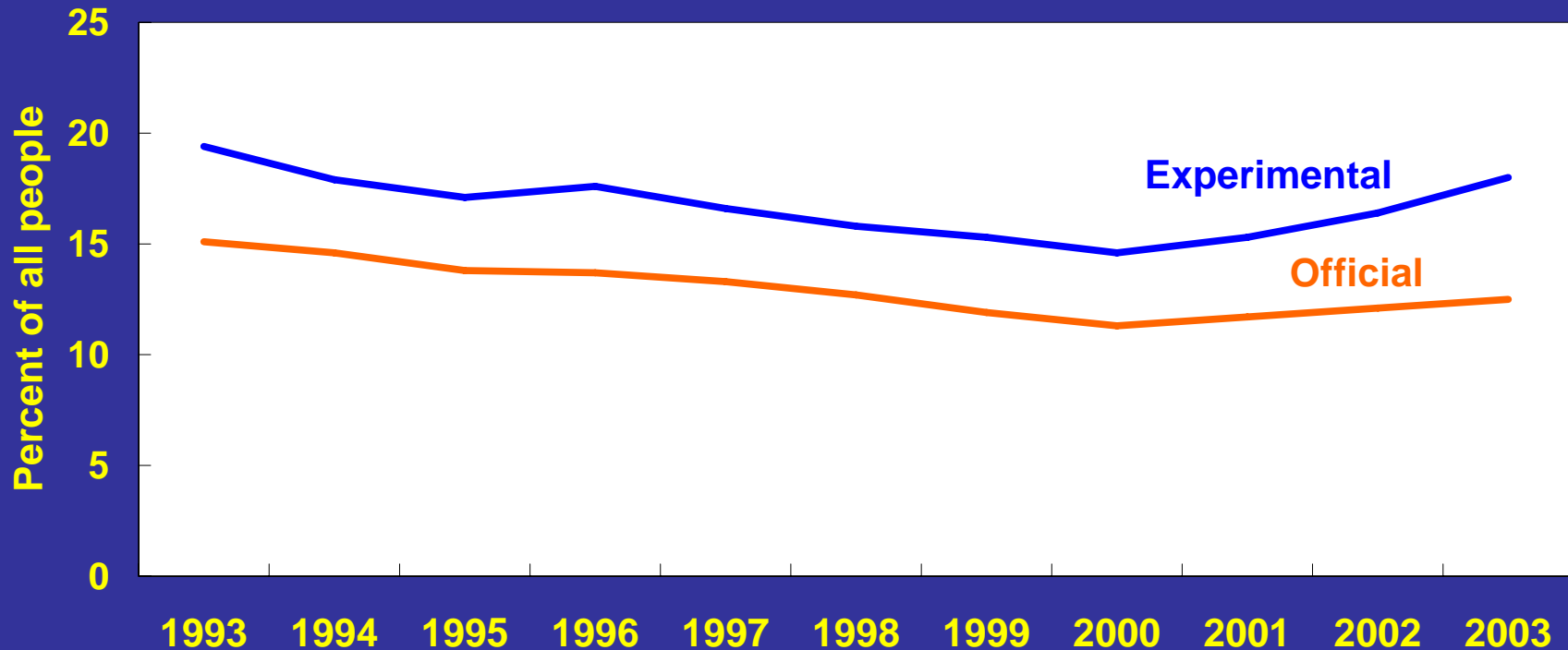


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Poverty Rates Under Official and Experimental Measures, 1993-2003



Sources: U.S. Census Bureau; Kathleen Short, "Estimating Resources for Poverty Measurement 1993-2003."

Note: Experimental rate is computed in accordance with recommendations of the National Academy of Sciences Panel on Poverty and Family Assistance.