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This document presents a series of charts that illustrate the changes in tuition and fee charges at the University of San Francisco over the years from 1900 through 1972. The charges per year range from \$80 in 1900 to \$1,792 in 1972. (HS)

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UNIVERSITY OF SAN FRANCISCO
HISTORICAL SERIES CHARTS ON
EDUCATIONAL COSTS: 1900-1972

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PREFACE

At the request of the Vice President for University Relations, the attached set of historical charts were prepared on undergraduates and graduate-professional educational costs, since 1900. The general interest of the University in such historical data suggested to us the wider dissemination of the information. The detailed work was done by Mr. William J. Dillon, Associate Director of the Office of Institutional Studies.

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UNIVERSITY OF SAN FRANCISCO: HISTORY OF TUITION CHARGES

The history of tuition charges at the University of San Francisco as listed in the University catalogs since 1900 can be stated in various ways.

In each of the catalogs reviewed, a tuition amount is quoted but in addition, various fees have been added so that the amount charged to the students is in excess of the amount of tuition quoted.

For a certain number of years a flat amount per semester was charged for tuition plus the various fees. In 1961 the change was made to a charge per unit for all courses, including most of the fees.

In the years in which ROTC was obligatory for all freshman and sophomore students, the Military Science fee was included because it affected most of the students.

The following charts show the years in which the various fees became part of the total yearly charges.

UNIVERSITY OF SAN FRANCISCO: GENERAL COSTS, 1900 - 1972

YEAR	TOTAL ACADEMIC YEAR	ACADEMIC COSTS*								
		TUITION	STUDENT FEE	REGISTRA- TION FEE	HEALTH FEE	LIBRARY FEE	MILITARY SCI. FEE	YEAR BOOK FEE		
1900-1912	\$ 80.	\$ 80.								
1913-1919	86.	80.	\$ 6.							
1920-1923	82	80	2.							
1924	102.	100.	2.							
1925-1926	105.	100.	5.							
1927-1933	160.	150.	10.							
1934-1936	166.	150.	10.	\$6.						
1937	169.	150.	10.	6.	\$3.					
1938-1939	179.	150.	10.	6.	3.			\$10.		
1940-1941	184.	150.	10.	6.	3.		\$ 5.	10.		
1942-1945	209.	170.	10.	6.	3.		10.	10.		
1946	310.	250.		Total	Fees \$50.			10.		
1947-1949	360.	300.		Total	Fees \$50.			10.		
1950	370.	300.		Total	Fees \$50.			10.		

*Laboratory fees not included

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YEAR	TOTAL ACADEMIC YEAR	ACADEMIC COSTS*							
		TUITION	STUDENT FEE	REGISTRATION FEE	HEALTH FEE	LIBRARY FEE	MILITARY SCI. FEE	YEAR BOOK FEE	
1951-1952	420.	350.	-----	-----Total	Fees \$60.	-----	10.		
1953-1955	450.	380.	-----	-----Total	Fees \$60.	-----	10.		
1956-1957	490.	420.	-----	-----Total	Fees \$60.	-----	10.		
1958	506.	420.	-----	-----Total	Fees \$71.	-----	10.	\$5.	
1959-1960	615.	600. ⁺					10.	5.	
1961-1962	730.	720. [#]					10.		
1963	810.	800. [#]					10.		
1964	906.	896. [#]					10.		
1965	970.	960. [#]					10.		
1966-1967	1082.	1072. [#]					10.		
1968-1969	1232.	1232. [#]					10.		
1970	1504.	1504. [#]							
1971	1632.	1632. [#]							
1972	1792.	1792. [#]							

*Laboratory fees not included
⁺Fees included in tuition
[#]Based on 32 units - tuition and fees



UNIVERSITY OF SAN FRANCISCO: SURVEY OF CHARGES PER UNIT

In 1942, a charge per unit for students not taking a full program was inaugurated. This practice continued until 1962 when all students were charged on a per unit basis.

<u>Year</u>	<u>Charge Per Unit</u>		
1942 - 1945:	\$ 7.00		
1946:	10.00		
1947 - 1952:	12.00		
1953 - 1955:	13.50		
1956 - 1958:	14.00		
1959 - 1960:	20.00		
1961 - 1962:	22.50		
1963:	25.00		
1964:	28.00	*(\$35.00)	
1965:	30.00	* (35.00)	
1966 - 1967:	33.50	* (38.50)	
1968 - 1969:	38.50	* (43.50)	
1970:	47.00	* (55.00)	**(\$50.00)
1971:	51.00	* (60.00)	** (60.00)
1972:	56.00	* (65.00)	** (68.00-Evening) (\$1935.00/Yr.-Day)

*MBA Program
**School of Law

UNIVERSITY OF SAN FRANCISCO: SURVEY OF STUDENT FEES 1900 - 1972

From 1900 to 1912, no separate fees were listed in the catalogs of the University of San Francisco other than laboratory fees attached to particular science courses.

Student Fee

In 1913 a student fee of \$3.00 per semester was added to the tuition charges. This fee was distributed to the library, student activities and athletics.

This was reduced to \$1.00 per semester from 1920 to 1924. In 1925 it was raised to \$5.00 per year and in 1927, to \$5.00 per semester.

In 1959, it was included in the total student fees.

Student Health Fee

In 1937, a student health fee of \$1.50 per semester was added to the student charges. In 1946, this was raised to \$2.00 per semester. In 1958, it was raised to \$5.00 per semester and in 1959, included in the total student fees.

Library Fee

A library fee, \$2.50 per semester was added to the student fees in 1940. This was raised to \$10.00 per semester in 1946; to \$15.00 in 1950 and continued at this figure until its incorporation into the general student fees in 1959.

Year Book Fee

In 1958, 1959, and 1960, a charge of \$5.00 was added to the student fees for the year book. This was charged once in each year to each full-time student.

Military Science Fee

The Reserve Officers Training Corps was inaugurated on the campus in 1938 and a semester fee of \$5.00 was imposed on all students in the ROTC program. Military Science was obligatory for all physically fit students in freshman and sophomore years and the fee was also collected from the juniors and seniors who continued in the program. Because it affected such a large part of the student body in the years in which the program was compulsory, it is included in the total cost per year. The program became voluntary in 1968 and the enrollment in military science dropped appreciably.

Laboratory Fees

Laboratory fees have always been charged at the University. During most of the time, they were attached to certain laboratory courses and ranged anywhere from \$5.00 to \$25.00 per course.

In 1961 when total charges were figured on a per unit basis, the rule for laboratory fees was \$10.00 for one or more laboratory course taken. In 1971 the fee was changed to \$10.00 per laboratory course.

Graduation Fee

The graduation fee was not included in the annual charges. The increases are shown below:

1900 - 1924:	\$10.00
1925 - 1931:	12.50
1932 - 1943:	13.50
1944 - 1945:	14.00
1946 - 1952:	15.00
1953 - 1970:	20.00
1971 - 1972:	25.00

UNIVERSITY OF SAN FRANCISCO: ROOM AND BOARD CHARGES

In 1954, limited boarding was offered in temporary housing located on the University of San Francisco campus.

In 1955, Phelan Hall was constructed and boarding facilities opened to the male student body.

In 1964, the Day Colleges of the University became coeducational.

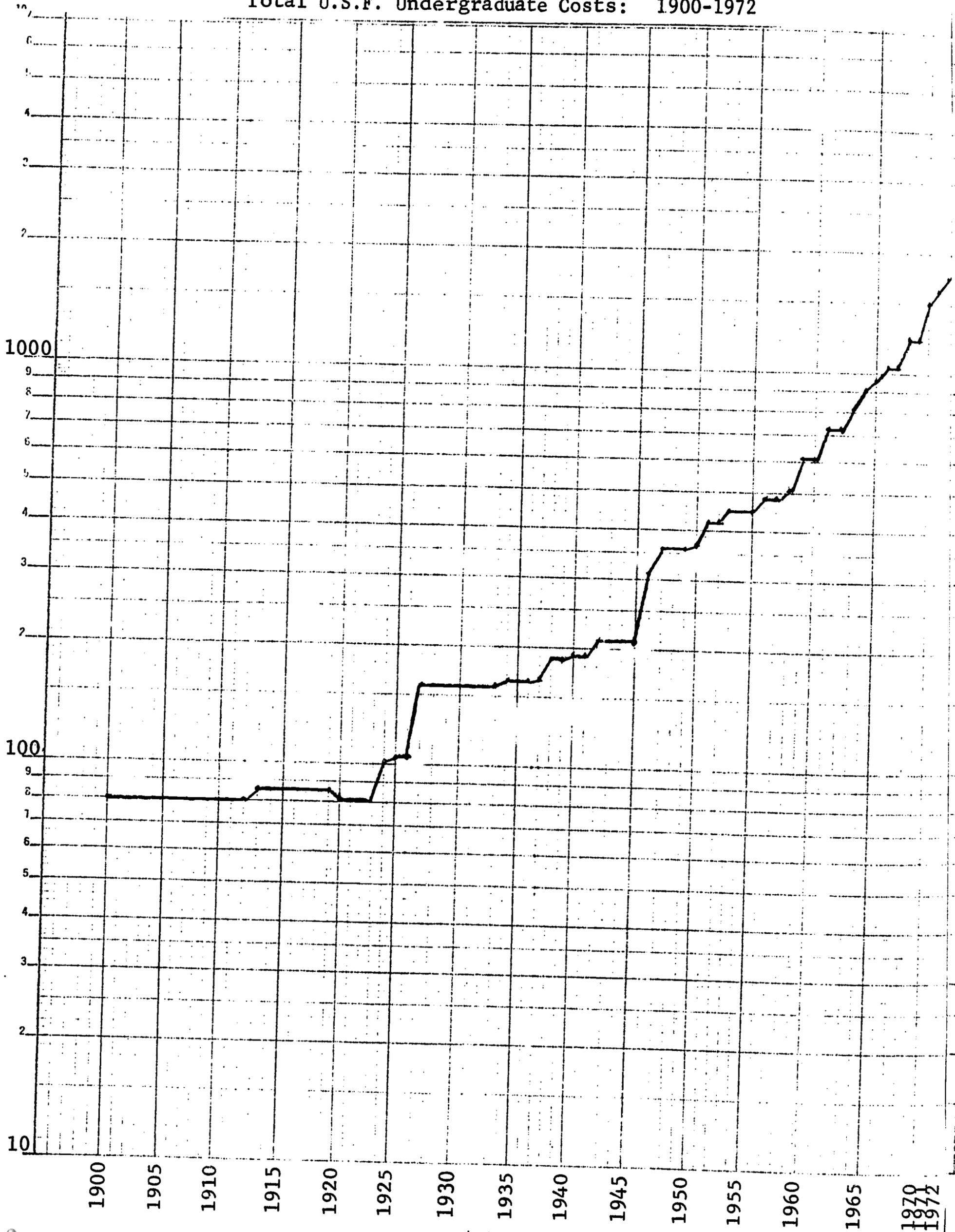
In 1965, Gillson Hall was opened for male students.

Hayes-Healy Hall was opened for women students in 1966.

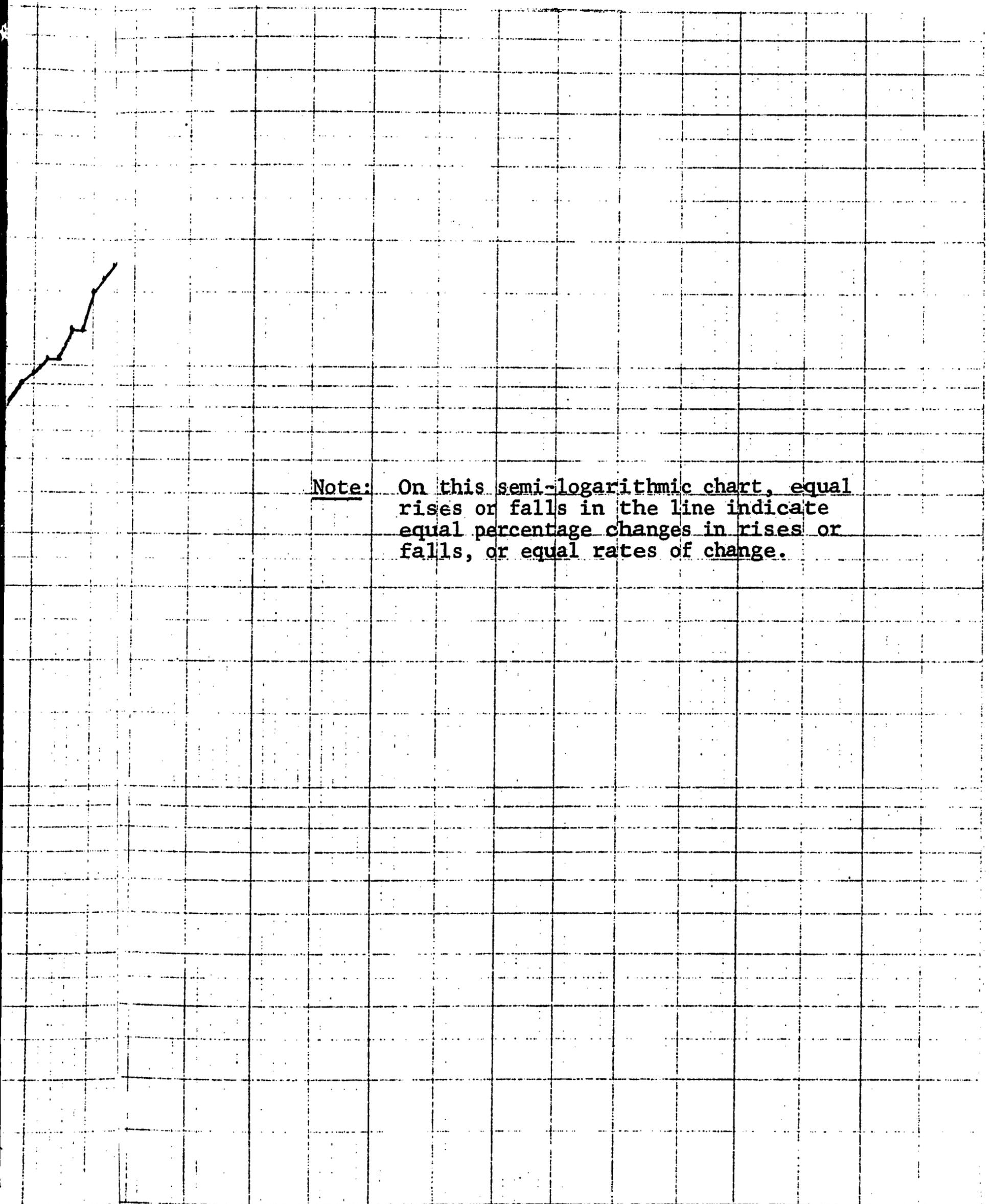
The charges, per academic year of ten months, are listed below:

<u>Year</u>	<u>Charges Per Academic Year</u>
1954:	\$ 650.00
1955 - 1956:	700.00
1957 - 1961:	800.00
1962 - 1965:	900.00
1966 - 1968:	1000.00
1969 - 1971:	1100.00
1972:	1200.00

Total U.S.F. Undergraduate Costs: 1900-1972



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Note: On this semi-logarithmic chart, equal rises or falls in the line indicate equal percentage changes in rises or falls, or equal rates of change.

1965
1970
1972

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