

## DROP REASONS TRENDS TABLEAU DESCRIPTION

This Tableau offers data pertaining to the recent COVID-19 pandemic (through the current semester) and student drops. This information includes data collected of the transition to online and the drop rates and reasons students may have dropped a course(s) during the pandemic.

This Tableau provides you longitudinal trends from Fall 2019 on the following views or measures:

- Tracking Drop Reasons
- Drop “ON” (Cannot Participate) by Location & Date, Ethnicity and Age Group
- Drop “ON” (Cannot Participate) by Gender, Ethnicity Ratios and Age Group Ratios
- Drop Year-to-Year Comparison
- Drops by Subject

For each of the aforementioned measures, you will be able to drill down by variables:

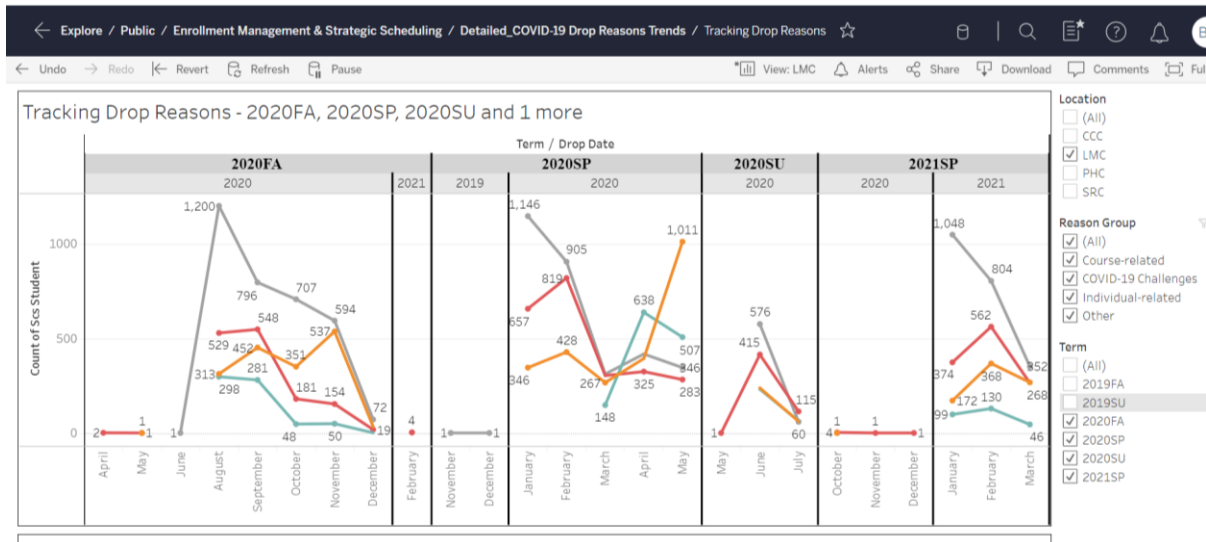
- Location
  - (All)
  - DST
  - CCC
  - DVC
  - SRC
  - LMC
  - BRT
- Reasons Group (Major Categories)
  - (All)
  - Course-related
  - COVID-19 Challenges
  - Individual-related
  - Other
- Reason Description Group (Available only in the Drop Groups by Subject View)
  - (All)
  - Administrative
  - CA Residency Issues
  - “ON” Cannot Participate
  - Census Roster
  - Changed Mind
  - Childcare
  - Class is too Difficult
  - Course Not Needed
  - Course/Textbook Costs
  - COVID-19 Related
  - Current Class Roster
  - Food/House Challenges
  - Health/Medical
  - Instructor

- Instructor Issues
  - Instructor Web
  - Military Withdrawal
  - Opening Class Roster
  - Other
  - Pre-requisite
  - Reinstate
  - Repeat
  - Retro drop by petition
  - School Workload
  - Student
  - Student Web
  - Time Conflict
  - Time Management
  - Transfer
  - Transportation
- Term
  - (All)
  - Fall 2019
  - Summer 2019
  - Spring 2020
  - Summer 2020
  - Fall 2020
  - Spring 2021

## TRACKING DROP REASONS

The data displayed in the line graph below shows the number of student drops identified for each of the Reason Groups, and categorized by semester. Included below is a color legend for this line graph and a screenshot of the data when selecting LMC-All Reasons-2020SP through 2021SP.

- Course-related
- COVID-19 Challenges
- Individual-related
- Other



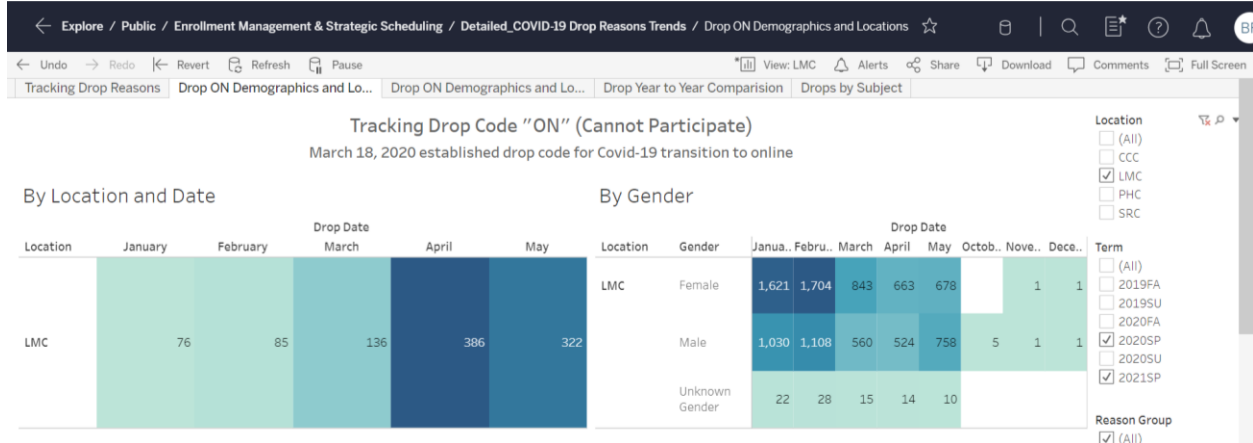
This data is also displayed in a chart or bar graph format as seen below, with the same variables and parameters as the aforementioned line graph:

Tracking Drop Reasons - 2020FA, 2020SP, 2020SU and 1 more																										
Reason Gro.		Term / Drop Date																								
		2020FA										2020SP					2020SU			2021SP						
		2020								2021	2019	2020						2020			2021					
April	May	June	Aug.	Sept.	Octo.	Nov.	Dece.	Febr.	Nov.	Dece.	Janu.	Febr.	March	April	May	May	June	July	Octo.	Nov.	Dece.	Janu.	Febr.	Mar		
Course-rela.		1		313	452	351	537	34				346	428	267	394	1,011		239	62	1			172	368	26	
COVID-19 Challenges				298	281	48	50	2					148	638	507		232	65				99	130	4		
Individual-r.	2	1		529	548	181	154	19	4			657	819	304	325	283	1	415	115	4	1	1	374	562	26	
Other			1	1,200	796	707	594	72		1	1	1,146	905	312	418	346		576	60				1,048	804	35	

## TRACKING DROP CODE “ON” (CANNOT PARTICIPATE)

(MARCH 18, 2020 ESTABLISHED DROP CODE FOR COVID-19 TRANSITION TO ONLINE)

The chart or bar graph below demonstrates the data for LMC-2020SP & 2021SP-All Reason Groups for students that identified the drop code as “ON-Cannot Participate”. The data is disaggregated by Location & Date and by Gender, and includes the actual number.

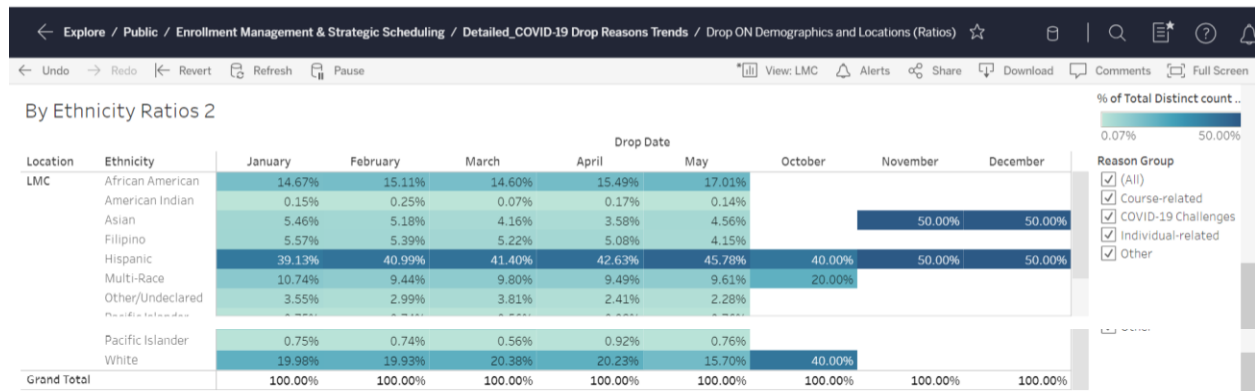
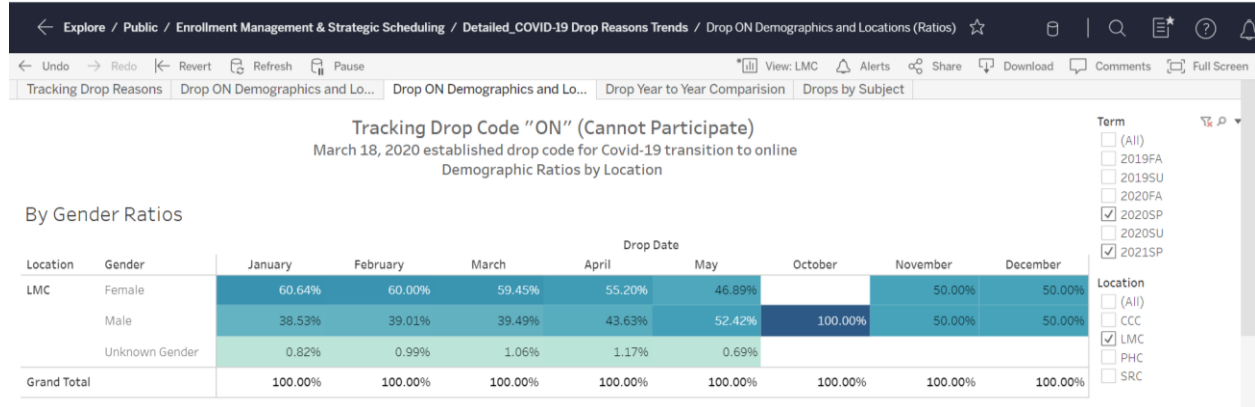


The chart or bar graph below demonstrates the data for LMC-2020SP & 2021SP-All Reason Groups for students that identified the drop code as “ON-Cannot Participate”. The data is disaggregated by Ethnicity and by Age Group and includes the actual number.



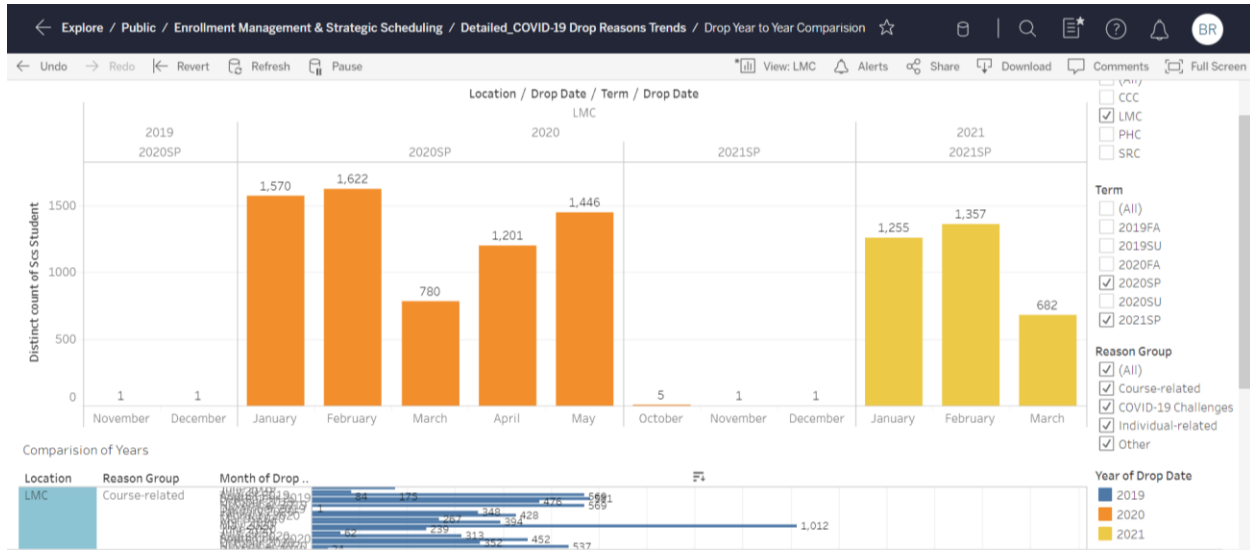
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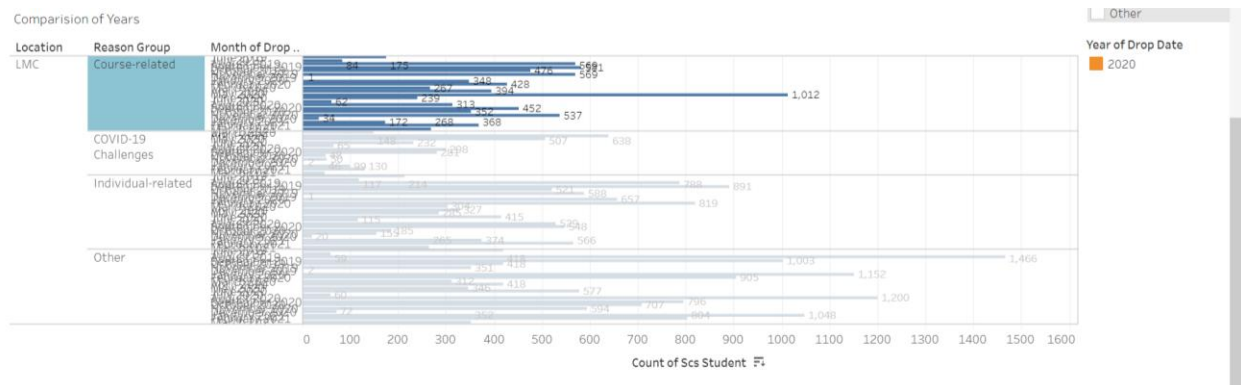


## DROP YEAR TO YEAR COMPARISON

The bar graph below demonstrates the data for LMC-2020SP & 2021SP-All Reason Groups for students that dropped their courses. Please note, the color legend for the bar graph to the lower right corner of the screenshot.

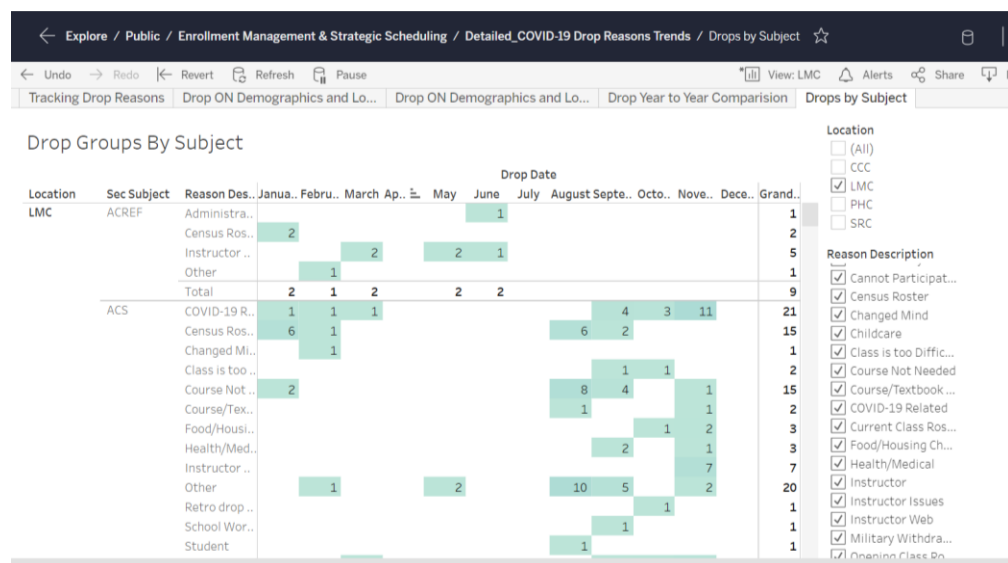


It is not recommended that you use the horizontal-bar graph view below the aforementioned vertical-bar graph view. As you can see from the screenshot below it is difficult to ascertain the drop date/month and the actual bars themselves due to so much information. If you would like to use this view or see the information, you may want to download it using Crosstab.



## DROPS BY SUBJECT

The horizontal-bar graph offers all of the drop reasons a student or instructor could identify by course area (i.e. ADJUS, MANGT, HIST, etc.). For a list of courses offered please view the semester schedule of courses - <https://www.losmedanos.edu/schedule/index.aspx>. The graph displays the actual numbers of drops by reason, under each course area and by drop date or month. As a note, the numbers displayed are the number of course drops not student drops. For example, if John Smith drops ACREF in March and Jane Doe drops ACREF in March the number displayed reflects the two (2) courses dropped not that each student dropped out of LMC.



In this particular view, you will note a radio button labeled “Week of Drop Date” at the bottom right corner of the dashboard. You can maneuver this radio button to view data of course subject drops and the corresponding reasons for a specific week(s) in the term.

