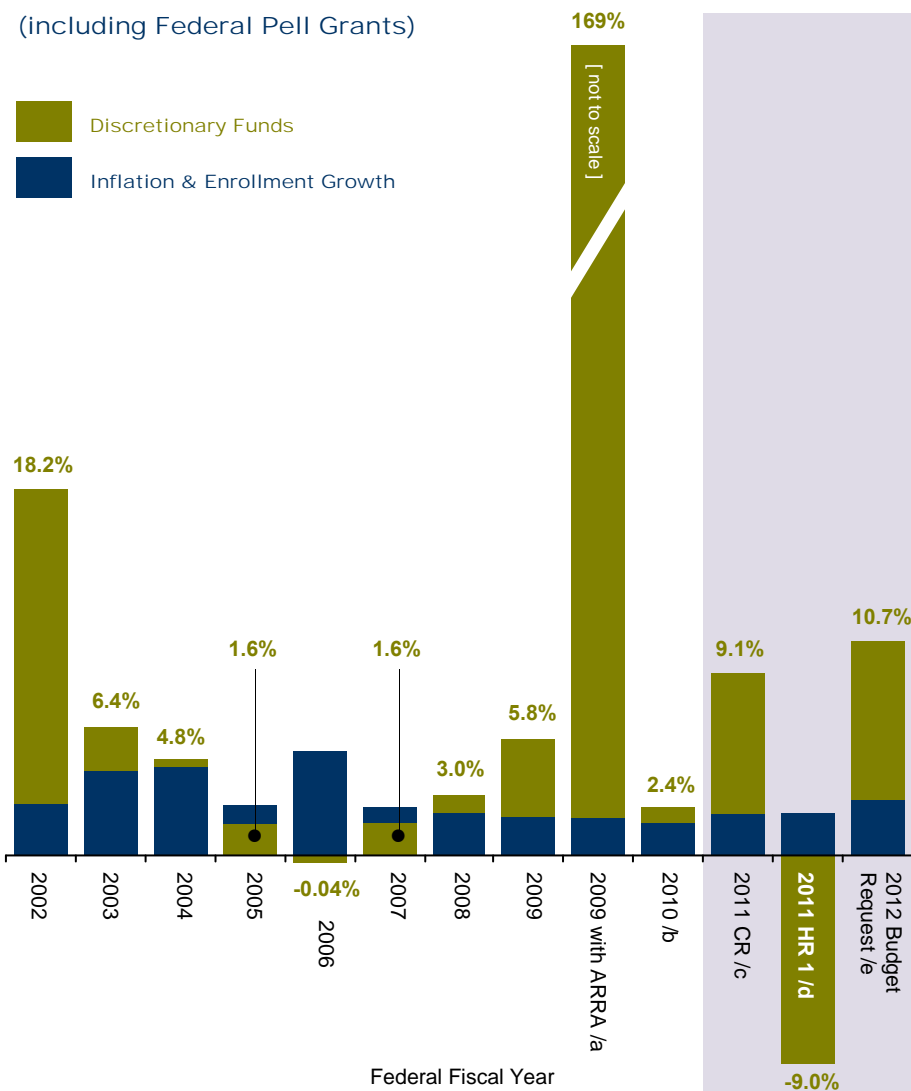


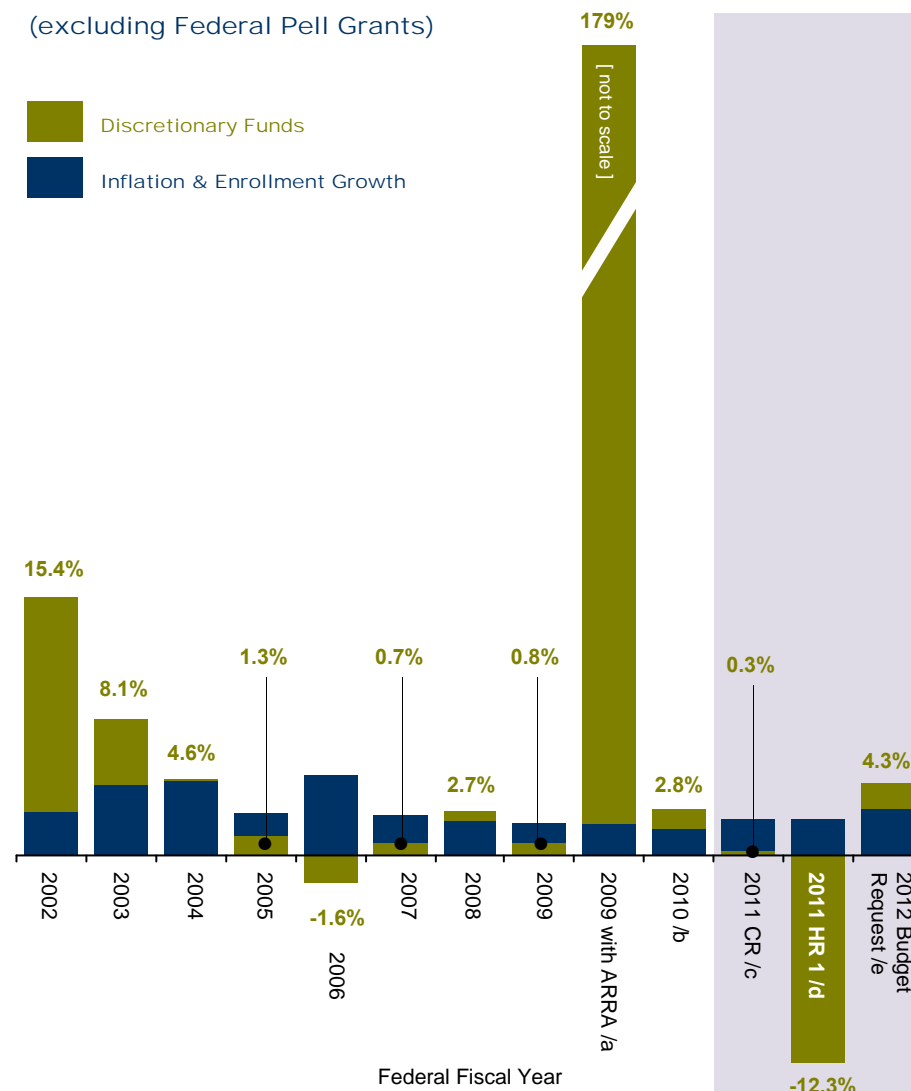
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## Annual Percentage Change in Discretionary\* Funds, FY 2002-12

(including Federal Pell Grants)



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\* Discretionary funds are appropriated annually. /a American Recovery & Reinvestment Act (ARRA) of 2009. /b Compared to 2009, excluding ARRA. /c Fourth Continuing Resolution (CR) through March 4, 2011 (P.L. 111-322), annualized. /d House-passed full-year Continuing Resolution (CR), H.R. 1. /e Compared to the Fourth CR (through March 4, 2011). Source: U.S. Department of Education. Inflation is based on the percentage change (fourth quarter over fourth quarter) in the Consumer Price Index for all urban consumers, Budget of the United States Government, Office of Management & Budget. Enrollment growth is calculated from Projections of Education Statistics to 2018, National Center for Education Statistics. For more information, contact Tom Zembar at 202.822.7109 or TZembar@nea.org. As of February 16, 2011.